



YMCA OF GREATER SPRINGFIELD
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Dear Cosby Media Productions,

It is indeed a pleasure to write a Letter of Endorsement for Mr. Keshawn Dodds, author, volunteer and community partner for the YMCA of Greater Springfield Association.

Mr. Dodds displays commitment, determination and integrity as a member of the community. Keshawn exemplifies leadership, time management, and cohesion amongst the community, members and volunteers. He works diligently to promote community awareness, as to the programs, education initiatives and special events of community-based organizations and businesses across the region.

On behalf of the YMCA of Greater Springfield and, in my capacity as the as the President & CEO, I am endorsing Keshawn Dodds as author and with his Menzuo S.W. (Solar Warrior's) series. I am in full support of the mission of the book series and I also congratulate Mr. Dodds with his efforts of strengthening education for our youth with his books. I look forward to seeing the growth of Keshawn as an author and also what the future holds for the book series.

Once again, it is with great pleasure I support and endorse Keshawn Dodds and his book series. I can say with confidence that Mr. Dodds is an asset to our community in several capacities. Should you have a need to speak with me concerning my experiences with Keshawn, please don't hesitate to contact my Executive Assistant, Caitlin Maloney at cmaloney@springfieldy.org.

Sincerely,

Kirk Ray Smith, MS
President & CEO