## March 26, 2020

I am writing this letter in support of Tom Corrigan as a candidate for the Vail Mountaineer Hockey Club Board of Directors.

Tom is not only a lover of the sport of hockey, but one of the most fair and level-headed individuals I know. I've known Tom for many years through hockey, as my neighbor and now my colleague at Vail Custom Builders.

As a former member of the VMHC Board, I understand what traits are necessary to benefit youth hockey in our valley. First of all, Tom is a great listener. He takes the time to hear what people have to say before jumping to a conclusion. I believe Tom will listen to hear people's concerns and bring them back to the BOD in a fair manner. Not only is Tom knowledgeable about hockey, having grown up playing in Minnesota, he also has three children who will be part of this great hockey community. Last year his daughter played for the first year and he has two sons who will be coming through the program in the near future. Tom understands how important keeping a strong program is for our valley and will work to make it grow. Finally, Tom is reliable. He follows through on his commitments. As a first year Assistant Coach last year for the Girls 12U team, Tom would come to practice even when his daughter could not make it. This level of commitment and reliability is important for our Mountaineer Board of Directors.

Please consider electing Tom Corrigan to the VMHC Board of Directors.

Thank you-

Benno Scheidegger