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To Whom It May Concern,

I'm delighted to recommend with much enthusiasm Talia Thomas for the Medical Student Position within AMA Women Physician Section governing Council. I've had the privilege of interacting with Talia closely as a Physician Development Coach under the Department of Student Affairs at the TCU School of Medicine. She has been academically a high performer and has demonstrated leadership and service in various capacities. She has also had several noteworthy achievements that will make her an excellent candidate for this role, few of which are highlighted below.

Talia has been actively engaged in various initiatives aimed to uplift and support women. Prior to her matriculation, Talia spent much of her time working with the women's small group at Victory Family Church where they assembled "Neon," an annual event to celebrate and connect with other women in the church. She lead the worship band for this event as well as for the annual Mother's Day event in which single mothers of the church were pampered with a morning of worship while their cars were washed and their kids were cared for. These experiences have led Talia to develop a deep commitment to empowering women.

What sets Talia apart is her ability to effectively communicate and collaborate with diverse groups of individuals. She has been a key contributor to developing the Dermatology Student Interest Group as well as the Performing Arts and Music Student Interest Group at the School of Medicine, where her leadership and organizational skills were pivotal in achieving successful outcomes such as the development of a skin cancer screening clinic available for the underserved in our community and a philanthropic showcase for students within the Performing Arts student interest group.

Furthermore, Talia is known for her empathy and integrity. She exudes a warm and approachable demeanor that instantly puts others at ease. She is an active listener with a positive attitude, she is adaptable and non-judgmental.

I am confident that Talia will bring the same dedication, enthusiasm, and innovative thinking to the Women Physicians Section Governing Council. She has the potential to make meaningful contributions to the council's objectives, furthering its mission to promote gender equality and women's rights.

I wholeheartedly endorse Talia for membership in the Women Governing Council and believe that she will be an invaluable asset to your organization. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require any additional information (Cell phone 651-503-0227).

Thank you for considering Talia for this important role. I am confident that she will excel in contributing to the continued success of the Women Physicians Section Governing Council.

Sincerely,

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