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Congress of the United States

House of Representatives

Washington, DC 20515-4402

October 6, 2015

Utah Valley University
800 West University Parkway
Orem, UT 84058

RE: The 4th International Women of the Mountains Conference

Dear organizers and participants,

It is my pleasure to welcome you to the State of Utah. I commend Utah Valley University and the Utah International Mountain Forum for hosting the International Women of the Mountains Conference for the fourth time. This gathering is an example of a grass-roots event in which Utahns may discuss different sustainable development agendas.

Utah has much to share with the mountain communities around the world. I cannot imagine Utah without the roles played by the women in our state. We hope that the conference will provide a forum for all to share success stories and, conversely, discuss the challenges which we face.

I appreciate the efforts of Utah International Mountain Forum, the United Nations Mountain Partnership, Utah Valley University, and all who have helped make the International Women of the Mountains Conference possible. I wish you all a successful conference, and hope that, while in the area, you each take time to experience the beauty, traditions, and experiences which Utah has to offer.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Chris Stewart".

The Honorable Chris Stewart
United States House of Representatives