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Central Florida Veterans Memorial Park Foundation, Inc. P.O. Box 4303 Winter Park, FL 32793-4303

Dear Mr. Pierce:

As a Member of Congress, I am filled with pleasure to express my full support to the Central Florida Veterans Memorial Park at Lake Nona. I have worked tirelessly for many years to obtain funding to bring a VA medical center to the Orlando area that will better serve veterans of the Central Florida area. This new world-class park, located adjacent to the new medical center, will be a convenient site for all Veterans and their families to pay tribute to those who have served our country.

The park will be an important addition to the Orlando area medical city and Central Florida due to its design. It will have the capability to honor approximately 1,100 Veterans who made the ultimate sacrifice; their names will be engraved in granite monuments. It will ultimately honor those who left their families in Orange, Lake, Brevard, Osceola, Seminole, and Volusia to protect our liberty and unfortunately never returned home.

The Veterans Memorial Park will be a place for families and friends to come together in a tranquil atmosphere to cope effectively with their pain, to heal, pray and honor their loved ones. It also gives the opportunity to all of Central Florida to pay tribute and honor to those who served our country and who have fallen fighting for our rights.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely,

Corrine Brown

Member of Congress