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Dear Sir:

Very rarely in history has one man been in a position to vastly alter humanity or the planet. Like it or not, you sir are in that position! The decision you make to review this material may prevent 3 billion persons from suffering horribly and dying. Your decision here to read further may save mankind, our technology and the very planet we stand on.

This is not a request for a grant. I am well aware that you do not respond to unsolicited contacts. But this is an unusual emergency project in response to an unusual emergency world crisis, that being the damage to the planet and death of half of its inhabitants. There is no time to abide by rules. What is needed is a hero for the planet now.

The major writers who have studied the global crisis problems of global warming, probable economic collapse in this country and the world, environmental problems, post peak oil, pension problems, etc. all come to the same conclusion. We must convert to local economies in order for mankind to survive. Their shortfall is that they cannot describe such a system or how to convert to it without causing a total economic meltdown in the process. They all hit a dead-end wall.

The Co-Op Village Foundation has spent five years resolving this problem. We have the Holy Grail that the major economists are seeking - there is no other option out there. We are the only ones to advance a doable solution. It is documented and ready to be implemented now. We wish to give this to mankind for free. There is no money to be made here by us. There are no salaries here. This is truly a free solution for humanity.

We are seeking a \$10 Million construction loan collateralized by a \$50 Million asset to be repaid within 5 years at a high interest rate. This will enable us to build the first Village so that private investors will be able to see it and be enticed to finance 30,000 other Villages in this country. This is our only viable option to turn our culture into a sustainable one. The risk to your foundation is negligible, especially in comparison to the gain to the planet - that being survival of an unprecedented crisis!

Sincerely,

Jim Costa, Chairman