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March 3, 2020

The Honorable Leon Stavrinakis
P.O Box 30099
Charleston, SC 29417

Dear Representative Stavrinakis:

We are pleased to inform you that Conservation Voters of South Carolina (CVSC) has endorsed your re-election to the South Carolina House of Representatives from District 119 because of your proven commitment to conservation and protecting our way of life in South Carolina.

Your support for conservation issues has led to a nearly perfect 96% lifetime score on our scorecard. You have been a strong supporter of the right of citizens to a clean and healthy environment, fighting rollbacks to environmental protections, pushing back against dirty and dangerous offshore drilling, and supporting local communities' rights to manage plastic bag pollution.

You have also championed proactive policies that move our state forward – supporting efforts to protect 30% of South Carolina's lands and waters by 2030, reauthorizing the Conservation Bank, supporting clean energy growth, and advancing state-level responses to flooding and sea level rise. For this and more, we want to see you return to Columbia to continue your leadership and work on these important issues and we enthusiastically endorse you for re-election.

A key part of our mission is to let South Carolina voters know where elected officials and candidates stand on protecting our air, land and water and on creating a sustainable energy future. When the General Assembly convenes for the January 2021 session, citizens of South Carolina will be depending on you to protect the natural resources that fuel at least a third of our state's economy. We appreciate your willingness to work with us and consider our position when making your decisions on important conservation issues before the House.

You may use our endorsement in your campaign materials as well as on your website and social media pages. Working together, we can provide a clean and healthy South Carolina for future generations.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "John Tynan".

John Tynan
Executive Director