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Mitchell E. Daniels, Jr., Governor
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National Veterans Memorial
RR # 2 Box 336
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Dear Mr. Henager,

This is a letter of support for the National Veterans Memorial to be located at Buckskin, Indiana. Indiana has a proud history of honoring its veterans and it is only fitting that this memorial will be located in southern Indiana, less than 100 miles from the original State Capitol.

As Director of the Indiana Department of Veterans Affairs I would encourage businesses and individuals alike to support this endeavor to house veteran-related artifacts and memorabilia under one roof, allowing travelers and visiting Hoosiers the opportunity to delve into the past and discover their history.

I commend Mr. James Henager and his supporters in their efforts to secure this memorial.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Tom Applegate".

Tom Applegate