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Guna,

I have reviewed the election materials provided by the Nominees for the office of President-elect for a term commencing October 2018.

I have had the privilege of working with Guna while he was chair of the ASCE Committee of Ethical Practice (CEP). As a young member of ASCE, he and the committee added me as full member of CEP and took time to invest in me for which I am very grateful. Guna is committed to the civil engineering community, ASCE, ethics, and diversity and inclusion and for all these reasons I fully endorse him as ASCE's next president elect. This world needs more leaders like Guna.

Please accept this document as my personal endorsement of Kancheepuram N. Gunalan (Guna), Ph.D., P.E., D.GE. F.ASCE for the position of President-elect.

Respectfully submitted,



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