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The Honorable Michael Bennet
United States Senate
261 Russell Senate Building
Washington, DC 20510

Senator Bennet:

Please accept this letter of support for Eagle County School District's Maloit Park Affordable Housing Project. Eagle County School District (ECSD) serves 6,500 students throughout our county. They have struggled in recent years to recruit and retain staff because of the dearth of affordable housing options in this community.

ECSD has demonstrated a record of success in developing affordable housing opportunities for their staff, and this project will add 125 units in Minturn, Colorado.

Their request for \$1,000,000 will supplement bond dollars approved by the community to complete the horizontal infrastructure necessary to get this project started. They will fund the vertical construction with Certificates of Participation, which won't increase property taxes of Eagle County residents.

Your support for this project is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Matt Scherr
Chair

Jeanne McQueeney
Commissioner

Kathy Chandler-Henry
Commissioner