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Economic Development Commission
1600 Broadway
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Re: Letter of Support for 443 Oak Nonprofit Center – Capital Campaign
Enterprise Zone Contribution Project – NW EZ, Enhanced Rural EZ

To the Economic Development Commission,

On behalf of the Routt County Board of County Commissioners we wish to express our strong support for the efforts being made by Integrated Community and Routt County United Way to expand their current space so they can better serve their current clients and also make room for additional local non-profits. The ability for them to use enterprise zone tax credits would be instrumental in helping the donated dollars from the campaign go further.

In 2015, Integrated Community and Routt County United Way partnered together to find new offices. A group of donors helped purchase the historic property at 443 Oak, and since then considerable repairs and improvements have been made. They have shown a commitment to rehabilitating and maintaining the building, and the expansion will help ensure they stay on the property and are able to continue serve the community. As evidenced by the purchase of the existing building by donors, the community also supports the vital work these two organizations are doing.

We strongly support Integrated Community and Routt County United Way's application for enterprise zone tax credits so they are able to stretch the donated dollars further, and expand their current services that are of great benefit to the residents of the community.

Respectfully,
ROUTT COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



M. Elizabeth Melton, Chair