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Please find the attached written testimony of sixty-three supporters asking to have the STRIVE program reinstated in the State budget. In an effort to limit the number of individuals who come to testify on the 20th at the public hearing on the DOL budget, I am submitting these in lieu of overwhelming the session.

These letters represent program graduates, partner organizations, program funders, and employers. They truly speak to the impact of the STRIVE program on a number of levels.

Thank you for your time and attention the voices of these sixty-three individuals.

Sincerely,



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