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Topeka Planning Commission c/o City of Topeka Planning Department 620 SE Madison Topeka, KS 66607

Dear Planning Commission Members:

This letter comes to you as a result of a long-standing partnership the Tennessee Town Neighborhood Improvement Association (NIA) has with Doorstep, Inc., whose programming has been helping low-income Topeka residents since 1966, some of them situated in Tennessee Town.

Doorstep, Inc.'s application for a Conditional Use Permit at its 1119 SW 10th Avenue location to enable it to relocate its current services at Dovetail, 1196 SW Washburn, to its 10th Avenue location will enable it to more efficiently deliver services as the program's staff and volunteers will work at a single location.

At the Tennessee Town NIA September 11, 2017, general membership meeting the following was moved and seconded: "The Tennessee Town NIA endorses Doorstep, Inc.'s application for a Conditional Use Permit to move its services at Dovetail to its 1119 SW 10th location." The motion was approved.

Please let us know if you have any questions moving forward.

Thank you for your time and assistance.

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