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Board of Trustees
Kokomo Grace United Methodist Church
219 West Mulberry Street
Kokomo, IN 46901

Re: Epworth Forest Administration Committee, Inc.

Dear Trustees:

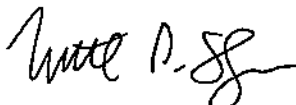
Please be advised that I represent the Epworth Forest Administration Committee, Inc. ("EFAC"). My client has received your request that EFAC not place their community pier adjacent to your property located at 8521 E. Wade Lane, North Webster, Indiana (the "Church Property"). The purpose of this letter is to respond to that request.

As you know, an EFAC community pier has been located on property adjacent to the Church Property for approximately thirteen (13) years. Further, according to the Kosciusko County Recorder's Office, the parcel of ground upon which the community pier rests is owned by the Epworth League Institute of the North Indiana Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Lastly, in the opinion of my client, the community pier is appropriate in its current location as it is consistent with the Order and Findings of the Kosciusko Circuit Court Cause No. 43C01-9109-CP-732.

In spite of this, my client is attempting to find an alternative location to accommodate the community pier and will keep you advised of the same. In the meantime, EFAC will continue to provide you and Huntington Trinity residences with a pier assignment on the community pier. If you have any other questions or concerns please do not hesitate to give me a call.

Very truly yours,

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