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To Whom It May Concern:

This is a letter in support of the good work that Set Point Tennis has done in Berks County to provide critical life and career skills to youth and their families who participated in Goodwill Keystone Area's mentoring program.

Set Point Tennis provided mentoring support to youth in at risk situations between the ages of 12-17 during the school year and summer of 2011. Many of the youth supported are from low-income, single parent homes and have never been exposed to the sport of tennis. In addition to learning and practicing the basics of tennis, Set Point Tennis used the sport as a means to teach youth critical life skills and career decision-making.

During the tennis classes the youth participated in programming that included the basics of banking and finance, the importance of education and networking, jobs and job interviewing, leadership development, community service, safety, crime and drug use prevention, and goal setting.

Approximately 50 of Goodwill's youth participants benefited from the programming provided by Michael Murphy and Set Point Tennis during 2011. Goodwill Keystone Area looks forward to a continued partnership with Set Point Tennis by referring youth and their families to its programs and fully supports its efforts to secure funding to continue its good work in the Berks County community.

Sincerely,



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