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Gregory Adam Haile, J.D., President

December 19, 2022

AACC Committee on Directors and Membership Services
c/o Dr. Angel M. Royal
1 Dupont Circle NW, Ste 700
Washington, DC 20036

Dear Dr. Royal,

It is a pleasure for me to write a letter of support for Dr. John Enamait as a candidate for one of six seats on the American Association of Community Colleges (AACC) Board of Directors. As you may know, he was recently appointed to the Board to fulfill the third year of Ms. Emily Yim's three-year term.

I have known Dr. Enamait for several years through work on various higher education organizations and initiatives such as the Belk Center Advisory Board at NC State University and Achieving the Dream. I have been impressed by his leadership and thought-provoking approach to student success.

His strong educational and leadership background at both Edgecombe Community College and Catawba Valley Community College led him to Albemarle, North Carolina. Now in his sixth year of presidency at Stanly Community College, Dr. Enamait has led the school to new heights including a 56% student graduation rate and top state and national rankings.

He has also been appointed to the SACAD Board of Directors, the Belk Center for Community College Leadership and Research Advisory Board and was in cohort four of the Aspen Presidential Fellowship program. In addition to his numerous contributions, affiliations and accolades, I would say being a North Carolina Community College graduate gives Dr. Enamait a greater insight into this realm of higher education and would serve the AACC well.

I can assure you that his contribution to the Board will prove to be an asset to the AACC and its advocacy efforts for the nation's two-year, associate degree-granting organizations.

Sincerely,

Gregory Adam Haile, J.D.
President



December 16, 2022

AACC Committee on Directors and Membership Services
c/o Dr. Angel M. Royal
1 Dupont Circle NW, Ste 700
Washington, DC 20036

Dear Dr. Royal,

I am proud to write this letter of support for Dr. John Enamait as a candidate for one of six seats on the American Association of Community Colleges (AACC) Board of Directors. John is currently completing the third year of Ms. Emily Yim's term on the Board. The fact that he was chosen to fill the third year of Ms. Yim's term speaks directly to his qualifications for the role.

I have known Dr. Enamait for several years through our work together as community college presidents in North Carolina. John and I worked very closely together for several years on our statewide association's Professional Development Committee. John spearheaded the creation of a new presidents' orientation program that was universally applauded by our 58 presidents. And you can't get all 58 of us to agree on almost anything!

John is in his sixth year as President at Stanly Community College, where he has led the school to new heights including a 56% student graduation rate and top state and national rankings. I don't know many presidents who wouldn't love to have a 56% graduation rate. In addition to leading a successful community college as president, John is himself a North Carolina Community College graduate. This gives him a level of insight most of us don't have.

If you select Dr. Enamait for your board, he will be an asset to AACC and its advocacy efforts for the nation's two-year, associate degree-granting organizations.

Respectfully,

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
Dr. Joe Schaffer

December 22, 2022

AACC Committee on Directors and Membership Services
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Washington, DC 20036

RE: Letter of Endorsement for Dr. John Enamait for AACC Board

Dear Colleague Community College President:

It is my pleasure to submit this letter of endorsement for Dr. John Enamait for the AACC Board of Directors. I have gotten to know John over the past few years working with him on Rural College initiatives and now as he completes a vacated term on the Board of Directors of AACC. I have been impressed by his leadership and thought-provoking approach to student success.

His strong educational and leadership background at both Edgcombe Community College and Catawba Valley Community College led him to his success as president of Stanly Community College. In his time at Stanly he has led the school to an impressive 56% student graduation rate and top state and national rankings. John has represented his institution, and the broader community college sector on numerous local, regional, and state boards. He is an Aspen Presidential Fellow and an advisory on community college leadership and research.

Dr. Enamait is already contributing as a Board member on the AACC Board of Directors, as he completes a vacated member's term. He has proven himself there and thus I can assure you that his contribution to the Board will continue and he will be an asset to AACC.

Sincerely,

Dr. Joe Schaffer
President