

April 22, 2025

Office of Head Start OHS Grant Review Team c/o Guardians of Honor 1990 K Street, NW, Suite 650 Washington, DC 20006

To Whom It May Concern:

I, Lesley Dahlkemper, attest that Jefferson County collaborated with an external grant writer(s), consultant(s), and/or contactor(s) on the development of the application submitted in response to the Notice of Funding Opportunity Announcement. Further I, Lesley Dahlkemper, attest that the governing Board of Jefferson County, actively participated in the content development and commitment included in the applicant's proposal. On behalf of Jefferson County, I also confirm that its governing Board, and proposed Head Start and Early Head Start management staff are fully knowledgeable of the Head Start regulatory requirements.

Sincerely,

JEFFERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Lesley Dahlkemper, Chair

cc: Commissioner Kerr Commissioner Zenzinger Joseph Kerby, County Manager