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December 10, 2014

F. Craig Meadows
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Dear Craig:

Thank you for giving us the opportunity to consider increasing our state allocation to Montgomery County, our fastest growing locality in New River!

I do want to express my appreciation for our partnership with the county to provide public health services to its residents. Your support enables us to continue providing quality preventive public health services including emergency preparedness.

We are in the fortunate position to have $16,746 more allocated by the state this year which I'd like to propose be matched by Montgomery County to increase our overall allocation. The FY2015 additional local match that we are requesting from the County is $10,673. These funds will be used to support ongoing public health nursing services in Montgomery County, including disease surveillance and control for Lyme Disease, Tuberculosis, Ebola post travel monitoring, Hepatitis and other communicable diseases, Family Planning, STD and Overseas Travel services for our citizens.

Please don't hesitate to contact me or Cindy with any questions.

I appreciate you and the board's thoughtful consideration of our request.

Sincerely,

Molly O'Dell

Molly L. O'Dell, MD, MFA
Director