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Jason Spadaro  
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Dear Mr. Spadaro,

Please let this letter serve as support for the Broughton Landing Development at the former Broughton Lumber Mill site. It is of our opinion that this project will be highly valuable to our county as well as the surrounding communities. We also agree that the existing site is in need of upgrade and repair and that this development will provide for that.

Our county is in need of quality jobs and facilities that will not only increase the appeal of the Gorge, but also provide income and increased infrastructure to the surrounding communities.

We are anxious to see this project begin. If we can be of any further assistance or offer additional support, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,



Larry & Jeanie Smith  
Owners  
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