

March 22, 1992

Mr. Matt Thomson
President, Governing Board
Council of Student Leaders
Marist College
Poughkeepsie, NY 12601

Dear Mr. Thomson:

I am pleased to write to you on behalf of Patrick R. Crocetta who is interested in the position of executive vice president.

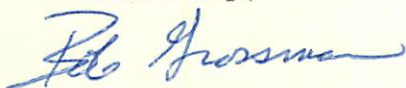
I believe that your council would be fortunate to have a person of Pat Crocetta's caliber to serve as your executive vice president. Pat Crocetta is not someone who is just "building a resume." While at Marist, he has demonstrated leadership and commitment over an extended period of time. He really cares and is willing to make a commitment to make things better.

As his faculty advisor and instructor for Business Law, I can report that he reveals in the classroom the same strength of character and commitment that he has demonstrated in his work with student government and Alpha Kappa Psi. Easy-going with a good sense of humor, he fulfills all of his obligations in class, works hard outside of class to prepare for discussions and takes pride in his performance.

Another characteristic of Pat's that bears mentioning is his willingness to listen to others with an open mind. He will consider different points of view patiently and even change his mind when faced with compelling reasons. This quality, which is indicative of his maturity, is highly desirable for someone in politics at any level.

I would be pleased to discuss Mr. Crocetta's candidacy with you in person if you so desire.

Sincerely,



Robert J. Grossman
Associate Professor