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Mr. Michael P. Wich,
ICC 2024 Nominating Committee Chair
c/o Will Coffman, Esq., Counsel
International Code Council
900 Montclair Road
Birmingham, AL 35213

RE: ICC Candidate Endorsement – Shirley Ellis

Dear Mr. Wich,

Women in Code Enforcement and Development of Texas (WICED of TX) is honored to support Ms. Shirley Ellis, Building Official for the City of Gonzales, TX. Ms. Ellis is seeking reelection of her Director-at-Large office of the International Code Council Board of Directors.

Ms. Ellis is one of the founders of WICED and has supported and mentored women in code enforcement and development for decades. She has a wealth of knowledge, over 8 years on the ICC Board of Directors, and continues to demonstrate her desire to serve this community. She has been active in the code change arena for over 30 years including code change committee service, lobbying Congress and State Legislative bodies and has 20 years of experience as an ICC contract instructor and subject matter expert, delivering thousands of code related trainings across the United States, in Jamaica and China.

Ms. Ellis' outstanding leadership qualities, passion for the next generation of code professionals and code knowledge, will continue to be a true asset to the International Code Council and its stakeholders.

WICED of TX would greatly appreciate your consideration of the reelection of Ms. Ellis to the ICC Board of Directors.

Sincerely,

Kecia D Lara, President
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