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Vision Together 2025
416 Main Street, Suite 201
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Dear Vision Together 2025 Board Members,

I appreciate the offer to meet with a handful of board members and fellow legislators to tour JWF Industries and have a discussion about Vision 2025. I have toured JWF in the past and I'm sure it is even more impressive now than it was then.

However, as I've stated previously, I will not be attending any Vision 2025 gatherings unless and until they are open to the public, a constituency I view as the key component of any "community-driven" decisions.

In light of recent concerns raised by Johnstown school officials about accommodating a possible influx of new students, I feel it would be more appropriate to tour Greater Johnstown Senior High School with the entire board of Vision 2025. This would allow teachers and school administrators to voice their concerns and would enable all of us to see firsthand what is happening inside the school. After the tour, we could hold a public meeting to discuss what we have learned and listen to feedback or concerns from residents of the district. Education is the building block of creating a strong local economy and, as such, should be one of Vision Together 2025's top priorities.

My office will be reaching out to coordinate a date and time that works for every board member. I look forward to seeing everyone then.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Frank Burns".

Frank Burns
State Representative
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