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To: Tulsa Schweitzer Fellowship Selection Committee

I am aware that _____ (name of applicant) is applying to be a Tulsa Schweitzer Fellow.

I am aware that the Tulsa Schweitzer Fellowship, housed at the University of Tulsa's Oxley College of Health Sciences, is a prestigious opportunity for Tulsa-area graduate and professional degree students to sharpen their leadership skills and improve health outcomes for the under resourced. Fellows design and implement a unique project that addresses an unmet health need or opportunity in the community and attends workshops, trainings and other activities to support their community efforts and leadership development. Tulsa is one of 13 Albert Schweitzer Fellowship sites around the United States. The Fellowship is a 13 month program that runs April of one year until May of the next.

Core time commitments:

- 200 hours – project design, planning, implementation and evaluation
- 3 hours x 12 – monthly meetings
- 1.5 days – opening retreat at a local retreat center in April
- 8 hours – mid-year retreat in the fall

In addition, each Fellow takes on co-leadership of one monthly meeting, participates in a community outreach/advocacy project and does a final presentation at the Celebration of Service.

_____ (name of applicant) has my full support and the support of our academic program and institution in this application to the Albert Schweitzer Fellowship.

_____ (name of applicant) is in good academic standing.

_____ (signature)

_____ (name, printed)

_____ (title)

_____ (program)

_____ (academic institution)