

July 1, 2005

Charles Witteveen, Chairman  
Fremont Area Joint Planning Committee  
City of Fremont  
101 East Main Street  
Fremont, MI 49412

Dear Mr. Witteveen,

Congratulations! The *Partnerships for Change Program* sponsors have agreed that the Fremont Area Joint Planning Committee's proposal is one of the best received this year. The proposal demonstrates a strong commitment to inter-jurisdictional cooperation and the goals of community-wide planning for the preservation of cultural and natural resources.

The *Partnerships for Change Program* sponsors met on Wednesday, June 29<sup>th</sup>, to review all proposals received and to select several partnerships to work with. The program sponsors have authorized the *Land Information Access Association (LIAA)* to develop a work plan and a formal agreement with the Fremont Area Joint Planning Committee for the delivery of the services requested. This will be considered a Level I Project, requiring 6 – 9 months to complete at an estimated value of \$20,000. The Committee (or the lead fiduciary agent) will be responsible for providing 20% of the project's value as a matching cash contribution.

Please note, this letter indicates a provisional selection of your project proposal. Project initiation will begin only after the parameters of this multi-jurisdictional planning project are clearly defined in an agreement letter and detailed work plan. We look forward to working out these details with the Fremont Area Joint Planning Committee and authorized representatives of the participating municipalities very soon.

We congratulate you and your community on forming a strong multi-jurisdictional partnership for this application and we look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

Joe VanderMeulen, Ph.D.  
Executive Director