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February 14, 2018

Mr. Paul Hawke, Chief
American Battlefield Protection Program
National Park Service
1849 C Street, NW, Room 7228
Washington, DC 20240

Dear Mr. Hawke:

The City of Franklin has been asked by the Civil War Preservation Trust, doing business as the Civil War Trust (the "Trust") on the behalf of Franklin's Charge, LLC to act as the government sponsor for a grant application to the American Battlefield Protection Program (ABPP). I have agreed that the City will serve as the government sponsor for the application for the following project:

ABPP grant of \$637,500.00 for the fee acquisition of a 0.72-acre tract known as the Spivey Tract at the Franklin Battlefield in Williamson County, Tennessee.

The role of this agency would be the same as in other pass-through grants. All required acquisition and financial documentation will be provided by the Trust to the ABPP for review and approval. The City will be notified in writing by ABPP that all grant requirements have been met and that funds would be transferred to the City. The City would then transfer the grant funds in accordance with the ASAP system. The City will not be providing any funds toward the battlefield acquisition.

We thank the ABPP for your work preserving this nation's Civil War battlefields.

Sincerely,

Dr. Ken Moore
Mayor of Franklin

cc: Brigid Leavy, Civil War Trust