

May 30, 2009

Re: Dr. Jerrod Wheeler

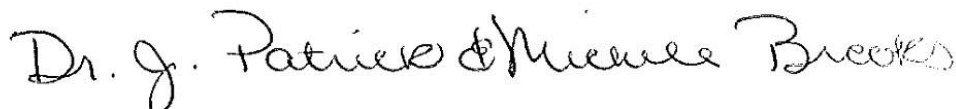
To Whom it May Concern,

We have been residents of Nixa, Missouri for four years and currently have three children at Espy Elementary School. We have spent countless hours volunteering at Espy, and have worked with many other parents and teachers in our years at the school. We recommend Dr. Wheeler with the utmost confidence.

In our time at Espy, we have had several interactions with Dr. Wheeler. Although we have not agreed with him on every instance, we fully respect his integrity and have never once believed that he has had anything but the best interest of the students and school at heart for each of his decisions. The goal of academic excellence within Nixa schools was supported and bolstered by the tireless efforts of Dr. Wheeler. He is an outstanding leader and an outstanding educator. His loss at Espy was a loss to this community. We believe that he will be a valuable asset to any program that he is a part of.

If we can be of further assistance please do not hesitate to contact us.

Thank you for your time.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Dr. J. Patrick & Michele Brooks".

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