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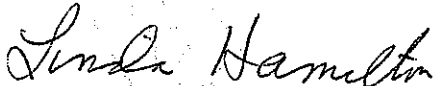
As director of the Pre-K – 12 outreach using LEGO® Education Technology and Robotics at the Nick J Rahall II Transportation Institute at Marshall University, I am happy to continue to support Playmates Preschools and Child Development Centers, Inc. with Wayne County Schools' effort to provide STEM opportunities for children in poor and low performing schools. We have together in the past with great success. Our continued efforts will include:

- Providing training and support to staff on LEGO® Technology and Robotics
- Provide on line lesson plans for projects and use of SENSORSCITY
- Supporting FIRST LEGO® League and Jr. FLL teams.

Through these efforts, the benefits to children and youth will include increasing academic performance, through the use of technology, creating problem solvers and creative thinkers, while enhancing the students' confidence and self-worth.

Please let me know if I can be of further assistance to you.

Sincerely,



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