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Mr. Jeff Rogers Hernando County Administrator 15470 Flight Path Drive Brooksville, FL 34601

Dear Administrator Rogers,

Thank you for your continued partnership with the Hernando County School District. Our collaboration has led to successful projects on many fronts, not the least of which is Wilton Simpson Technical College. Through our collaborative efforts, the building is nearing completion with every expectation that full occupancy will occur by August of the 24-25 school year.

Thanks are in order as well for this most recent gesture of refunding to the district the infrastructure fees that were expended to complete the ground preparation. The district will gladly accept the refund and earmark those funds for the sole benefit of Wilton Simpson Technical College. These funds will be set aside for possible future program expansion or enhancing existing programs to ensure they are always cutting edge so that our graduates are fully prepared to enter the workforce with first-rate skills.

The district looks forward to continuing our partnership on future projects including the Space Hub incubator, also to be located at the Dr. Dennis Wilfong Center for Success campus.

Sincerely,

John Stratton Superintendent

Hernando County School District