TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

It is my pleasure to recommend Trista Sutter as she pursues a position on the Board of Directors for the Vail Mountaineers Hockey Club. I have known Trista as an Avon Elementary parent and friend for the past four years and have nothing but good things to say about her.

Trista has been a very active member of the AES community and has made significant contributions in multiple areas. She was an involved and important member of the AES Principal Hiring Committee and was one of the first stakeholders I met in 2014. Since then she has taken on numerous other volunteering tasks, including: Wild West Days, EFEC, 3A Finance Accountability, AES PTA and AES Accountability, as well as solely creating an annual yearbook each year since 2014 for the entire elementary school. Additionally, Trista willingly volunteers her time to emcee, judge, and participate in local events like Evening of the Stars, Black Diamond Ball, Project Funway, Pink Vail, First Descents, and YouthPower 365 fundraisers.

Trista is never ever too busy to be involved with her children. I always see her taking them to and from school, attending sporting events, participating in various school functions, and serving whenever an additional hand is needed. She is a champion not only for her children, but for all children as well. She has been incredibly generous as a benefactor for multiple initiatives and epitomizes generosity and kindness.

Trista Sutter is the "real deal" and represents quality in her profession, as a parent, and in advocating for causes in which she is passionate about. I have no doubt that she will be an incredibly valuable asset to the VMHC and give her my highest endorsement. People like Trista make a positive difference in the lives of children and their communities.

Roy Getchell

Principal

Avon Elementary School

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