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Dear Members of the Nominating Committee,

I am honored to offer my full support for the nomination of Mayor Dwight Lake to serve as the 2nd Vice President of the North Carolina League of Municipalities. Dwight's extensive experience, proven leadership, and unwavering commitment to public service make him an exceptional candidate for this position.

Dwight's municipal service spans over two decades, including his time on the Mayodan Zoning Board (1997–1999), the Mayodan Town Council (1999–2007 and 2021–2024), and his multiple terms as Mayor of Mayodan (2007–2011 and 2024–present). Throughout these roles, Dwight has demonstrated a deep understanding of municipal governance, a collaborative approach to problem-solving, and a passion for ensuring that the voices of his community are heard and represented.

His contributions to the NCLM have been equally impressive. Dwight has served in numerous capacities, including as Co-Chair of the Legislative Action Committee, a member of the Board of Directors (District 9 and as a Presidential Appointee), and most recently as an At-Large member of the Board of Directors. His ongoing work on the Legislative Policy Committee reflects his dedication to advocating for policies that strengthen and empower North Carolina's municipalities.

Beyond his municipal and NCLM service, Dwight's leadership extends to the Piedmont Triad Council of Governments, where he currently serves on the Executive Committee as Secretary, as well as the Mebane Historical Museum and the Rockingham County Economic Development Partnership. His ability to balance local priorities with a broader regional and statewide perspective makes him uniquely suited for this leadership role.

Dwight's commitment to community service, paired with his deep knowledge of municipal issues and strong relationships across the state, position him as a valuable asset to the NCLM leadership team. I am confident that, as 2nd Vice President, Dwight will continue to advocate effectively for North Carolina's municipalities and bring thoughtful, forward-thinking leadership to the League.

Thank you for considering Dwight Lake for this important position. If you require any further information or have questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Brittany H Barnhardt  
Mayor of Granite Quarry

**Mission Statement**

Optimizing quality of life for our community by delivering exemplary municipal services and embracing quality growth consistent with our unique sense of place and granite character.