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To Whom It May Concern,

My name is Bob Hanson and I am a 4<sup>th</sup> generation rancher in White Sulphur Springs. I have served as President of Montana Farm Bureau and on various agricultural boards serving Montana in the past years. I am writing this letter to recommend Julie Brown Nordlund for appointment to be the Water Court Judge for Montana State.

I am recommending Julie Nordlund for the position of Water Judge as she has an extensive background coming from an agricultural family in Montana and has experience working for the Montana Water Court for the past several years.

Before her joining the Water Court I have engaged her as an attorney and am pleased with the work Julie did for our ranch.

Due to my past experience working with Julie I strongly recommend her for the position of judge for the Montana Water Court. If you have any questions please contact me at 406-580-1371 or email at [fordcreek@itstriangle.com](mailto:fordcreek@itstriangle.com).

Sincerely,  
Robert A. Hanson