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The Honorable Catherine E. Pugh
Mayor, City of Baltimore
Room 250, City Hall
Baltimore, Maryland 21202

The Honorable Bernard "Jack" Young
President, Baltimore City Council
Room 400, City Hall
Baltimore, Maryland 21202

Dear Mayor Pugh and City Council President Young:

Associated Black Charities (ABC) is pleased to submit the December 2018 progress report of the Baltimore Children and Youth Fund.

The overwhelming issue continues to be related to getting background checks and the appropriate insurance. (Per the agreement between the City and ABC, ABC had to assume liability for all grantees.) Our governance model does not allow us to assume liability, therefore the grantees had to obtain the required insurances with assistance from the assigned staff (consultants).

The other challenge for grantees was not having a fiscal system in place thus requiring a fiscal agent. All except one grantee has selected a fiscal agent; at least six (6) grantees have not completed their insurance. Technical Assistance providers also have been selected and have begun to work with grantees.

Lastly, dates have been solicited to provide briefings to those applicants who were not selected.

Sincerely,

Diane Bell-McKoy
President and CEO

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