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WASHINGTON 6, D.C.

GENTLEMEN:

FACTUAL

ENCLOSED PLEASE FIND A COPY OF THE CONFIDENTIAL REPORT WHICH I HAVE BEEN REQUESTED TO COMPLETE ON BEHALF OF MR. F. H. PORTER SR. WHO HAS BEEN NOMINATED FOR FELLOW OF THE INSTITUTE.

I HAVE BEEN ACQUAINTED WITH MR. PORTER FOR APPROXIMATELY 14 YEARS. DURING THIS PERIOD HE HAS BEEN EXTREMELY ACTIVE IN PROMOTING THE PROFESSION AND THE AIA THROUGHOUT THE STATE OF WYOMING. DUE TO HIS EXTENSIVE EFFORTS A LICENSING LAW WAS FINALLY ESTABLISHED IN THE STATE ABOUT EIGHT YEARS AGO.

DURING HIS TENURE AS DIRECTOR OF THE WESTERN MOUNTAIN DISTRICT MR. PORTER HAS BEEN VERY ACTIVE AND HAS DISPLAYED A COMMENDABLE VITALITY IN FURTHERING THE ACTIVITIES OF THE INSTITUTE.

THE ABOVE FACTORS COUPLED WITH HIS MANY YEARS OF OUTSTANDING SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION PRIOR TO MY "ARRIVAL ON THE SCENE" GIVE CAUSE FOR ME TO URGE RECOGNITION AND SECOND THE NOMINATION OF MR. PORTER FOR ADVANCEMENT TO FELLOW (SERVICE) IN THE INSTITUTE.

VERY TRULY YOURS,



R. M. HOLZINGER
PRESIDENT, WYOMING CHAPTER AIA

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Chairman, The Jury of Fellows
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F A C T U A L

Re: Mr. Frederic H. Porter

Dear Sir:

In addition to the regular report from the Wyoming Chapter regarding Mr. Porter's nomination, I want to take this opportunity to personally second his nomination.

Mr. Porter was the leader in organizing our Wyoming Chapter, the first President, and then Secretary-Treasurer until his present office of Regional Director for the Western Mountain Regional District. During this period of time, he has been the guiding pillar in our Chapter, always pushing us to higher ideals and keeping us posted on the Institute activities.

He was instrumental in the enactment of our State Registration Law, and has served with enthusiasm and diligence as a member of the Wyoming State Board of Architects since the original law was passed in 1951. Having served on this Board myself for the past six years, I have first hand knowledge of the great amount of work, and the effort he has put into it to improve the practice of Architecture in general.

His private practice has covered all parts of the State of Wyoming and he has many projects to his credit throughout the State. This includes several buildings at the University of Wyoming. He is very dedicated to his work and enjoys the practice of Architecture.

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Washington, D. C. - Re: Frederic Porter

Outside the profession he takes an active part in his Community, having served for many years as Scene Director for the Little Theatre Group of Cheyenne. Also he has served with the group sponsoring Cheyenne Frontier Days in Cheyenne.

It is a pleasure to point out some of these accomplishments of Mr. Porter's, and to endorse his nomination.

Very truly yours,



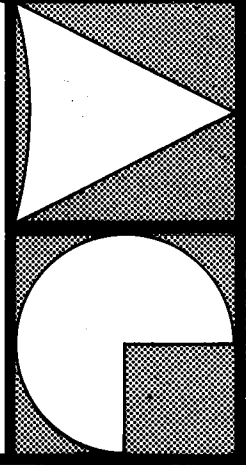
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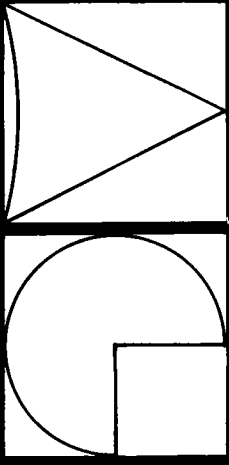
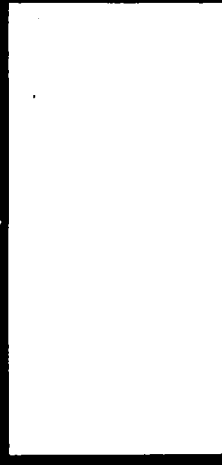
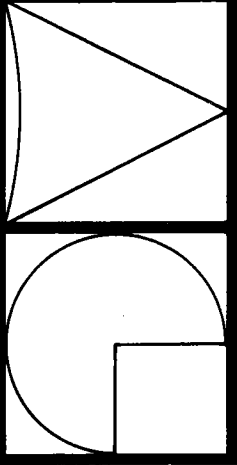
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ROBERT WEHRLI
AIA ARCHITECT



