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To Whom It May Concern:

It is my privilege to provide this testimony and endorsement on behalf of Zakariyyah Zabek, Founder of the Flower of Life Foundation, and his outstanding Young Entrepreneur Program.

As the Founder of the Leonard Jones Minority Junior Golf Foundation and a PGA Life Time Member, I have spent decades working to expand opportunities for youth, particularly those in underserved communities. I can say without hesitation that Mr. Zabek's program exemplifies the kind of visionary leadership and practical education our next generation desperately needs.

The Young Entrepreneur Program is a twelve-week curriculum designed for students in grades 6–12. It introduces them to the exciting and challenging world of entrepreneurship, giving them the tools to create and launch their own businesses. Students are guided step-by-step to:

- Develop a comprehensive business plan
- Learn and apply core business vocabulary
- Explore marketing strategies and customer service essentials
- Practice record keeping, networking, and financial basics
- Strengthen problem-solving and ethical decision-making skills

This program does more than teach business; it builds confidence, leadership, and self-determination. It equips students to think like innovators, to see possibilities where others see obstacles, and to believe in their own capacity to shape their future.

I wholeheartedly support Zakariyyah Zabek and the Flower of Life Foundation in bringing this curriculum to communities across the nation. His program directly aligns with my own mission to empower youth through mentorship, training, and character development.

I encourage organizations, schools, donors, and community leaders to join me in supporting this initiative. Together, we can ensure that young people from all backgrounds are prepared not only to succeed in today's world but to create a brighter tomorrow.

With respect and gratitude,

Sincerely,

Leonard Jones

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