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Dear Jessica Gilzow,

We are writing to express our heartfelt appreciation and recognition for your exceptional contributions to the Austin Nature & Science Center. Your dedication, creativity, and tireless efforts have significantly enhanced the quality of our center and enriched the educational experiences we offer to our community.

Your innovative ideas and steadfast commitment to improving the Austin Nature & Science Center have not gone unnoticed. Your vision has brought about remarkable changes that have transformed the center into a vibrant hub for learning and exploration. From revamping the facility to introducing captivating educational programming, your initiatives have truly elevated our community.

We are particularly impressed by your ingenuity in developing creative educational programs that engage and inspire visitors of all ages and backgrounds. Your ability to combine scientific knowledge with interactive experiences has made learning both enjoyable and enriching for our guests. Through your efforts, you have fostered a deeper appreciation for nature, science, culture, and the environment among our visitors, leaving a lasting impact on their lives.

Furthermore, your collaborative spirit and willingness to go above and beyond have been instrumental in fostering a positive and inclusive community where bridges are being built.

Thank you for your outstanding contributions and for making a profound difference in the lives of those we serve.

Warm regards,

Pedro A. Villalobos
Chair, Parks and Recreation Board

Kathryn Flowers
Vice-Chair, Parks and Recreation Board