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Mr. Stuart Tom, Chair
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**Subject: Letter of Support for Nomination of Mr. Ben Pothoff
Director at Large on ICC Board of Directors**

Dear Chairman Tom and Nominating Committee,

The Region I Chapter of the International Code Council (ICC) is pleased to support the nomination of Mr. Ben Pothoff for the position of Director at Large on the ICC Board of Directors.

Through his current service as President of the Eastern Iowa Construction Code Council (EICCC) and Treasurer of the Iowa Association of Building Officials (IABO), and his track record for helping to develop future leaders in ICC, Mr. Pothoff has demonstrated his commitment and passion for advocating for ICC's mission.

The Region I Chapter wholeheartedly supports Mr. Pothoff's nomination for the position of Director at Large on the ICC Board of Directors, and requests that the Nominating Committee strongly consider nominating Mr. Pothoff for this position.

Sincerely,

James Gerren

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