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Gene Anderson, Executive Director
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Dear Gene:

I am pleased to write this letter to show our partnership efforts with your future Community Outreach Liaison. You and I know how important such a position can be for non-profit Veteran Service Organizations. We commend your efforts to ensure veterans, military spouses, and their caregivers have the opportunity to realize their educational, employment, and career goals.

As you well know, The American Legion was chartered and incorporated by Congress in 1919 as a patriotic veterans organization devoted to mutual helpfulness. It is the nation's largest wartime veterans service organization, committed to mentoring youth and sponsorship of wholesome programs in our communities, advocating patriotism and honor, promoting strong national security, and continued devotion to our fellow service members and veterans.

We offer a variety of diverse programs and benefits for veterans and will work closely with your Community Outreach Liaison to help him or her make even more connections in Central Indiana and beyond. It's challenging to get the word out to let military families and veterans know of all the support available to help them succeed in the civilian world. We realize that we can't work alone and know that by working together we'll accomplish both of our organization's goals more effectively.

I look forward to partnering with your Community Outreach Liaison in 2020 and I wish you the best in your grant-seeking efforts.

Regards,

John W. Hickey

Department Service Officer and Director of Rehabilitation