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Imam Johari Abdul-Malik
Dar Al-Hijrah Islamic Center
3159 Row Street
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Dear Imam Johari:

I am pleased to send my heartfelt congratulations to the Dar Al-Hijra Islamic Center as you celebrate 30 years of inspiring service and faith in Northern Virginia. As a regular visitor to Dar Al-Hijra, I am always grateful for the welcoming embrace that is the hallmark of your community.

The severe economic downturn we have suffered in recent years might have been worse for the many members of your community, as well as the wider society, had Dar Al-Hijra not been there to serve those who needed your help. I know that as people of faith you will continue to be advocates for the rights of ordinary people near and far, and I urge you to continue your engagement of my office.

You have been a substantial contributor to social harmony, interfaith understanding and peace in Northern Virginia. I know you will continue to do so for another generation, and beyond.

I wish you success and peace in the coming year.

Sincerely,


James P. Moran