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**From:** Heartwell, George [gheartwe@ci.grand-rapids.mi.us]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 28, 2009 7:13 AM  
**To:** heritage@heritagehillweb.org  
**Cc:** jtalen@aol.com; pvarga@ridetherapid.org; donald.lawless [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Heritage Hill Association thanks

Dear Jan,

The efforts in the last few days before the ITP meeting are truly an illustration of democracy in action. The outcome was positive thanks to a willingness of all parties to seek a balanced solution. For your part in the negotiations I thank you.

George

-----Original Message-----

From: Heritage Hill [mailto:heritage@heritagehillweb.org]  
Sent: Thursday, April 23, 2009 1:47 PM  
To: Heartwell, George  
Cc: jtalen@aol.com; pvarga@ridetherapid.org; donald.lawless [REDACTED]  
Subject: Heritage Hill Association thanks

Dear George, Peter and Don, Thank you very much for getting us to this point. All your work and words are very much appreciated! Yesterday's meeting was very informative on the needed process and I beleive puts us all on the same page. The Association looks forward to a positive and a cooperative working relationship to address our neighborhood's concerns. We will also start the same conversation with GVSU and just maybe, hopefully can come to a consensus with the University. We hope we can all be celebrating together on May 5 with the passage of the millage. I have already informed the Friends of Transit to add the Heritage Hill Association to the growing list of supporters. Please keep us informed of any needs and we will do the same. Thanks again - Jan Earl