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Dear Professional Educator,

I would like to recommend Hillary Stevens for a music position within your school district. I have had the pleasure of working with Hillary for the past fifteen years.

Hillary has been a middle school vocal music teacher in the East Stroudsburg School District since 2008. During her tenure, she has directed the school musical, middle school choirs, and taught general music. She also teaches an auditioned, after school choral group. This group sings at concerts, performs in the community, and has also commissioned a piece of choral music literature.

A few years ago, I had to miss a band concert due to an emergency medical procedure. In most school settings, I believe that I would've postponed the concert. However, in my current school setting, this was not the case. Hillary filled in admirably for me and took care of the "behind the scenes" details. She is a true team player willing to help a colleague or student in need. I believe that she would be a huge asset to have within your music department.

Hillary is a technology wizard, always seeking out innovative ways to integrate new technology into her classroom. As a result, students complete amazing music projects utilizing various forms of technology. In addition, she has led technology development for staff and in Fall 2021 she achieved the Instructional Technology Specialist Certificate.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact me using the information listed below.

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