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To the NCLM Nominations Committee,

It is my pleasure to offer my endorsement for the candidacy of Ann Schneider, Council Member from the Town of Oak Ridge as an At Large Member of the North Carolina League of Municipalities Board of Directors. Her early service to her community was as a member, and chair, of the Oak Ridge Historic Preservation Commission from 2012 to 2017. This led her to successfully seek a seat on the Oak Ridge Town Council in 2017.

Re-elected in 2021, Ann was selected by her fellow council members to serve as the Mayor of Oak Ridge from 2019 to 2023. During her term as Mayor, Ann immediately became active in the North Carolina Mayors Association.

I met Ann after she received a Presidential Appointment to the League Board of Directors this year. In our numerous conversations she has impressed me as someone deeply invested in the success of her town. More than that she is a person who enjoys sharing ideas with other elected officials and learning from those conversations. As board member this year she has not just attended, she has been an active participant, willing to offer her opinions on the important issues that arose.

Ann would be a fantastic At Large Member of the NCLM Board of Directors.

Best regards,

Dwight Lake, Mayor Town of Mayodan