



March 13, 2001

Superintendent  
*Jim Ritchie, Ed. D.*

Dear City Council Members,

**Board of Trustees**

*Joe Aliwan  
Frances Amelin  
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Easterbrook School greatly appreciated the dental services provided by The Toothmobile at our school. As educators we know that healthy children learn better. When students are in chronic pain and experience chronic infection due to poor oral health, they cannot attend to the business of learning. We also understand that dental care and access to dental insurance has been a big need for our families. The Toothmobile was a real gift to our school.

The Toothmobile along with the district school nurses screened and identified students who were in need of dental services. The Toothmobile then worked long hours to resolve the dental needs of twenty of our students.

**Easterbrook School**

Principal  
*Cleo Osborn*

Our children are now brushing, flossing and taking better care of themselves. Every child deserves a beautiful smile. Please support the approval of the CDBG Grant for the Toothmobile.

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Respectfully,

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