

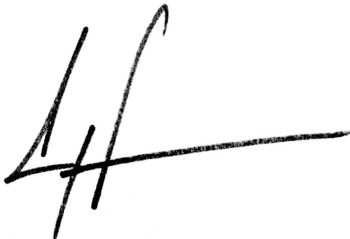
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Eli Luna
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To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing this letter as an endorsement of Mr. Eli Luna, a long-time friend, as well as collaborative partner in various creative endeavors. I have known Mr. Luna for over a decade, and in that time, he and I have engaged in several self-directed creative projects. I have also hired him in a professional arrangement for photography assignments in an editorial capacity. I have always been able to depend on Eli's dedication and experience no matter how he was required to apply his skills. The latest and currently on-going project I am assisting him with is a grassroots creative community-building venture. Together we spearheaded a "comix" zine night, occurring every month at a local comic book store in the Dallas area. I introduced the idea to Eli, as inspired by a similar event that takes place in Los Angeles, California, and Eli took the initiative to make it come to life. Eli was determined to foster other creatively inclined individuals to come together, meet one another, and exercise their drawing and story-telling skills in a collaborative, fun, and encouraging environment. As we approach our first anniversary of this zine community event, I am very proud to be able to assist Eli in celebrating the creation of an expressive platform that has become very important to individuals who regularly participate.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'AF', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

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