November 8, 1960

Miss Florence Gervais
Secretary to Jury of Fellows
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1735 New York Avenue, NW
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F A C T U A L

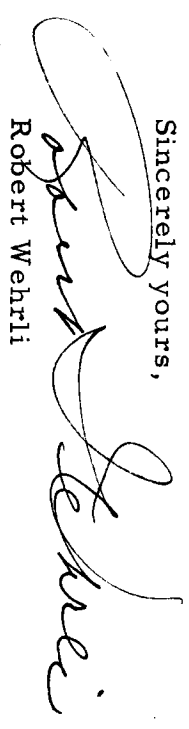
Dear Miss Gervais:

This letter is in support of the nomination of Frederick H. Porter to fellowship in the American Institute of Architects.

I have been acquainted with Mr. Porter since joining the AIA in 1948. As long as I have known him he has given dedicated service to the institute in the various offices of the chapter and particularly the office of secretary, which he held for many years and to which he devoted continuous, effective, work. Mr. Porter now continues this service as director of the Western Mountain Region.

I whole heartedly support the nomination of Mr. Porter to fellowship.

Sincerely yours,


Robert Wehrli

RW:vj
CC: F. H. Porter, Jr.

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American Institute of Architects
% Miss Florence Gervais, Secretary
1735 New York Ave., N.W.
Washington 6, D. C.

FACTUAL

Gentlemen:

At a meeting of the Wyoming Chapter, A.I.A. in June, 1960, it was my privilege to second the nomination of Frederic Hutchinson Porter for Fellow of the Institute.

I have been personally acquainted with Mr. Porter for approximately 25 years. During that period he has conducted one of the outstanding architectural practices in the state of Wyoming. Many fine buildings throughout this state attest to his competence and service. During his entire professional career he has conducted his practice on a high ethical plane in such a manner as to reflect credit to the Institute.

During these years he has always been active in promoting the affairs of the Institute. Prior to the organization of a chapter in Wyoming he was a member of the Colorado Chapter. He was instrumental in the organization of the Wyoming Chapter, and served as its first active president. He served for many years as secretary-treasurer of the Chapter, has served on the board of directors, and on many committees.

For the past three years he has served as Director of the Western Mountain District and has done an outstanding job in this office. He has given unstintingly of his time and energy in carrying out the duties of his office.

I feel that his long service to the Institute deserves recognition, and it is with pleasure and a sense of privilege that I second the nomination of Frederic Hutchinson Porter for Fellow of the Institute.

Very truly yours,



Frederic R. Kellogg, A.I.A.

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Nov. 28, 1960

JURY OF FELLOWS
C/O MISS FLORENCE GERVAIS, SECRETARY
AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
1735 NEW YORK AVENUE, N.W.
WASHINGTON 6, D.C.

GENTLEMEN:

I HEREBY SECOND THE NOMINATION OF FREDERIC HUTCHINSON
PORTER, A.I.A., CHEYENNE, WYOMING, AS A FELLOW IN THE
AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS FOR HIS SERVICE TO
THE INSTITUTE.

I HAVE KNOWN MR. PORTER FOR OVER TEN YEARS, AND THROUGH-
OUT THIS TIME HE HAS SERVED THE WYOMING CHAPTER AND/OR
THE WESTERN MOUNTAIN DISTRICT WELL AND FAITHFULLY. MR.
PORTER IS CERTAINLY DUE RECOGNITION FOR HIS LONG AND
FAITHFUL SERVICE.

VERY TRULY YOURS

C. A. HITCHCOCK, A.I.A.
PAST PRESIDENT OF THE
WYOMING CHAPTER

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SAM C. HUTCHINGS
A. I. A.
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December 21, 1960

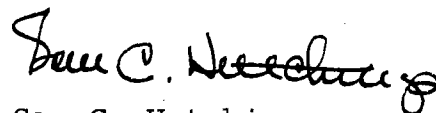
Miss Florence Gervais
Secretary, Jury of Fellows
American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue N.W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Dear Miss Gervais:

Supplementing my report to the Jury of Fellows in support of Mr. Fredrick H. Porter's nomination to Fellowship in the A. I. A., I wish to second Mr. Porter's nomination.

I have been personally acquainted with Mr. Porter for some twenty five years and have knowledge of his untiring efforts in promoting the American Institute of Architects and the Architectural Profession both in the state of Wyoming and the Inter Mountain region. I feel sure that all of Mr. Porter's friends in the profession trust that the Jury of Fellows will give favorable consideration to his nomination.

