



## Board of County Commissioners

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DISTRICT 3

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QuikTrip Corporation  
Eric Nicholas  
Corporate Treasurer  
4705 South 129<sup>th</sup> East Ave  
Tulsa, OK 74134

Dear Mr. Nicholas,

On behalf of the Tulsa County Board of Commissioners, I am writing this letter to express our strong support for QuikTrip Corporation's ("QuikTrip") proposed multi-million dollar Tulsa manufacturing and distribution facility project. QuikTrip is a strong corporate partner who does so much for the communities in which they operate, and this project specifically will positively impact the community's economy and contribute to the continued revitalization efforts throughout Tulsa County.

I'm pleased to know that the facility will be located in a census tract where the poverty rate exceeds 50%. QuikTrip already has the reputation as a leader in Oklahoma and the Tulsa community and this expansion will further solidify this reputation by helping to strengthen employment of residents in the area. The project will create new full time positions, with above average pay, excellent training and internal growth opportunities, in addition to creating temporary construction jobs locally. Further, QuikTrip's investment will have a catalytic effect on the state of Oklahoma through the increased partnership with local suppliers and vendors.

Your decision to develop the new manufacturing and distribution facility on N Garnett Road will provide an immeasurable economic boost for not only Tulsa but also Oklahoma. From an economic development standpoint, we believe this project will ultimately boost sales tax revenues allowing more money to be distributed for community improvements and economic development efforts. We hope this will attract new businesses and assist with the development of our existing businesses. The Tulsa County Board of Commissioners strongly supports and applauds QuikTrip's potential investment in Tulsa County.

Sincerely,

Ron Peters  
Chairman, Tulsa County Board of Commissioners