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To whom it may concern:

I have known California real Estate Broker Robert Prestwood for 51 years; we met in college. During that time he has funded numerous real estate mortgages for my friends and co-workers at the Los Angeles County Fire Department. I have never known anyone to complain about his service and many have said his loan rates and fees were lower than anything they have been able to find anywhere. All the business transactions I have done directly with Mr. Prestwood have been handled in a professional and ethical manner. Mr. Prestwood and I have many mutual friends in Southern California Mr. Prestwood has done business with and I have never heard a negative comment about him in the almost 40 years he has been in the real estate business.

I have also witnessed Mr. Prestwood is a family man who has raised 2 children to adulthood where they have become very successful.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns about Mr. Prestwood.

Very best regards,

Frank August

(Ret.) Los Angeles County Battalion Fire Chief