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To Whom It May Concern,

It is my pleasure to write this letter in support of the Lower East Side (LES) Young Historians program.

Since its inception in 2015, the LES Young Historians has dedicated its efforts to provide an opportunity for students to learn about their local history in order to preserve and protect and inform their way of life. Throughout the COVID-19 crisis, this program has provided invaluable services towards the protection of our community and our most vulnerable constituents.

LES Youth Historians has gone above and beyond their mission by supporting youths and families impacted by COVID-19. The pandemic has placed our community members at risk of food insecurity and the program served a significant role to provide grab-and-go school food for residents of the Lower East Side. At a time of such incredible uncertainty and insecurity, the LES Young Historians program has established its role as an important pillar in the community. I am grateful to the organization and appreciate its unwavering dedication to giving back to our community.

I commend the program for its exceptional contributions to our community and I am pleased to provide my support for the LES Young Historians program. Thank you for your consideration on this matter.

Sincerely,

Yuh-Line Niou
New York State Assemblymember, District 65