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It is my pleasure to enthusiastically endorse Chris Wiegenstein for Oak Harbor City Council.

My name is Steve Jacobs, Executive Director /CEO of New Leaf inc. I had the pleasure to meet Chris in 2021 during the Leadership Whidbey course at the Skagit Valley College where we served on the same CALL team for the duration of the class and graduating from the program.

Over the past few years, I have learned of Chris's passion to help people of all walks of life. He has served on several boards in the community one of them being New Leaf's Board. I have also had the pleasure to do volunteer work with Chris at community events.

Chris's desire to make things better for those around him is contagious. He consistently displays desire to learn and educate himself on current topics. In my experience, he has always been prepared, dependable and trust-worthy.

I am confident without reserve that Chris would be an excellent fir for City Council. With his passion to help others, natural leadership skills and effective management of his own business, he is perfect for Oak Harbor City Council.

Respectfully,

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