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To whom it may concern,
I am writing this letter to show support of farming operations and development on Gogo Station.

As Employment Coordinator for Marra Worra Worra Aboriginal Corporation, I see the development of farming operations as a necessary way to create more employment opportunities for our growing caseload of participants on the Remote Jobs Community Program (RJCP). Our caseload represents approximately 600 potential job seekers in the Fitzroy Valley with limited employment opportunities available on country.

People that reside on Bayulu, 8 Mile, Karnparmi, Gillarong, Muludja, Ngalingkadji communities would be well placed to capitalise on a farming endeavour by Gogo Station as well as the several town based communities. These communities represent hundreds of indigenous people looking for local opportunities into the workforce and a way off the welfare programs.

As a past manager of the Community Development Employment Program and by being employed by the current RJCP I have seen years of training of indigenous participants in Horticulture and Rural Operations certificates with no real employment outcomes available. There are qualified people who are ready for the opportunity to work in an agriculture industry right now.

Marra Worra Worra Aboriginal Corporation is also aware and appreciative of Gogo Stations continued commitment to the local indigenous population and their considerable investment in feasibility of farming operation in the Fitzroy Valley.

Marra Worra Worra Aboriginal Corporation Fully support Gogo stations development of farming operations in the Fitzroy Valley.

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