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December 3, 2019

Secretary Michael R. Pompeo  
U.S. Department of State  
2201 C Street NW  
Washington DC 20520

Dear Secretary Pompeo:

This letter is in reference to Executive Order 13888, "*On Enhancing State and Local Involvement in Resettlement.*"

As Chairman of the Franklin County Board of Commissioners, I consent to initial refugee resettlement in Franklin County as per the terms of the Executive Order.

Sincerely,

Robert E. Koch, Chairman  
Franklin County Board of Commissioners

cc: Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary Carol T. O'Connell  
Bureau of Population, Refugees, and Migration  
U.S. Department of State  
Sarah Peterson, Washington State Refugee Coordinator