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May 16, 2022

Mr. Greg Wheeler **ICC Nominating Committee Chairman** c/o Dominic Sims International Code Council Birmingham District Office 900 Montclair Road Birmingham, AL 35213

Re:

Michael Wich, CBO

ICC Board of Directors President Candidacy

Dear Mr. Wheeler,

It is with great pleasure that I write to you on behalf of Michael Wich, the Chief Building Safety and Development Officer at South Central Planning and Development Commission which enforces building code standards for five Parishes and five Towns in our region as well as the City of Baton Rouge, the Parish of East Baton Rouge, and the Town of Livingston. The purpose of this letter is to declare my full support for his candidacy and service to the International Code Council's Board of Directors.

I and South Central Planning and Development Commission have been very supportive of Michael's involvement in ICC activities and we look forward to his continued participation on the Board of Directors as President. Having worked with Michael for the last fifteen years, I can testify to his commitment to the ICC, building code development, and consistent and comprehensive enforcement. I understand the significance of serving on the ICC Board of Directors and I consider it an honor to provide this endorsement of his participation.

Sincerely

Kevin Belanger, CEO

South Central Planning and Development Commission