Mr. Rusty Grissom,

Ray and I have known you and your family for over 40 years, both personally and through many business dealings. I remember when we saw you at a restaurant in Norman when your children were much younger. Ray watched the interactions you and Tammy had with Whitney and Taylor that day. When we left Ray said "that is a very special family and they will raise great children." He did not say that about many people.

You have been the same kind, caring and compassionate person in all the times we have worked together. Your honesty and integrity are so rare.

I have seen your fairness demonstrated in so many situations, like replacing landscaping when it was not your fault because you thought it was the right thing to do. You have always done exactly what you said you would do and in a timely manner.

My mom did private nursing for Mrs. Belknap in Norman. This is where she first met Rusty. You took care of all of Mrs. Belknap's yard and landscaping. Mrs. Belknap was pretty sick at this time. The stories mom told me about how you went out of your way to make her feel so special and spent extra time with her every time you were working there. That was not time you were paid for; you just made the time. My mom never forgot that and grew to love you and always asked me how you were and to tell you hello. Mom passed in July this past year. The week before, she asked me how you were doing. This was 15 years after she first met you. That is the kind of impression you make on people.

I believe you will make an amazing County Commissioner because of your willingness to help others and to get involved. You are a problem solver. The experience you have with all of the organizations you have been Board Member's on, as well as so many things you have been a volunteer for through the years have been training you for this.

It will be refreshing to have someone that is not a politician to represent Cleveland County. I wish all of my family lived in Cleveland County so we could all vote for you.

We will continue to support you.

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Warmest regards,

Dianne Hibdon
The Hibdon Family