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Kancheepuram N. Gunalan (Guna)

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

Guna's breadth of academic, professional, and ASCE experiences represent a truly unique combination and provides him unique insights and understanding into all of the areas of the profession that ASCE represents. As a well-respected practitioner and leader in his field, he has successfully completed some of the most challenging projects in the industry. In spite of all his achievements and successes, Guna remains approachable and still finds time to inspire, mentor, and lead the next generation of engineers. Guna represents everything that as an ASCE member and engineer, I would hope to become. As the Region 8 representative of the Geo-Institute's Local-Involvement-Committee (LIC), Vice-Chair of the Utah Geo-Institute Chapter, and member of multiple ASCE technical committees I endorse Guna for the position of President-Elect without any reservations.

Please accept this document as my personal endorsement of Kancheepuram N. Gunalan for the position of ASCE President Elect.

Respectfully submitted,



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