

September 9, 2021

VIA U.S. MAIL Mary Tucker & Lucas Kozeniesky 1 Olympic Plaza, Building #3 Colorado Springs, Colorado 80909

Subject: Letter of Commendation for Representing the United States of America as a Member of the United States Olympic Shooting Team

Dear Mary and Lucas,

I write on behalf of the California Rifle & Pistol Association (CRPA). The CRPA Board of Directors congratulates you for your Silver Medal performance in the Olympic debut of the 10-Meter Air Rifle Mixed Team event at the 2020 Tokyo Olympic Games, the USA Shooting Team's best performance since the 1964 Olympics in Tokyo.

As California's oldest Second Amendment organization, we are dedicated to the preservation of our nation's shooting tradition. Congratulations on your contributions to our shooting history. You are now part of that legacy.

You both are truly an inspiration to all Americans and specifically the youth who are up-and-coming in the shooting sports. Your events were a thrill to watch. The dedication, time, and sacrifices required to achieve your level of skill is admirable. Your marksmanship ability and competitive skills, shooting under extreme pressure of Olympic final competition against the individual medalists of the Chinese team, were evident throughout your event.

We know it was an incredibly difficult year to train and prepare for the Games under pandemic conditions. We commend you for encouraging each other during the qualifying events as well as the final. You have truly earned your 2021 ISSF world rankings as Number One in Women's 10m Air Rifle and Number Three in Men's 10m Air Rifle and we hope to see you at the top of the list in the years to come.

All the members of the CRPA, look forward to seeing you both in future Olympic and world shooting events and wish you all the best. Be safe, shoot straight and congratulations.

Sincerely

C.D. "Chuck" Michel

President, California Rifle & Pistol Association Inc.





