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Donald Trump, President  
The White House  
1600 Pennsylvania Ave  
Washington DC 20500

Dear President Trump;

I am reaching out to you today because the future of many Ohio working families is in jeopardy. While I represent the hard working men and women at the General Motors Lordstown Complex, many other working people will be impacted if we cease to exist. We work hard every day in order to produce one of the highest quality automobiles General Motors builds, the Chevy Cruze.

Unfortunately, two-thirds of our workforce has been laid off. The main reason is attributed to a shift in market demand. According to the Center for Automotive Research (CAR), SUVs, trucks, and CUVs have grown to two-thirds of the market. CUVs alone have grown from 5.7% in 2000 to 37.8% in 2017. CAR also states that the auto industry has contributed 3 to 3.5% to the overall GDP and is one of the most important industries in the US. This would make sense as one in every 22 US jobs are directly related to the auto industry.

You campaigned on the promise to keep Americans working, yet on June 22, 2018, GM announced they would build the new Chevy Blazer in Mexico. Ironically this was also the very last day our second shift, another 1200 workers, were laid off. The fact that many of our members here in Ohio voted for you, and for you to remain silent on this issue is disturbing. What's more, GM recently received huge tax breaks through the new tax policy. The cut in the corporate tax rate will save General Motors billions of dollars.

Our members do make a living wage which help support not only their families, but our communities, our state, and our nation. We would like to continue to work building quality products in Ohio. This is why I am respectfully asking that you make a request to General Motors to reinvest their tax savings in the Lordstown Complex. If you sell it here, you need to build it here. This is how we can keep America working.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'David B. Green'.

David B Green, President  
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