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Ms. Kairong Tian 2342 Johnnycake Ridge Wildwood, MO 63011

Dear Ms. Tian,

Thank you for the kind invitation to attend today's rally welcoming the "Ride 2 Freedom" riders to the City of O'Fallon.

I am pleased to have the opportunity to commend these 30 young bicyclists of "Ride 2 Freedom" who have embarked on a 3000 mile journey across our great nation to promote awareness of the spiritual and religious persecution affecting millions of Chinese citizens who practice Falun Gong. I commend each of these riders for their sincere and dedicated efforts, particularly on behalf of the Chinese children who are affected by this persecution. The riders are truly a voice for the voiceless.

While I am unable to attend, I am grateful to you for sharing with the "Ride 2 Freedom" riders my congratulations for the awareness they have raised on this important issue so far on their journey, and my best wishes for their continued travels.

Sincerely,

Member of Congress