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REMARKS for FREEDOM NATIONAL BANK

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WHAT JACKIE ROBINSON IS DOING IS CRITICALLY IMPORTANT
IN SAVING OUR CITIES. HE AND HIS ASSOCIATES AT THE FREEDOM
NATIONAL BANK ARE TOTALLY DEDICATED TO GIVING MINORITY
MEMBERS THE CHANCE TO SUCCEED WITHIN THE SYSTEM.

PARTICIPATION--SELF-HELP--ECONOMIC POWER--THESE ARE
ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS IN ANY PROCESS OF BRINGING NEW ECONOMIC
VITALITY TO INNER CITY NEIGHBORHOODS.

I HAVE PROPOSED A NATIONAL URBAN DEVELOPMENT BANK--
TO HELP FINANCE HIGH RISK PROJECTS--TO GUARANTEE LOANS
FROM PRIVATE SOURCES--SUCH AS THE FREEDOM NATIONAL BANK--

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TO HELP FINANCE NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT CORPORATIONS.

THIS IS THE KIND OF PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP THAT
MAKES SENSE--AND THAT CAN MEAN A NEW AMERICA FOR US ALL.
WE CAN DO IT.



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