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To Whom it May Concern:

It is with both pleasure and confidence that I write this letter of recommendation for MS. JULIA LOMBARDI. As moderator of the French Club at Baldwin High School, I have worked closely with Julia in her role as the president of this club. Over the past four years, she has shown herself to be an organized, self - motivated young woman who flawlessly completes every task appointed to her.

During her sophomore year, Ms. Lombardi took over the position of French Club president and immediately began encouraging students to participate in the club. Under her guidance the first year, the club grew in number from 20 students to over 50 by the end of the year. Julia spoke to students about the club and attended several after school activity fairs to spread the word about French Club. Her passion for the French language and culture is clear, and she has carried that over into her role in the club.

Not only do her passion and drive set Julia apart in her leadership role, but her ability to accomplish tasks at the highest level is something that has truly made her a great leader. In the past, my officers have done a mediocre job of planning meetings and carrying out fundraisers. Julia, however, drives the conversation each month about what activities she thinks would be most engaging, brings several ideas and thoughts to the table, and ultimately prepares and facilitates the activities that we chose to do on a monthly basis. In addition to being extremely engaged in the preparation process, Ms. Lombardi also completes her tasks at a high level. Activities are not only planned but thought through and prepared. She often researches new ideas for the club, and is constantly looking for ways in which we can get more students involved. Julia does all of these things on her own time, driven by her own motivation to make the club the best that it can be. She is a great example to her peers.

In today's world, there are not many students who take initiative like Julia does, and I am consistently amazed at how she is able to accomplish her given tasks in a timely manner, while still balancing a busy school, social, and personal schedule. I can say with confidence that she is the strongest leader that I have had as part of my French Club organization, and her positivity and drive are infectious to those around her. This young woman is a top notch student and leader, and will be an asset to any organization to which she may apply. If you have any further questions as to her character or ability, please don't hesitate to contact me at kstreets@bwschools.net

Sincerely,

Kathryn Streets

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