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To: Director of the Institute of Museum and Library Services

Nestled along the banks of the mighty Mississippi River in central Minnesota, near where Pike Creek enters the great river, you'll find the Weyerhaeuser Museum (Morrison County Historical Society). I often refer to the Weyerhaeuser Museum as the best kept secret in Morrison County. If you've never stopped, if you've never walked through the doors, please, sooner than later, make the trip and come on in!

Filled with history of Morrison County, of Minnesota, of events throughout the entire world and much, much, more, Weyerhaeuser Museum is where it's at. Walk in and be greeted by staff that is friendly, caring, and quite honestly, in the know. You'll be talking to a new friend, and it will be like you are long time (good) friends. If by chance, the staff doesn't (immediately) know the answer, I will all but guarantee, they will dig deep, uncover dust, dirt, and stones if need be, but they will find what you're looking for.

As a Morrison County Commissioner, it is my honor to write a letter supporting a true treasure located right here in Morrison County. Certainly, I want to thank Congressman Rick Nolan for nominating Weyerhaeuser Museum for the prestigious 2017 IMLS National Medal for Museum and Library Service award.

Morrison County is truly blessed to house one of the best kept secrets in the county and the great state of Minnesota. It's time. Stop by and see our very own historic and amazing Weyerhaeuser Museum. You'll be thrilled you did.

Most sincerely,

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