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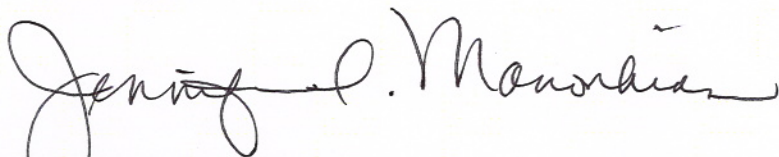
John Morris
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Dear John:

On behalf of Sycamore Community Schools, I would like to thank you and Doug Haskell for the invaluable assistance and guidance you provided our High School teachers as they worked to revise the content of our Economics courses last spring. Specifically, as the secondary curriculum director for the district, I appreciate your advice and direction, from our initial consultation and planning meeting to the actual work sessions with teachers and presentation of the final product. As a result of your work, we feel as though both Academic Economics and Accelerated Economics now fully meet the economics and financial literacy requirements of the new Ohio Core while maintaining the rigor that Sycamore prides itself on. More important, however, with the direction and resources of the UC Economics Center, teachers will be well equipped to provide our students with the learning they need to be fully functioning, financially literate citizens as well as to understand economic structures and principles.

In addition to your assistance with the high school courses, we also look forward to working with the UC ECE this year on a financial literacy model curriculum for grades K through 8. Thank you again for your time, support and help!

Sincerely,



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