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To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing this letter to support the renewal of the Tech Corps Wisconsin, Inc. AmeriCorps*VISTA program. SC Johnson has supported the PC's For Families project which is being led by Tech Corps Wisconsin's AmeriCorps*VISTA member. As a company that promotes and supports sustainable community initiatives, SC Johnson is happy to be involved with a project like PC's For Families.

The PC's for Families project is an exciting and innovative way to address the digital divide issue in Racine County. This project began by taking surplus computer systems from the Racine County Human Services Department and, through the effort and expertise of the Tech Corps Wisconsin volunteers, upgrading, repairing and refurbishing them into useful units. Once the refurbishment process is complete, the computer systems are deployed into low-income urban area homes with school aged children. This project not only provides the families with a useful computer but also provides essential training and support. The AmeriCorps*VISTA member working for Tech Corps Wisconsin is playing a vital role in getting this project off the ground. He has helped develop the criteria to select eligible families and has formulated a training curriculum for the participants.

SC Johnson has provided resources and funding to help support the PC's For Families project because we believe this project can have positive results for disadvantaged children and families in our community. We hope you will continue your partnership with Tech Corps Wisconsin in making this possible.

Sincerely,



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