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ATTN: HPF Nomination Committee
Hoover Presidential Foundation
17 W Main Street
West Branch, IA 52358

Dear HPF Nomination Committee,

I am writing to provide you with a letter of nomination for a mentor of mine, Mr. Kenneth (Ken) Anderson, to become a Hoover Presidential Foundation Trustee. Ken and I have known each other for over a decade after being introduced by a Goldman Sachs partner, the late Mr. Wade Fetzer. More importantly, I have been honored to have stayed friends with Ken over the years, including attending many University of Iowa athletic events with him.

A native Iowan himself, Ken had a fond passion for politics at a young age. While his business expertise ultimately led him to find massive success outside the political arena, Ken hasn't gone far from politics. He has been a big supporter of many conservative organizations fighting for free market capitalism and economic liberties throughout his adult life.

It goes without saying that the reason he ultimately did not get into politics himself is because his own business success has been one of legend. Over four decades ago Mr. Anderson founded Anderson Pacific Capital (APC), a Chicago-based private investment firm specializing in the media and telecommunications industry. APC determines opportunities and typically assists in developing business plans, invests its own time or capital, raises additional equity and debt from experienced sources and remains actively involved in ongoing operations and management.

In short, I would go as far as saying that not only should Mr. Anderson become a Hoover Presidential Foundation Board of Trustee as soon as possible, but if I had to, I believe in his potential to excel as a Trustee so much that I would be willing to resign my own seat for him!

Sincerely,



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