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Dear Sirs,

I am writing to your committee in support of the Rock Island Arsenal. The Arsenal has been such an important employer in the Quad-Cities.

It has been reported that the Arsenal could now increase their employees by 4,000 without having to build.

I would ask you to reconsider the move from the Rock Island Arsenal to the Arsenal in Michigan. Instead of taking employees away, to simply increase work at the Arsenal.

Thank you for your time.

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