Hello Channing,

I wanted to follow-up on our conversation about the Building Reuse grant for Active Energy Group. On 4/18/19, Robeson County was approved for a $500,000 grant to assist Active Energy Group. This project is not in compliance and is set to expire on 4/18/21. Channing, you shared that many of the delays for this project is the result of the company not being able to acquire the proper permits. You believe that things have progressed and the company will be able to receive the necessary permits to move the project forward. You also stated that the county is behind this project and wants to move forward.

A recent article about Active Energy Group has raised concerns about the vitality of the company. But because the county remains in support of the project, Commerce will extend the contract until 4/18/23. However, due to delays in submitting the required contingencies to get the project in compliance, and concerns over recent negative press, Commerce requires the approval of job creation and closeout documents before processing payment of the grant. Job requirements will not change and can be referenced in the contract documents.
Please submit the remaining outstanding documents:

1. Signed application
2. Local government resolution

Let me know if you have any questions.

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