

The Mitten State

625 Ann Street NW
Grand Rapids, MI 49504
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Planning Commission
1120 Monroe Ave NW
Grand Rapids, MI 49503

To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is in support of the current request by Rockford Construction to re-zone the Bridge and Stocking block to prepare it for re-development.

I have personally worked with the team at Rockford Construction in choosing to move my business, The Mitten State, to the West Side.

The West Side neighborhood is a special place in our City, and I support the investments being made by Rockford to bring new services, housing, and jobs to the area. They are committed to the neighborhood, and redeveloping the Bridge and Stocking block is proof of that. I am excited to see new opportunities being brought to the neighborhood that will support the people who are already living here, as well as continue to make the West Side a great place to live, work and shop.

I support the proposed zoning change as Rockford works with the community to address the needs of our neighbors and City.

Sincerely,



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