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Dear Dr. Torrecilha

Congratulations on your appointment as the twentieth President of Westfield State University. I wish you great success as you bring new leadership to your institution. Along with the inevitable challenges you will encounter, may you also find exciting new professional achievements and personal enrichment.

Thank you for the invitation to your inauguration. As much as I would like to attend, I regret that I will be unable to join you for this momentous occasion, and I am very sorry that we could not secure someone to send as a delegate.

Please accept my personal congratulations and the well wishes of Gordon's Board of Trustees, faculty, staff, and students.

All my very best,

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Congritutations