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Don Diego Scholarship Committee,

I recommend Rachel Rapue to be considered for the Don Diego FFA Scholarship. Rachel has been active in FFA since her 8th grade year. She has been very active in the Opening and Closing contest as well as raising Market Lambs for the past four years. Rachel has been a crucial leader in the chapter leading students in raising market animals. Younger students look to Rachel for guidance on proper care of their animals and how to conduct themselves at a show or fair. She has a passion to help guide them and gain all of the experiences that she has gained from raising livestock.

Rachel has also completed the Agriscience Pathway and has completed Floral Design and is taking the Ag Mechanics class. Rachel is a student, that I can always rely on to help assist in class, guide younger members and participate in FFA events. When work needs to be done and events need workers, Rachel is one of the first to volunteer.

Rachels FFA career has been paved by her brother who was a Julian FFA member a Section and Region officer. She watched her brother and saw how FFA has helped with his future and has made her own path in the program.

Her participation and passion with livestock has helped shaped her future to pursue a career with livestock. She plans on attending Butte College to transfer to Chico State to study Animal Science. She enjoys teaching the public about the Agriculture industry as well as showing them the benefits of raising livestock. I know that without a doubt Rachel will achieve her goals and continue her interest in livestock.

Throughout the years, Rachel has been a dependable and loyal student, who goes above and beyond to build the program, guide students and keep promoting Ag Education. Without hesitation, I give my full recommendation for Rachel Rapue to be considered for the Don Diego Scholarship. Please feel free to contact me if you have any further questions regarding Rachel.

Sincerely,

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