February 18, 2024

The Honorable (First Name) (Last Name) Address City, State (Zip Code)

RE: Support Bill Number 0689 Revising insurance unfair trade practices relating to designation of specific automobile body repair business.

Dear (Representative/Senator/Congressman or Congresswoman) (Last Name):

My name is **(your first and last name)** and I own **XYZ.** I reside in your **district/am a resident in XYZ** and have been made aware that there is interest in drafting legislation that prohibits an insurer from disregarding or requesting an automobile body repair business to disregard certain instructions from the Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM).

I strongly support this bill and would encourage you to vote to pass this bill. As an owner of a collision repair facility my first priority is safely and properly repairing a vehicle. Today's vehicles are immensely complicated and now more than ever it is imperative that vehicles are repaired based on the Original Equipment Manufacturer's repair procedures.

I appreciate your help and ask that you please send me a response letting me know if you are able to support this bill and any future House Bill that directly affects Montana vehicle owners' safety.

Sincerely,

YOUR NAME