

Subject: Letter of Recommendation for Mykesha Robinson, CS2 Program

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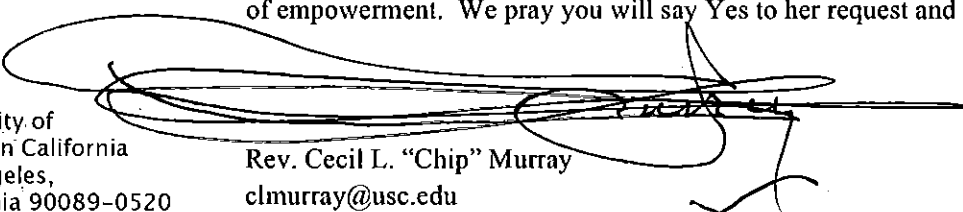
Thank you, dear committee, for allowing this brief witness to the merits of Mykesha A. Robinson for the President's Strong Cities, Strong Communities CS2 Initiative. One of our programs here at the University of Southern California, Passing the Mantle, was one where we took 35 up and coming pastors/lay and worked with them in civic initiatives, empowering the powerless, lifting the fallen. Each undertook a project, working for a year in indoctrination and uplift, receiving at completion of requirements a USC certificate of completion, and then being monitored for the following year in growth. Mykesha was startling in her maturity, her discipline, her dedication.

Our School in Policy and Development has monitors who are greatly impressed as we are, as Mykesha continues to display eagerness and involvement with the Los Angeles community and with the African American churches.

She currently participates in our Business Incubator program, in which she has founded the first Los Angeles County Community Development Corporation, and is working alongside the 52nd Assembly District to legislate her USC Passing the Mantle project: Legislation of the California Office of Faith Based and Neighborhood Partnerships.

She has worked diligently alongside dignitaries, elected officials, and has introduced the Cecil Murray Center to the U S Department of State Regional Director and the Kenyan consulates office in hopes of international engagement opportunities. She exhibits the integrity and work ethic and commitment of a community developer. Beyond a doubt, she is sent to us as a charioteer of the future of empowerment. We pray you will say Yes to her request and ours.

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