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Mr. Mike Tousley
Executive Vice President
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Dear Mike:

I want to thank everyone associated with the Master Builders of Iowa for your very generous gift to support the Construction Engineering program at Iowa State University. We were delighted to host your visit last month and deeply grateful to receive the gift, which will be used to further strengthen and enhance one of Iowa State's strongest programs and one that provides a valuable source of employees and leaders for Iowa's construction industry.

We are very grateful for our partnership with MBI. It is a wonderful model for how other organizations in the state of Iowa can partner with Iowa State and other institutions of higher education to support key educational programs. MBI has maintained a strong and highly visible relationship with our Construction Engineering program since its inception, and we very much appreciate the tremendous support we have received over the years.

Again, thank you and all the members of MBI! You are fantastic friends and partners of Iowa State University and our students!

Sincerely,



Gregory L. Geoffroy
President

cc: Mike Gawley
✓ Scott Norvell