

#### Application Related Information

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Application: Application Not Verified  
Grad Program Applying To: MPA

Iteration Name: 202510\_GR\_G  
Program Name: MPA

#### Recommendation Information

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Recommended By:	Christi McLane	Recommenders Title:	Mobile Outreach and Contracts Administrator
Recommenders Institution:	Department of Social and Health Services	Contact Name:	Michael Martin
Waive Access to Recommendation Ltrs:	I choose to waive my right to review this recommendation.	Recommendation Waiver Choice:	I choose to waive my right to review this recommendation.
Recommendation Form Submitted:	✓	Recommendation Status:	Received
Received Date:	01/24/2024 03:18 PM	Recommender Assessment:	I recommend this applicant.
Recommendation Type:	General	Recommender Form:	MPA Letter of Recommendation/Form
Recommendation Entity ID:	1024000112531897	Recommendation Owner:	Josephine Bernier

#### Recommender Form Questions

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How long have you known applicant:	A little over one year	Applicant ability as self-directed learner:	I believe that they have the ability to self-direct in all facets of their life. They truly do this daily in their job.
Time since last contact with applicant:	Today	Applicant as productive member of group:	They are extremely able to be part of a team. They are not afraid to bring their thoughts and feedback while also thinking big picture
Relationship with Applicant:	I am MX Martin's supervisor.	Applicant most significant strengths:	They are a quick learner. They study facts and apply rules well. I think their approach to being inclusive brings another level to learning as well
Ability to complete rigorous grad program:	Excellent	Responsibility/reliability:	Outstanding
Communication Skills - Oral:	Outstanding	Communication skills - written:	Outstanding
Service Orientation-sensitivity/empathy:	Outstanding	Ability to work independently:	Outstanding
Ability to handle stress:	Excellent	Ability to think critically:	Outstanding
Ability to analyze/problem solve:	Outstanding	Ability to think creatively:	Excellent
Openness to feedback:	Outstanding	Potential for leadership:	Excellent
Ability to work in a team:	Excellent	Personal/professional reflection:	Excellent

## Description Information

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## Other Information

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January 24, 2024

To whom it may concern:

I am writing this letter of recommendation for Michael Luke Martin to continue in the Graduate Program Masters in Public Administration. I have had the pleasure of working with Mx. Martin since December 1, 2022. In the time that we have been working together I have witnessed their incredible work to provide new deliverables for their program. They collaborate with all of the team to ensure everyone's voice is heard. I could not be happier with the output.

I believe that Mx. Martin will work hard on his studies. They are very self-directed and expect a lot of themselves. They are looking to continue to work in the human services field with public administration as their career develops. I have watched positive encounters, hard work, and flexibility every day from Luke. They are a remarkable part of our team while being just as comfortable as working alone with autonomy of their work. Their compassion and care come across in all that they do.

I recommend Luke for the Graduate Program. With their skills, abilities, and dedication, they will excel in the program. Making their future career goals come to fruition. Please feel free to reach out to me with any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Christi McLane".

Christi McLane

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