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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,

Mr. Mark Saiki has informed me that he is seeking a teaching position. I first came to know Mr. Saiki during his student teaching assignment at Aurora Central High School. Mr. Saiki impressed me immediately with his dedication to this assignment, attending numerous meetings and performing tasks not usually associated with student teaching. His degree of preparation and organization were conspicuous prior to the beginning of the school year.

Although I was not Mr. Saiki's cooperating teacher, I had occasion to share lesson preparation ideas with him on a regular basis. His research methodology is sound, and he demonstrates complete understanding of historical education. After sharing some ideas with Mr. Saiki, I invited him to design and teach a lesson to one of my classes. His lesson was imaginative and effective.

Since that time, I have consistently used Mr. Saiki as my substitute when needed. Mr. Saiki has successfully taught classes at all levels, including honors and special education students. I can count on him to deliver intelligent historical instruction during my periods of absence. He always provides a very complete synopsis of his instruction following his assignments. I know exactly what my students have learned during these times.

Please consider Mr. Mark Saiki for employment at your school.

Sincerely,



Christian Killoran
Social Sciences Instructor