

Date: January 6th, 2025

Chief Justice
Montana Supreme Court
215 Sanders St.
Helena, MT 59601

Re: Letter of Support for Julia Nordlund for Associate Water Court Judge

Dear Chief Justice:

My name is Matthew Norberg, and I write in support of Julia Nordlund for the position of Associate Water Judge within the Montana Water Court.

I have worked with Julia for over a decade in various capacities, most notably during Water Commissioner trainings. These trainings are put on every year across the state of Montana. Julia is a key presenter at these trainings. She describes how the Montana Water Court is involved with Commissioner duties and provides the context needed for new (and seasoned) Commissioners to successfully do their job. Julia's background in ranching and farming gives her way to connect to the people of Montana. She is an excellent presenter and always answers questions in an applicable and professional manner. Her responses are well thought out and provide context to the matter at hand.

Julia is personable, professional, and knows Water Law in Montana. She would be an incredible asset as the Associate Water Judge. I fully recommend Julia for this position. Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Matthew A. Norberg". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping underline that extends to the right.

Matthew A. Norberg
Clancy, Montana