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To Whom It May Concern:

I have had the pleasure of knowing and working with John Lynch, AICP in both a professional capacity and as a volunteer in my hometown of the City of Peekskill since 1997.

As a civil engineer specializing in land and site development for Raymond Keyes Associates, which is now part of TRC Engineers, Inc., I worked with John during his tenure with Tim Miller Associates from 1997 to 2001 on the preparation of both the Draft and Final Environmental Impact Statements (DEIS & FEIS) for the Trump National Golf Club in Briarcliff Manor, Westchester County, NY. The collaborate efforts of both firms in addressing and resolving the complex engineering, environmental, planning and zoning issues were instrumental in getting the project approved and constructed, and John was one of the key members of the project team.

I was a member of the City of Peekskill Planning Commission from 2002 to 2009 during John's tenure as a Consultant Planner with the City, serving as both Vice Chair and Chairman. During that time, John provided planning and zoning reports to the Commission. John's analyses and report recommendations, along with his professional expertise and guidance, helped the Commission in its review and approval of dozens of major retail, commercial, affordable and market-rate housing development projects that positively impacted Peekskill during a period of unprecedented growth. John also provided guidance and recommendations to the Commission on the city's Local Waterfront Revitalization Plan (LWRP) and numerous city zoning and planning text amendments.

John has multi-faceted experience and knowledge in the fields of environmental permitting and review, municipal planning, planning for land use and development, and zoning. Furthermore, he applies that experience and knowledge in a creative, yet practical manner. I have always known his work product to be accurate, balanced, detailed, thorough and timely. I would, without reservation, recommend John to any organization and know that he would be a valuable asset.

If you wish to discuss anything further, feel free to contact me during normal business hours at (914) 592-4040 x263, or by e-mail: chanzlik@trcsolutions.com.

Sincerely,



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