July 26, 2018

The Honorable Mitch McConnell
Majority Leader
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Charles E. Schumer
Democratic Leader
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

RE: Nomination of Judge Brett M. Kavanaugh

Dear Leader McConnell and Leader Schumer,

The Republican Governors Association recently submitted a letter to you supporting Judge Brett M. Kavanaugh’s nomination to the Supreme Court of the United States. I joined that letter, and offer this letter as additional support for Judge Kavanaugh’s nomination.

Judge Kavanaugh embodies the qualities we need in an independent, thoughtful judiciary. He maintains the highest standards. He brings broad experience in both the public and private sector. During his tenure on the United States Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit, Judge Kavanaugh has written nearly 300 opinions establishing himself as a staunch defender of the Constitution and the rule of law.

Judge Kavanaugh will be an effective and fair member of the United States Supreme Court. I ask the United States Senate to timely complete the confirmation process.

Sincerely,

Matthew H. Mead
Governor

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cc: The Honorable Chuck Grassley, Chairman, U.S. Senate Committee on the Judiciary
    The Honorable Dianne Feinstein, Ranking Member, U.S. Senate Committee on the Judiciary
    The Honorable Mike Enzi, U.S. Senate
    The Honorable John Barrasso, U.S. Senate
    The Honorable Liz Cheney, U.S. House of Representatives