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To John Kelly, Esquire:

My name is Tressa Rieser, a State of Florida licensed medical provider. I have had the privilege of knowing Mike Kesselring as a friend for eight years and am writing this letter to offer my unwavering support for Mike and to speak to the kind of person I find him to be.

It is with great shock and concern that I learned about his recent arrest, which I believe to be a misunderstanding or mistake. My friendship with Mike first began when he became the boyfriend to a dear friend of mine. We shared many experiences together during the several years Mike and my friend were a couple. In all the time I've known Mike, he has consistently demonstrated integrity and compassion for the wellbeing of others and at no time could his behavior be misconstrued as inappropriate or lascivious.

Mike is regarded by myself and my group of friends as someone who contributes positively and brings value to those who are fortunate to know him. It's difficult for me to reconcile the charges brought against Mike that are so foreign to the character of the person I've come to admire and respect.

I respectfully ask that you take this letter into consideration as you review the facts of this case. I am confident that once the truth comes to light, Mike will be fully exonerated.

Thank you for your time and attention to this letter. Please feel free to contact me if you require any further information.

Sincerely,
Tressa Rieser, LPTA

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