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## The Honorable Dennis Hastert

Speaker of The House of Representatives U.S. Capitol Capitol Hill Washington, DC 20515

Subject: Proposal for refundable Fuel Tax Credit for

Working Families

Dear Mr. Speaker:

I am writing to you in the hope that you will consider adopting for tax year 2006, a "refundable fuel tax credit" aimed at working families in America.

As you are most assuredly aware, energy prices continue to rise and are having a significant economic impact on working Americans.

With nearly a full one-third of the retail price of a gallon of gasoline going to a myriad of various federal, state and local taxes, we believe that working families should see some of the benefits the government has realized in increased tax revenues by adoption of this proposal by the US Congress.

Given the fact that business owners recently received an increase in the per mile deduction for business use of a vehicle we see no reason why, given the escalating prices of gasoline at the pump, that working Americans who work for these businesses, should also not be able to obtain some tax benefit.

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It is our hope that no matter the exact amount or language of any proposed legislation, the primary objective of a refundable tax credit to working families should be seriously considered by our elected officials.

On behalf of our entire company, and the hundreds of clients we represent, I thank you for taking time in considering this request and look forward to hearing from you in the near future.

Sincerely,

Daniel Love, President

CC: Media Press Attachment