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First Home Alliance and SunTrust has partnered over the past seven years providing financial literacy and first-time home education in Northern Virginia and Washington DC, National Capital Area. Muriel Garr, Vice President and Regional Community Development Manager at SunTrust Bank has partnered with Larry Laws, Executive at First Home Alliance on various projects. Sun Trust has been instrumental in supporting First Home Alliance with community outreach and delivering critical financial education to the low-to-moderate income community. In 2014, SunTrust, VP, Muriel Guar worked hand-in hand with First Home Alliance to collaborate and organization local and regional financial institutions, nonprofits, faith-based and community organizations to conduct Prince William County's first ever Financial Empowerment Symposium. This even was amazing and well attended. There were great reviews form attendees who were empowered with the financial knowledge they received. With the magnificent support of SunTrust, First Home Alliance served over 916 households in FY2018. We could not have made the impact we did in our community, without supporting partners like SunTrust and their community development team.

For questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at 703-732-2222 or Laws@FirstHomeAlliance.org

Best Regards,

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