

## Gordon Award Committee

It is with a great deal of pleasure that I would like to recommend Ryan Thorn for the Gordon Memorial Award.

Ryan has been a friend for many years. He is undoubtedly one of the most caring and sharing people in the world.

I have always found Ryan to be a foundation builder, role model and a terrific example of perseverance and good old fashion hard work.

Ryan simply wants to make things better. Whether it's his profession, his community, church or his family, he has one goal: to help people fulfill their potential. Ryan earned this recognition not just for what he has done for NAHU, although that's significant, but for what he has done, and continues to do, for the people around him. What is wonderful about Ryan is that his civic efforts aren't about bringing recognition to himself, but are about making his community a better place.

Respectfully submitted

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