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To Whom It May Concern,

I have held the position of chairperson for the Arts in Education committee at Unqua Elementary School in Massapequa for 5 years now. I have had the pleasure of meeting many performers over the years, and of seeing countless shows and performances.

Last year, our school hired Robbi K and her band in two capacities. First, Robbi K did a week long in-house residency with our music department. Each and every music class was treated to a lesson on notes and scales, scatting, blues and jazz. The kids were thrilled and highly motivated.

Secondly, Robbi and her band performed their "*Keep the Beat*" concert. Unqua's auditorium has never rocked the way it rocked that day! The kids were laughing and singing and dancing and all the while learning about music and different cultures of the world.

I also had the pleasure of hearing Robbi, her husband and their band in a more adult atmosphere -- at a vineyard in Eastern Long Island. Again, I was completely entertained and delighted by the performance. She is an incredibly talented woman.

I would highly recommend Robbi K in both an entertaining and teaching capacity. She has a wonderful aura about her. She has an incredible way with children, enticing and encouraging even the shyest, most reserved kids to give a try at the mike.

Sincerely,

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