

To whom it may concern in support of the continuing contribution that the IDA Program and its affiliate programs are making in my life.

Now supportive goal setting is being helped and encouraged as well as the offering of educational guidance and practical help through the IDA Grant Savings Program. I am being helped to identify and set attainable goals through the IDA Grant Savings Program and additional supporting programs which I have subsequently learned about such as the ASPIRE Program. I look forward to the purchase of an updated computer and replacement for the motor of a Bernina Sewing Machine which I use daily for a continuing art series of Painted Cloth Collage Prayer Pages together with the written offerings. This art is presently exhibited at the Artful Eye in St. Johnsbury, VT In addition I look forward to expanding my art offerings by creating a traveling presentation and exhibit . I am also saving for needed repairs for Rocker Panels for a 2005 VW Jetta of \$700. The car has 250,000 miles on it and I understand it will go another 200,000 if kept in good repair. Learning the power of goal setting, focused vision and stepping into small groups where others are sharing where they are in their small business offerings is inspiring as well.

This IDA Grant helps make these goals possible for me.. It is a great gift for me to receive such help in order to continue to make a contribution to the community in which I reside and beyond.

Amy Robinson's work is to be applauded. It has become an outreach of gathering resources to help participants further their business initiatives in a time where the input of meaningful financial assistance and educational business support can open doors to a greater flow of wealth, productivity and well being. Thank you.

I am deeply grateful that I am allowed to participate in this worthy program for small business initiatives.

Gratefully yours,

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