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August 22, 2018

Ms. Constance Gully
Chair
Bi-State Development
211 N. Broadway, Suite 700
St. Louis, MO 63102-2759

Dear Chairwoman Gully:

As the funders of Bi-State Development, we are requesting that the on-going selection process for the next President & CEO of the agency be conducted in the most transparent manner possible.

It is our understanding that applicants are currently being interviewed and that the pool of candidates will be narrowed to a short list of five finalists who will then be presented to the full Board of Commissioners. It is our request that we, the chief elected officials of the Bi-State Development service area, be permitted to participate in an ex-officio, non-voting capacity concerning the final selection.

The selection of a new President & CEO is a critical decision for our region, and the next leader of Bi-State Development will need to work closely with the City of St. Louis, St. Clair County, and St. Louis County in order to address the many service needs of our residents.

We look forward to being included in this deliberative process so that we can clearly understand your goals for the future of Bi-State Development.

Sincerely,

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Lyda Krewson
Mayor
City of St. Louis

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Steven V. Stenger
County Executive
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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark Kern".

Mark Kern
Board Chairman
St. Clair County

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