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Board of Commissioners
Lower Macungie Township
C/o Bruce Fosselman, Township Manager
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Macungie, Pennsylvania 18062

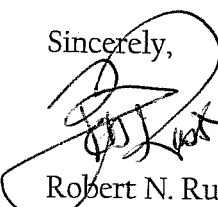
RE: Robert Horvath, retiring Chairman of the LMT Zoning Hearing Board

Gentlemen of the Board:

In my capacity as an ordinary citizen of Lower Macungie Township, who has had the extraordinary privilege of serving on the Zoning Hearing Board with Bob Horvath, it is with great pleasure that I write to you to offer my highest commendations and thanks to Bob for his service to this community. You know of his long service on the Zoning Hearing Board and the leadership he has provided in hearing some of the most difficult and complex cases to be brought before the Board. Allow me to add my personal testimony to the effectiveness of his leadership as Chairman of the ZHB. Trained as an engineer and blessed with the knowledge born of years of professional experience, Bob brought a special wisdom and insight to every case that I have the privilege of hearing with him and our fellow Board members. Moreover, every party that came before the Board, whether it was a husband and wife with a simple variance request or a major developer presenting a multi faceted request for relief, was treated with civility and respect by him. And finally, I can personally attest that Bob Horvath understood the role of the Board and he made sure that it was carried out to the letter.

The citizens of Lower Macungie Township have been well served by Bob Horvath, and, I, as one of those citizens, express my deep respect for him and for his service.

Sincerely,



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