Application Verified Iteration Name: 202610\_GR\_G Application: Grad Program Applying To: MES Program Name: MES Recommendation Information Recommended By: Jackie Gray Recommenders Title: Access Services Manager Recommenders Institution: O'Grady Librar Veronica Gudino Sandoval Contact Name: I choose to waive my right to Recommendation Waiver Waive Access to review this recommendation. Recommendation Ltrs: Choice: Recommendation Form Recommendation Status: Received Submitted: Received Date: Recommender Assessment: I recommend this applicant 03/07/2025 12:10 PM without reservation. Recommendation Type: General Recommender Form: Letter of Recommendation Recommendation Entity ID: 1024000121888647 Josephine Bernier Recommendation Owner: Recommender Form Questions How long have you known Applicant ability as applicant: self-directed learner: Time since last contact with Applicant as productive applicant: member of group: Relationship with Applicant: Applicant most significant strengths: Ability to complete rigourous Responsibility/reliability: grad program: Communication Skills - Oral: Communication skills written: Service Ability to work independently: Orientation-sensitivity/empathy: Ability to handle stress: Ability to think critically: Ability to analyze/problem Ability to think creatively: solve: Openness to feedback: Potential for leadership: Personal/professional Ability to work in a team: reflection: **Description Information** Description: Form URL: https://evergreenstatecollege.radius Other Information

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To whom it may concern,

My name is Jackie Gray, and I am the Access Services Manager in the O'Grady Library at Saint Martin's University. I have had the pleasure of being Veronica Sandoval's supervisor for the last two years. I am writing to provide my enthusiastic support for Veronica's pursuit to enter your Master of Environmental Studies Program at The Evergreen State College.

During our time working together, I have witnessed Veronica's sharp critical reasoning skills while working with various patrons at our circulation and reference desks. She has displayed a depth of knowledge in our library management system and databases. When a patron has needed resources for a project, Veronica has been able to use her skillset to find the best materials for their needs. She is a proactive communicator and provides our patrons connections to subject librarians for advanced research sessions.

As her supervisor, I have seen Veronica's passion and dedication to her studies during her downtime at the circulation desk. During her quiet shifts, you can find her discussing research ideas with colleagues, exploring various research techniques or talking excitedly about lab projects.

Veronica Sandoval would make an incredible addition to your program. She's reliable, dedicated, and passionate about environmental studies, particularly when it comes the ecosystems of various waterways. She's spent the last couple summers either interning at the Hood Canal River and estuary systems or working with the Washington Conservation Corps. Veronica has my respect and highest recommendation. I have no doubt that she will prove as much an asset to the Master's of Environmental Studies Program as she has been in our community.

Sincerely,

Jackie Gray

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