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House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-4706

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Dear Mr. Fersh,

As we near the end of 2019, we wanted to take this opportunity to express our deep appreciation for the work of Convergence and your partners to help Bipartisan Working Group (BPWG) members engage in respectful, productive, and meaningful dialogues around important issues facing our country.

Thanks to the work of Convergence, BPWG has been able to position itself for success and function in a way that allows our members to effectively uphold the mission of our group—solving challenges that are simply too big for partisan distractions. We sincerely appreciate the opportunities that Convergence has provided to discuss and share their expertise on salient and pressing policy matters. We are especially appreciative of the Spring retreat Convergence organized and facilitated, which allowed members a unique opportunity to engage in a thoughtful and collaborative discussion on important topics for both sides of the aisle.

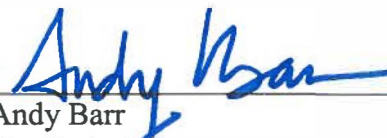
As we enter the New Year, we are eager to continue this productive partnership and draw on the expertise and unique skillsets that Convergence is able to provide. We are grateful for your partnership and we are proud to continue this collaborative effort to build bipartisan cooperation on Capitol Hill.

We look forward to working with you and thank you for your continued partnership.

Sincerely,



Derek Kilmer
Co-Chair, Bipartisan Working Group
Member of Congress



Andy Barr
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