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To Whom it May Concern:

Leisa Huyck became the interim minister at the Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Grand Traverse just three months before I took a position as Music Director. Although I have long experience as a church musician and music director, I was new to Unitarian Universalism, new to the community and the congregation.

Leisa's guidance has been invaluable to me. In fact, she's sensitively and tactfully led me through significant learning about the wide range of UU thinking and traditions, creative worship ideas and practice, and problem-solving around that issues that emerge in working with any unique community. I like working with her.

Leisa is a gifted speaker, which comes from being an equally gifted writer, researcher and thinker. She knows when to inform, when to encourage, and when to prod. She's worked hard to revive and re-shape her current congregation. I believe she has a great deal to offer any congregation: provocative ideas, strong leadership and a commitment to transformative worship.

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