

## Sample Support Letter

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September 24, 2014

Mr. John R. Cooper, Director  
Alabama Department of Transportation  
P.O. Box 303050  
Montgomery, Alabama 36130-3050

RE: Interstate 10 (I-10) Mobile River Bridge / Bay Way Widening Project

Dear Mr. Cooper:

On behalf of *Company Name*, we are writing to express our support for the proposed I-10 Mobile River Bridge project. As South Alabama wrestles with ever increasing traffic congestion along the Interstate 10 corridor, this major bottleneck continues to threaten public safety, as well as the vitality of our local and regional economy.

While many years have been spent assessing the need for the I-10 transportation enhancement, it is vitally important that we continue working in pursuit of this needed infrastructure improvement. Interstate 10 serves the southern tier of the United States by providing the main east-west link in the Interstate Highway System. Viewed by many as a regional asset, we must solve the serious economic, environmental and transportation problems caused by the overwhelmed I-10 Bridge.

***ADD A PERSONAL STATEMENT/STORY HERE EXPLAINING WHY THE  
CONSTRUCTION OF THE BRIDGE IS IMPORTANT TO YOUR ORGANIZATION.***

There are few decisions more critical to the region's future than those related to planning and funding for the I-10 Mobile River Bridge. Therefore, it is our desire to join you and other regional partners in support of this important transportation project.

Sincerely yours,

Your Name  
Company Title

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