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To Whom It May Concern:

Over the past several years, and even prior to that, I have had the pleasure to work with Tracy Young and her staff at the Laramie Prevention Management Organization. Tracy's energy, motivation, and willingness to look at a host of pressing issues in Laramie has been critically important. About three years ago, I turned to Tracy when I perceived our community had a problem with overconsumption of alcohol. Tracy was quick to bring her resources to the table – she helped me set up community and stakeholder meetings to discuss the issue, she helped set up the Binge Think campaign, which is only now gaining traction within the community at large as well as the University of Wyoming community, and she continues to assist with the development of best practice ordinances, including the recently revamped alcohol point system ordinance.

Another huge accomplishment is her facilitation of a new local initiative called the Laramie Town/Gown Association. Tracy and I have talked about the potential this group could have on a variety of important issues locally and it has only been because of Tracy's persistence, as well as her teambuilding capabilities, that the group is finally coming to fruition.

Tracy has a passion for advocacy and it shows in everything she does. The Wyoming Prevention Management Organization is fortunate to have Tracy working for them and the Laramie Police Department is fortunate to have Tracy and the resources that the PMO bring to our community.

Respectfully,

Dale A. Stalder
Chief of Police
Laramie Police Department