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State Health Commissioner

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Irene Hall, PhD, MPH
Acting Director, Division of HIV/AIDS Prevention
National Center for HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis, STD, and TB Prevention
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

Re: Concurrence with the Marion County Ending the HIV Epidemic (EHE) Plan

Dear Dr. Hall:

Creating this plan was a collaborative effort between the Indiana Department of Health and Marion County Public Health Department with multiple staff at each agency supporting the planning process. Invaluable process management and data collection support was provided by The Health Foundation of Greater Indianapolis and Johnson, Grossnickle & Associates.

On behalf of the Marion County Public Health Department, I am pleased to add my concurrence with the Marion County EHE Plan and whole-heartedly endorse the submission of this EHE Plan to the CDC and to other Federal agencies.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Kristina M. Box MD FACOG'.

Kristina M. Box, MD, FACOG
State Health Commissioner

cc: Virginia A. Caine, MD
Director, Marion County Public Health Department

To **promote**, **protect**, and **improve** the health and safety of all Hoosiers.