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Greetings:

As Mayor of the City of Atlanta, it gives me great pleasure to congratulate the Campus Community Partnership Foundation as you host the 6th Annual *Mentor Walk Day*, an initiative designed to encourage student graduation and college attendance.

An education is a gateway through which we can discover our purpose in the world. The awareness garnered from education and learning inspires us all to live a life of service. For these reasons, your collective efforts have broad and infinite reach.

Mentor Walk Day symbolizes your organization's commitment to our younger generation. I applaud you for reaching back and assisting our students through the invaluable experience of mentorship, exposure to hands on learning modules for high school and middle school students and promoting literacy through reading and providing books for children.

Students will gain from the "near peer" experience and receive the encouragement they need to stay in school, pursue a higher education and go on to make a difference in their communities.

I recognize your efforts to motivate our youth and encourage them to aspire for excellence.

On behalf of the City of Atlanta, I wish you a most memorable event.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kasim Reed".

Mayor Kasim Reed