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To Whom It May Concern:

This letter of recommendation is for the artistic works by Craig Berube-Gray.

Since 2006 our department has organized and presented the National Outdoor Sculpture Competition and Exhibition (NOSCE). Sculpture artists from across the nation are invited to participate in this unique exhibition which has been recognized in local, regional, and national publications. Up to 14 sculptures are selected by a juror for inclusion in this annual yearlong exhibit at North Charleston Riverfront Park. An estimated 50,000 people visit the park annually to enjoy the amenities and sculptures.

Two of Mr. Gray's works have been included in the NOSCE: a carved fieldstone *Rock Lobster* in 2011; and cast cement orange slices *Slices of Heaven* in 2014. The pieces are creative and evoke public engagement.



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