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MEMORANDUM

Subject: Capital Budget Projects

February 2, 1999

To: Dwight Evans, Chairman
Appropriations Committee

From: Representative Guy A. Travaglio *gat*
11th Legislative District

The following is a list of capital budget projects in the 11th Legislative District:

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| 1. Butler City Memorial Park – water slide | \$120,000 |
| 2. Renovation Pillow Street Storm Sewer
Butler City | \$ 150,000 |
| 3. Butler CDC Water System
Butler City | \$1,987,500 |
| 4. Chicora Borough Water Lines
Butler County | \$1,000,000 |
| 5. Butler County Arts Center
Butler City | \$ 3,300,000 |
| 6. Butler County Historical Projects
(Heritage Center) Butler City | \$ 1,000,000 |
| 7. CSX Rail Project, Evans City
Butler County | \$ 2,500,000 |

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8. Pullman Center Business Park - Pullman Standard Buildings – Butler City	\$ 1,825,000
9. Penn Township Sewer Project Butler County	\$ 4,000,000
10. Middlesex Township Sewer Project Butler County	\$ 10,000,000
11. Adams Township Sewer Project Butler County	\$ 600,000
12. Butler County Prison Annex Restoration	\$ 350,000
13. Ice Rink Sports Center Butler County	\$ 2,000,000
14. West Sunbury Water System Butler County	\$ 500,000
15. HVAC Renovation – Admissions Bldg) Butler Community College) \$ 168,300 HVAC Units Replacement) Cranberry Campus)	
16. Rain Gutters/Downspouts) Library, Applied Science and) Convocation Center Buildings) \$ 143,300 Snow/Ice Shield and Rain Gutters) Field House)	
17. Athletic Surface Replacement Field House	\$ 195,500

If you need any additional information regarding this matter, please contact Fred Vero of my office.

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MEMORANDUM

September 14, 2001

Subject: Capital Budget Projects

To: Dwight Evans, Chairman
 Appropriations Committee

From: Representative Guy A Travaglio *GAT*
 11th Legislative District

The following is a list of projects in the 11th Legislative District that I would like to have included in the upcoming Capital Budget Bill:

1. City of Butler -
 - Continuation of the Sullivan Run Channel Improvement Project -
 - Base and construction - \$3 million
 - Design and contingency - \$600,000
2. Butler Township -
 - Storm Water Flooding Project - \$2,760,000
3. Butler County Community College -
 - Capital Projects - \$6,919,500
4. Butler City -
 - Pullman Park Project - \$1,859,000
5. Butler County Chamber of Commerce & Tourism -
 - Butler County Exhibition Hall - \$1 million
 - Penn Cinemas Renovation - \$2 million

If you need any additional information regarding this matter, please contact Fred Vero of my office.

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 Attach.



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
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HARRISBURG

ROBERT A. BITTENBENDER
SECRETARY
OFFICE OF THE BUDGET

April 14, 2000

Honorable Guy A. Travaglio, Jr.
House of Representatives
House Box 202020
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120-2020

Dear Representative Travaglio:

This responds to your most recent inquiry regarding the release of added funding for a baseball park at Butler Community College.

As I have mentioned previously, this project is authorized in Act 47 of 1997 under the designated funding source of the Keystone Recreation, Park and Conservation fund. As a result, any decision regarding projects to be implemented rests exclusively with the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources.

The remainder of this project, as it is currently authorized, can not be funded from any other source.

In order to keep the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources aware of your concern, I am forwarding a copy of this response to Secretary John Oliver.

As always I urge you to keep us aware of your concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Robert A. Bittenbender".

Robert A. Bittenbender

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March 21, 2000

Robert A Bittenbender, Secretary
Office of the Budget
Governor's Office
238 Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg PA 17120

Dear Secretary Bittenbender:

On March 16, 2000, Butler County received a letter from Richard Sprenkle, Deputy Secretary for Conservation and Engineering Services, informing them that they have been awarded a \$100,000 Keystone Grant for the Butler County Community College Park.

I wrote to you on September 21, 1998, asking that the \$290,000 line item that was in the 1996-97 State Capital Budget be released to help fund this project at the Butler County Community College. Also enclosed with this letter is your October 9, 1998, response to me.

With the \$100,000 Keystone Grant and the College's \$100,000 local match, the project is still short \$100,000. With that in mind, I would like to respectfully request your assistance in releasing \$100,000 of the \$290,000 that was in the 1996-97 Capital Budget. If these funds are released, the Butler County Community College will be able to complete this project that they have been working on since 1997.

