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Ronald D. Liebowitz, President

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Dr. Ramon S. Torrecilha
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Dear President Torrecilha,

Congratulations on your inauguration as the president of Westfield State University. It is hard to imagine anyone more highly qualified for this position with your record of academic leadership as Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs at California State University Dominguez Hills and as Executive Vice President of Mills College. To have risen from professor, to Executive Vice President, to Provost, to Vice President and now president over the course of your career bespeaks your skills as an administrator and an academic. Your presidency truly promises great things for Westfield State University in the years ahead.

Unfortunately, I regret that I will not be able to attend the inauguration celebration; however, please accept this certificate of congratulations as a token of our best wishes for your success.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. Liebowitz", written over a horizontal line.

Ronald D. Liebowitz