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This is a letter of recommendation for Trace Robinson.

For at least five years now, Trace has been the landscape artist for our property in Hope Ranch. She has done a fantastic job of creating showcase flower gardens. Her skill in choosing the right trees, shrubs, and perennial and annual flowers constantly amazes me. Her follow through to make sure that everything is correctly planted and cared for is consistent and dependable. Her attitude is always enthusiastic and encouraging. Professional photographers and artists have used our flower gardens as the subject for their work. I give Trace all the credit for creating a top-quality landscape for us.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "G. Walter Hansen". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

G. Walter Hansen