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Representative Michael Karickhoff
2504 Greentree Lane
Kokomo, IN 46902

Dear Representative Karickhoff,

On behalf of the Indiana Chamber of Commerce's non-partisan political action program, Indiana Business for Responsive Government (IBRG), I am very pleased to write and extend our organization's endorsement of your re-election.

Through your leadership and voting record in support of a pro-jobs, pro-economy agenda, Indiana has turned the corner and become a national leader on so many issues and measurements of economic success. For instance, Indiana is now rated the fifth best state in the nation and first in the Midwest to create, grow or locate a job-creating business. This didn't happen by accident.

Your strong support for economic and free enterprise issues has really made a difference and that's something you should be very proud of. There are big challenges and issues remaining and emerging for our state. We need your proven leadership to keep Indiana on track to success.

The endorsement decision was made by the volunteer leaders of the Indiana Chamber's non-partisan political action program after a review of your voting record on key issues, as reported in the *Legislative Vote Analysis* and tied to the Indiana Chamber's long-term *Indiana Vision 2025* economic development plan.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact me. Again, thank you for your support on key issues and for your work with the Indiana Chamber team. We look forward to continue working with you in the Indiana General Assembly.

Sincerely,

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P.S. Please feel free to list or otherwise use this endorsement in your re-election campaign. Contact Jeff Brantley, vice president of political affairs and PAC, at (317) 264-7544 or jbrantley@indianachamber.com for assistance with these election campaign matters.

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