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To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing this letter to enthusiastically support the efforts of Robert "Brad" Kruger in his pursuit of employment within the technology industry. I met Brad five years ago through a family connection, and over the years we have interacted on multiple occasions. He has a real passion for everything technology and has visited my home to help me trouble shoot computer/connection issues. Through our interaction and conversation over the years, I have learned his story, and grown to appreciate the quality person that he is.

Serving in the Marines straight out of high school can be no easy feat for any young man, and after he finished his 4-year commitment with the military, he worked successfully in the oil fields of Texas before moving to California to pursue his education which is where I met Brad. He attended school full-time while working part-time jobs and is now in the last year or so of completing a bachelor's degree in computer science with an emphasis in software engineering. Although Brad is now in another state we have stayed in touch.

Any company that is fortunate enough to mentor and hire this young man will not be sorry. He is a creative talented self-taught musician, and a self-starter as exhibited by his initiative to engage in a rigorous software bootcamp to enhance his skills while simultaneously attending college and working. This speaks to his ability to manage multiple projects and meet deadlines, a trait that is critical in an ever-evolving competitive technology industry. Brad is adaptable and can work successfully on his own or in a team environment. Brad is an exceptionally good communicator and does not hesitate to join a conversation and provide well thought out views on various topics. I have also always been impressed with his writing skills, but what impresses me most about Brad is the quality of his character. I have found him to be honest and integrity filled.

Please accept my recommendation of Mr. Kruger for a role in your organization. You may reach me at 575-937-1025 (cell) or 831-624-1546 ext 2050 (work) if you have any questions about Brad. Please give every consideration to this worthy individual.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Yvonne Perez".

Yvonne Perez  
Chief Business Official