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Karen McCullough
Fresh Eyes Photography
Albuquerque, New Mexico

Dear Ms. McCullough

I wanted to forward a letter of commendation for the Fresh Eyes Photography Program and the efforts of their staff. It takes special people to work in this type of environment and Fresh Eyes is undoubtedly a good presence.

The Fresh Eyes Program has been very beneficial for our clients at YDDC; in that it has taught the clients skills they can utilize once they are released back into the community, as well as recognize and utilize the artistic talents they did not know they had.

This program has taught the clients to become responsible in taking care of equipment they use, they have been taught about team work and how to compromise with each other; receiving constructive criticism from adults as well as how to receive positive feedback.

In speaking with the clients that have participated in this program they have been very grateful for the opportunity to participate in Fresh Eyes and are very appreciative of the time and effort the instructors have put forth towards this program.

On behalf of the facilities staff and clients, I myself would like to thank you for a job well done of the possibilities this program is providing for our clients.

Respectfully,
Michael Jaramillo, Superintendent
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