Muskegon Community College

Dale K. Nesbary, Ph.D., President

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SUBJECT: Letter of Recommendation: Capitol Group Consultants, LLC

To Whom It May Concern:

For the past 10+ years, William (Bill) Lievense of Capitol Group Consultants, LLC has served as legislative/regulatory counsel to the Office of the President and Board of Trustees of Muskegon Community College (MCC).

Bill has done an outstanding job of keeping the college and its senior management team apprised of legislative and regulatory initiatives impacting our state budget appropriation, curriculum and day-to-day operations---particularly during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Additionally, over the past few years, Bill worked with MCC to secure over \$14.3 million in capital outlay projects and equipment to upgrade our facilities and program offerings in key areas of student and community need.

Bill has always conducted himself with the highest level of professionalism and ethics. This has in turn reflected favorably upon our institution and resulted in positive relationships and outcomes with state policymakers.

If you are looking for professional government affairs representation in Michigan, I would very highly recommend Bill Lievense at Capitol Group Consultants, LLC.

Sincerely,

Dale K. Nesbary, Ph.D.

President