Matthew Vidovich 392 Granite Mill Blvd, Chapel Hill, NC, 27516 October 22nd, 2024

Hiring Committee Music Maker Relief Foundation Hillsborough, NC

Dear Hiring Committee,

I'm pleased to recommend Matt Gray for the Program Coordinator position at Music Maker Relief Foundation. I've known Matt for nearly a decade, and in that time, I've seen firsthand his passion for traditional American music and his dedication to helping others. These qualities, along with his talent and hard work, make him a great fit for this role.

Matt's passion for music, particularly that of the American South, is evident in everything he does. His work at WCOM-LP 103.5 FM, where he hosted a radio show dedicated to showcasing North Carolina artists, is a testament to his commitment to preserving and promoting the rich musical traditions of the region. He has an incredible ability to connect with people through music, using his platform to share his love for traditional music and to highlight the talents of local artists who might otherwise go unnoticed.

Beyond his radio work, Matt has written and recorded his own album, further demonstrating his creativity and drive. He brings the same level of dedication and care to all of his pursuits. Though his background is in engineering, Matt is seeking a career shift that aligns with his true passion for music and community work. I have no doubt that he will bring the same intellect, resourcefulness, and attention to detail that made him successful in his previous career to this new opportunity at Music Maker.

Thank you for considering Matt Gray for this role. I am confident that he will exceed your expectations and contribute significantly to the important work you do. If you have any questions or would like further information, please feel free to contact me at (562)221-5846 or Mvidovich89@gmail.com.

Sincerely, Matthew Vidovich