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August 5, 2024

Michael Wich, Chairman
ICC Nominating Committee
International Code Council
900 Montclair Road
Birmingham, AL 35213

Re: Letter of Support – Sean Toomey

Dear Chairman Wich,
On behalf of the nearly 350,000 members of the International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF), I write with great pleasure to support the nomination of Fire Marshal Sean Toomey to the International Code Council's (ICC) Board of Directors.

IAFF members respond every day to emergencies in the built environment. Our nation's built environment is our fire fighters' work environment, determined by the building and fire codes developed and published by the International Code Council. If fire fighters want to make our job safer, it is critical that we are part of these development processes.

Throughout his distinguished career, Marshal Toomey has demonstrated a focused goal of protecting the safety of his home state of New Hampshire. He has also demonstrated his commitment to protecting the state's first responders through his tireless advocacy of fire fighter safety.

Marshal Toomey has served several years on the State of New Hampshire Building Code Review Board, New Hampshire Fire Prevention Society Board, and the New Hampshire Association of Fire Chiefs Board. Currently, Marshal Toomey serves as the Secretary/Treasurer of the National Association of State Fire Marshals. He is also a member of the Society of Fire Protection Engineers Fire Service Subcommittee, the Factory Mutual Fire Service Advisory Group, and the ICC Fire Service Membership Council Chair.

For the reasons outlined above, the IAFF strongly supports the nomination of New Hampshire Fire Marshal Sean Toomey to the ICC Board of Directors.

Sincerely,

Edward A. Kelly
General President

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cc: Jay Colbert, IAFF 3rd District Vice President
Brian Ryll, IAFF Professional Fire Fighters of New Hampshire President