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To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is to document our collaborative effort to develop the old Elk Trail Elementary school in to an Outdoor Learning Center. The building and property was donated to the YMCA from the Eagle Point School District. The YMCA will be the lead on this project and will be the program operator when the project is complete.

The State of Oregon currently provides funding thru a lottery dollar allocation that pays for all 5th or 6th grade students to attend a week-long residential outdoor school program. Currently in Southern Oregon there are not many options or service providers for this and the Elk Trail Outdoor School project could benefit all the students in Oregon and primarily those in Jackson County.

You may call any of us to verify our support of each other with this project.

Sincerely,

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