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NMSA Elections Committee  
4151 Executive Parkway, Suite 300  
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Attention: Pam Kuntz

Dear Pam,

I am writing you to support the nomination of Janet Spence for the position of South Region Trustee for the National Middle School Association's Board of Trustees. Janet is currently the chairperson of the Florida League of Middle Schools. She is a hard worker and very dedicated to the organization. She is an extraordinary woman with outstanding organizational skills.

Janet is an Administrator on Special Assignment with the Middle School Department of Hillsborough County in Florida. This is a very large school district in Florida. I have found Janet to be energetic, enthusiastic, knowledgeable and extremely engaging in her work. She is very passionate about middle level education and middle school children.

To conclude, I would like to restate my strong recommendation for Janet Spence. She would be an asset to your organization and would represent the south well in this capacity. I hope you will give her the consideration that she justly deserves. If you have further questions regarding Janet's ability or this recommendation, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kathy".

Kathy Shewey  
Supervisor to Staff Development

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