I would greatly appreciate your review of my request to release \$100,000 to the Butler County Community College so they may complete this project.

Thank you in advance for what I hope is your approval of this request.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Guy A. Travaglio, Jr.".

GUY A. TRAVAGLIO, JR.
STATE REPRESENTATIVE
11th LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT

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Enclosure

cc: Dr. Fred Bartok, President
Butler County Community College

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November 12, 1999

Larry Williamson, Director
Bureau of Recreation and Conservation
Department of Conservation and Natural Resources
6th Floor, Rachel Carson State Office Building
PO Box 8475
Harrisburg, PA 17105-8475

Dear Mr. Williamson:

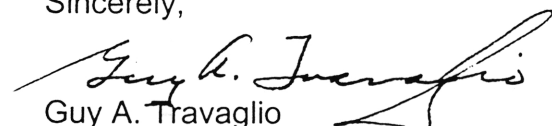
I am writing to express my strong support for Butler County's Keystone Acquisition and Development Grant application for \$150,000. In reviewing this proposal, I believe that the efforts of Butler County and Butler County Community College to secure funding for the construction of a new baseball field on the community college's campus are practical and advantageous to the community.

As a state legislator, I am always encouraged by efforts to benefit and improve local communities. The efforts being made by Butler County and Butler County Community College to construct a new baseball field will certainly help Butler County promote recreational opportunities for residents of the community, especially younger residents. Specifically, with Commonwealth funds, the community college will be able to replace its poorly constructed baseball field with a new and well-constructed baseball field. A new, well-constructed baseball field will not only help to support the college's intercollegiate baseball team, but it will also provide a larger and well-constructed field for the numerous baseball leagues and teams that exist in Butler County.

With this in mind, I respectfully request your immediate and solemn consideration of Butler County's Keystone Acquisition and Development Grant application..

Thank you for your kind consideration of this request. If I can provide any assistance with these efforts, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,


Guy A. Travaglio
State Representative
11th Legislative District

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November 12, 1999

Ray D. Steffler, Chairman
Board of Trustees
Butler County Community College
College Drive, Oak Hills
PO Box 1203
Butler PA 16003

Dear Mr. Steffler:

Enclosed is a copy of the letter of support that I prepared on behalf of the efforts being made by Butler County and Butler County Community College to secure and obtain funding through the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources for the construction of a new baseball field.

Because I believe that the construction of new baseball field will be very advantageous to the residents of our community, especially our youth, I am very pleased to offer my support for your grant application. I certainly agree with your position that a new baseball field will promote and enhance recreational opportunities for our youth. It is my hope that through our joint efforts Butler County and Butler County Community College will secure the Commonwealth support that they greatly deserve.

As always, it is a pleasure to be of service to you and other members of our community. I hope this letter of support proves useful. If I can provide any additional assistance with this or any other matter, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Guy A. Travaglio".

Guy A. Travaglio
State Representative
11th Legislative District

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November 3, 1999

The Honorable Guy A. Travaglio
4 East Wing
Harrisburg, PA 17120

Dear Representative Travaglio,

Butler County Community College and the County of Butler seek your active support for a Keystone Development grant application that was submitted recently to the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources. In collaboration, college and county officials are fulfilling a need identified in our community, namely, a lack of useful baseball fields.

The College has one baseball field that was not well constructed and has persistent drainage problems. A 1995 study of Butler Township examined the availability of recreational activities for local youth. It was found that the greater Butler area does not have enough baseball fields to provide various leagues and teams to thrive. We do have playing fields that provide softball and little league teams places to play, but competitive players soon outgrow those fields and need a larger field built to regulation.

To address the needs of the community and the college, Butler County has submitted a Keystone Acquisition and Development Grant for \$150,000 to build a new baseball field on the campus of Butler County Community College. This will support the college's intercollegiate baseball team and provide a field for the county's recreation programs. Both parties, the county and college, have formed a true partnership that enhances the recreation capabilities for the youth of our county and surrounding areas.

On behalf of the trustees of Butler County Community College, I ask you to support this initiative by contacting the following state officials and express the need for the fulfillment of this grant. The baseball field is the beginning of a growing partnership with Butler County as our college promotes recreation opportunities for regional youth. Attached are the names of three directors that will make the final decision about this grant. Please contact them and express your support for this project.

On Behalf of the Board of Trustees,



Ray D. Steffler, Chair
Board of Trustees