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Gale A. Brewer, Borough President

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To Whom It May Concern:

I write to support the PUMP initiative which assists young people in Harlem with SAT and specialized High School Admissions Test (SHSAT) preparatory programs. Currently, PUMP staff is committed to a free virtual learning program that is designed to provide families with private 1-on-1 support. PUMP works with volunteers from colleges and industry, and they train them to be tutors on the academics as well as mentors on life skills.

Before the covid-19, I had the pleasure meeting some of the PUMP staff, and I saw how well they work with the students. I hope that you will consider the PUMP Initiative for funding. There is a great need for this program in Harlem.

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