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Dear WRMSDC Constituent:

On behalf of the WRMSDC Board of Directors and Council staff, I wish to take this opportunity to thank you for your trust and commitment to me and WRMSDC. In addition, I'd like to say a special thank you to past President Scott Vowels and Interim President Melissa Buss for their leadership, guidance, and excellence. Words cannot express how grateful I am personally to Scott and Melissa for the work done to ensure the Council maintained a firm foundation in terms of finance, service offerings, and overall organizational management.

As the newly appointed President of this respected organization, I am dedicated to meeting and exceeding expectations. One of the greatest pleasures in managing an organization like WRMSDC is the opportunity to work closely with Corporate Members and certified Minority Business Enterprises (MBEs) to ensure the Council is providing effective services, as well as opportunities to connect, educate, and develop relationships amongst our constituents.

Thanks to the hard work of WRMSDC's Board of Directors and staff, the Council is positioned to move forward and take on the challenges of expanding our reach into new and exciting territories. WRMSDC will provide our new region (Nevada) with the same service levels being offered in our traditional territories of Northern California and Hawaii, and we will work to ensure that unique service requirements are a focal point of our ongoing development plan.

Within our existing network, WRMSDC is committed to sustaining and growing relationships, reaching into new markets of opportunity, and developing MBE best practices. Under my leadership, the Council will remain focused on the value proposition and mission of MBE development. It is my pledge that WRMSDC will drive forward core issues and exercise our platform as a leader in Supplier Diversity to the benefit of our constituents.

Thank you once again for your confidence in me and I look forward to discussing ideas to better serve you.

Sincerely,

Lawrence B. Wooten  
President, WRMSDC