To Whom It May Concern:

Upon meeting I was quickly impressed with Arlesia (Hill) Crooms's enthusiasm, communication skills and professional demeanor. As I began to become more acquainted with her background and I passion an opportunity to work together on some projects emerged.

Arlesia took responsibility for hosting a "meet and greet" for the founder of The Congo Initiative, David Kasali. Her enthusiasm and willingness to arrange everything from location, food, and housing was outstanding. I whole heartily endorse her for any hospitality, management or ministry position.

Over the time we have known each other I have found Arlesia is reliable, dedicated and eternally upbeat.

On another occasion I observed her assisting at a regional conference, The Justice Conference of Charlotte, which hosted more than 450 people with 50 exhibitors. Her ability to multitask, organize and serve was extraordinary.

Arlesia is hard working, responsible, and trustworthy. I have greatly enjoyed my working relationship with her and she has my highest recommendation, and I am happy to furnish more details if you would like additional information.

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