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To: [Marlin, John C](#)
Subject: Letter of Support
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Dear Dr. Marlin,

By this letter I confirm that the Pollinatarium which is located in the Arboretum planning area intends to participate in the project known as "Providing Native Plantings at the Arboretum". The Pollinatarium has a wooded area that will greatly benefit from the addition of native plants that provide a food source for many butterflies, bees and other pollinators. Additionally we have areas that are suitable for prairie plants. Though we do not have funds to allocate specifically for this project, we will devote some staff time to planning and supervising volunteer activities and provide some logistical support. We will also provide some of the plants.

We have a good relationship with several campus and community volunteer organizations that will also contribute to the effort. Thank you for engaging us in this worthwhile project!

Thank you
Lesley Deem
Pollinatarium Coordinator