



Dear HOT Fund Committee,

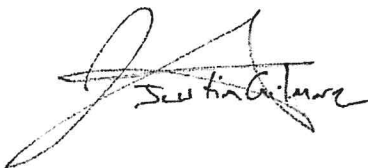
We are so thankful for your continued support of The LOT Downtown. Without funding from the City of Mansfield, we would not be able to create a place for people to come together in the heart of Downtown Mansfield. As we are preparing for our 2019 Season and budget, we see a need for additional funding in regards to our portable restrooms.

Because of The LOT Downtown's increased popularity, we now host events 9 months of the year. During this time frame, we pay approximately \$9,000 towards portable restrooms. When considering our original \$75,000 awarded, this is a significant portion of our budget spent on facilities that we expected to be built on site through the Pond Branch Trail Public Restrooms.

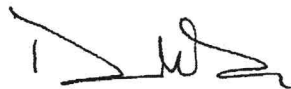
We are asking that you please consider funding the additional \$9,000 through the 2018-2019 HOT Funds Fiscal Year. Our hope is that within the 2018-2019 FY a tentative timeline for the construction on the Public Restroom Facilities will be in place to alleviate the expense year over year. With the additional funding, we can instead focus our resources on producing high-quality events to better our community footprint and visitor impact.

Know your hard work and dedication to our city, and its community has not gone unnoticed and continues to make Mansfield a great place to call home. Thank you again for your support for The LOT Downtown and our mission. Together we can all make a difference.

Sincerely,



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