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To Whom It May Concern:

It is my pleasure to recommend to you, Jerry Weichman, Ph.D. Dr. Weichman currently works as a school counseling intern for the Ocean View School District. Over the past two years Dr. Weichman has been assigned to Spring View Middle School. Through his service to the district he has distinguished himself as a highly effective therapist.

As the former Lead School Psychologist and current Coordinator of Special Education for the Ocean View School District, I have had the opportunity to work very closely with Dr. Weichman and can attest to his unique talents as a therapist. His repertoire of highly valued skills includes being a gifted counselor, reliable consultant, advocate for children, effective change agent, and consummate professional. His hard work and dedication has made him an invaluable asset to students, parents, and staff.

Over the years, Dr. Weichman has handled many difficult situations. In every situation he has proven that he is highly competent. Whether it is working directly with children, providing crisis management, utilizing behavioral interventions, or identifying at-risk students, he has always met the needs of the students that he has worked with. Dr. Weichman works extremely well with parents, connects with students, and is respected by staff.

As a therapist Dr. Weichman has had many opportunities to work with a wide variety of students. These opportunities have afforded him the chance to identify alternative means for meeting the unique needs of a diverse and challenging student population. Through these endeavors he has developed a reputation for being highly innovative in motivating underachieving students. He has demonstrated unparalleled skills in his ability to help students understand the connection between the development of their social-emotional, prevocational, and academic achievement for long-term success.

In closing, I feel strongly that Dr. Weichman is a very talented therapist. His broad experience and repertoire of skills will provide you with an accomplished therapist. He is proven to be a competent and effective counselor and consultant. It is with confidence that I recommend to you Dr. Weichman and I am certain that he will exceed your every expectation.

Sincerely,

Gregory B. Endelman  
Coordinator, Special Education