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Ms. Nakita Chambers
MBDA Program Manager
U.S. Department of Commerce
1401 Constitution Ave., N.W., Room 5067
Washington, DC 20230

Dear Ms. Chambers:

I write regarding Chicanos Por La Causa (CPLC) Nevada Inc.'s application for funding for the establishment of the Nevada Minority Business Enterprise Center (NMBEC) in Las Vegas.

This NMBEC program will bring additional resources and business opportunities to the state of Nevada by supporting Nevada's MBE community through access to informational resources, technical assistance, and training opportunities. It will also serve the MBE community in efforts to create new partnerships within the community, while strengthening existing ones.

As a Senator from Nevada, I recognize that small businesses are absolutely vital to the Nevada economy and my office provides close support to Nevada's small businesses and employees at all stages of development. Any program that helps grow MBE small businesses is welcome in Nevada and worthy of consideration.

I want to thank you for your time and attention to this application. I hope that you will give Chicanos Por La Causa Nevada Inc.'s application your full and fair consideration. If you should have any questions about this letter, please contact my Special Projects and Grants Director, Dane Hudson, in my Las Vegas office.

Sincerely,

Jacky Rosen

United States Senator