



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing to offer my strongest endorsement for the re-election of Jack Applegate. I have had the privilege of knowing Jack for over thirty years, and throughout our long-standing relationship, we have worked together on multiple business ventures. I have seen firsthand his dedication, leadership, and ability to consistently deliver exceptional results. I have the utmost confidence in his ability to continue serving the community and organization in the impactful way he has done so in the past.

Jack is a highly skilled building industry expert, with over 37 years of experience in construction inspections, building code compliance, fire marshal services, and engineering. He is currently serving as the President of the Board of Directors at Mortier Engineering PE, PC, and is also the Chief Executive Officer at Northwest Code Professionals and MAE Engineering. In these roles, Jack oversees building and construction services for more than 72 jurisdictions across the West, further demonstrating his vast expertise and leadership.

In addition to his extensive professional background, Jack has a proven track record in legislative advocacy, public safety, and education. He is a published author, a recognized expert witness, and has served on multiple committees, including the International Code Council (ICC) and various state advisory and code development committees. I have had the privilege of serving alongside him in my first term in the legislature, where his insight, experience, and dedication have been invaluable.

Jack's combination of expertise, leadership, and vision makes him an exceptional candidate for re-election. His ability to navigate complex challenges and his unwavering commitment to public safety, building code compliance, and professional development are just a few reasons why I trust his leadership and wholeheartedly recommend his re-election.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to reach out.