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Dear Members of the Hall of Fame Committee:

My name is Michele A. DeRosa (Imbrogno), and I am writing to nominate G. Scott Litzenberg to *The Cadets* Hall of Fame, Contemporary Category.

Over the course of my active membership in *The Cadets*, I had the privilege of being taught by and of performing with many talented educators and members. And, as you know, many of my contemporaries went on to become leaders within their chosen field, the field of Education, and within the Marching Arts. Scott Litzenberg is one of these contemporaries.

Scott was and has been a leader within *The Cadet* organization since his active membership in 1982 and 1983. An age-out member in 1983, Scott was a leader our young corps needed to successfully navigate that historic summer. Displaying the attitude, confidence, and maturity that became the hallmark of the Cadet, Scott was often looked to for guidance and direction. It's for these reasons that when I heard Scott assumed the position of Director of *The Cadets* for the turbulent 2018-2019 season, I was not surprised – that is who I knew Scott to be, the doer, the problem solver. Scott Litzenberg is the Cadet who was a natural leader as a member, who became an accomplished educator and musical director; and then, when *The Cadets* needed him, Scott offered his leadership, guidance, and knowledge once again to further the organization.

Aside from Scott's accomplishments within our organization, Scott is highly regarded within his field and within the field of Marching Arts. To highlight a few of his accomplishments:

- Director - *Crossmen*: 1987-1989, 2006
- Teacher - High School Music and Department Chair - Kennett Square, PA: 34 years
- Event Staff/Head Tabulator - DCI: 20 years
- Percussion Event Staff – WGI: 8 years
- Director, Cavalcade of Bands – Tournament of Roses Parade: 2015.

Given the character and accomplishments of G. Scott Litzenberg, it is without reservation that I nominate him to be inducted into *The Cadets* Hall of Fame, Class of 2022- Contemporary Division.

FHNSAB,  
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