

From: Will Reed [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, February 25, 2019 11:06 AM
To: Theresa Utton
CC: Melanie Paskevich; Peter Buckley
Subject: Heat Squad Letter of Support

Dear Ms. Utton,

On behalf of Vermont Foam Insulation, please find this correspondence supporting appropriation of \$1.25M (at once or over 5 yrs) to expand the Heat Squad program statewide.

Vermont Foam Insulation has collaborated with the Heat Squad for many years. Vermont Foam Insulation has experienced first hand the important work they do. In order to achieve vital energy goals, as laid out by the VT legislature, it will be crucial to fund organization like the Heat Squad to ensure we, as a State, are successful. From a business standpoint, Vermont Foam has been able to continue to grow and hire more people. This is proof of a successful "green" economy. Some of our growth is a direct result of the work done by Heat Squad. More importantly though, countless Vermonters are benefiting from the services that Heat Squad provides by helping them retrofit to more energy efficient houses and buildings.

We look forward to continuing our relationship with Heat Squad and hope that you will approve this spending measure.

Unfortunately, I cannot attend one of the public session for appropriation, but please do not hesitate to contact me with any further questions.

Best regards,

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