Sincerely yours



Sam C. Hutchings

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Miss Florence Gervias, Secretary
The Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
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Dear Miss Gervias:

I am writing this letter in support of nomination for Fellowship of Mr. Frederic H. Porter, at present Regional Director of Western Mountain District.

I have been a close personal friend of Mr. Porter since he first started his practice about 1920. Thruout the years he has been a highly ethical member of the profession and a supporter of the Institute.

Mr. Porter and I were in partnership for 15 years until my retirement in 1957. During that period, in 1947, he organized the Wyoming Chapter and was its first president. During the early years of the Chapter, when our membership was less than a dozen widely scattered offices he was the mainstay of the organization and managed to keep it alive until it attained some growth and stability. Since then he has devoted much time and energy to the promotion of the Chapter and the Institute.

May I say that I believe Mr. Porter has earned elevation to the honor of Fellowship and will be a very creditable addition to that body.

Sincerely,



R. WALTER BRADLEY

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THE CENTRAL ARIZONA CHAPTER
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
POST OFFICE BOX 904, PHOENIX, ARIZONA

4 October 1960

The Jury of Fellows
The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Attention: Miss Florence Gervias, Secretary

REF: F. H. Porter

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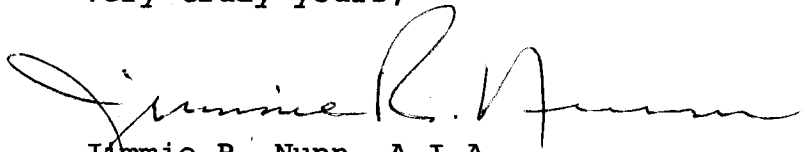
Gentlemen:

It has been brought to the attention of the Board of Directors of the Central Arizona Chapter of the American Institute of Architects that Mr. Frederic H. Porter, A.I.A., Cheyenne, Wyoming, has been nominated by the Wyoming Chapter to the Jury of Fellows for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

The Board of Directors voted unanimously to endorse the Wyoming Chapter's nomination of Mr. Porter. I am sure that Mr. Porter's many attributes and contributions to the Institute have been documented in his nomination, however, our Chapter is particularly familiar with Mr. Porter's work as Regional Director these past few years and his tremendous guidance and assistance in local as well as regional matters.

It is with sincere pride and affection that we second the nomination of Frederic Porter for advancement to Fellowship.

Very truly yours,

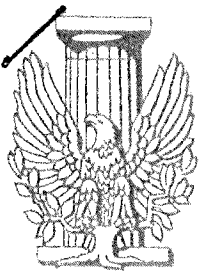


Jimmie R. Nunn, A.I.A.
President
Central Arizona Chapter



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JULY 29, 1960

MISS FLORENCE H. GERVAIS
SECRETARY, THE JURY OF FELLOWS
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
1735 NEW YORK AVENUE N.W.
WASHINGTON 6, D. C.

SUBJECT: FREDRIC H. PORTER FELLOWSHIP

DEAR MISS GERVAIS:

AT ITS MEETING OF JULY 28, 1960, THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE COLORADO CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS INSTRUCTED ME, AS PRESIDENT, TO WRITE A SECONDING LETTER IN THE NAME OF THE COLORADO CHAPTER FOR THE NOMINATION OF FREDRIC H. PORTER AIA FOR ELEVATION TO A FELLOW OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS. IT GIVES ME A GREAT DEAL OF PERSONAL PRIDE AND SATISFACTION TO HAVE THE HONOR AND THE PRIVILEGE OF WRITING SUCH A LETTER.

HIS CONTRIBUTION TO THE PROFESSION OF ARCHITECTURE AND THE ADVANCEMENT OF THE PRINCIPLES OF THE INSTITUTE HAS BEEN OUTSTANDING ALL DURING HIS PROFESSIONAL CAREER. PRIOR TO WORLD WAR I HE ESTABLISHED HIS PRACTICE WHICH HAS CONTINUED SINCE THAT TIME. BEFORE THE FORMATION OF A CHAPTER IN WYOMING HE MADE HIMSELF A KEY FIGURE AND THE LEADER OF THE ARCHITECTS IN HIS AREA. IN 1947 HE SUCCEEDED IN ORGANIZING A WYOMING CHAPTER AND HAVING IT APPROVED BY THE GRAND RAPIDS CONVENTION. HE WAS THEN ELECTED FIRST PRESIDENT AND SERVED AS AN OFFICER IN HIS CHAPTER UNTIL 1958 WHEN HE WAS MADE REGIONAL DIRECTOR OF THE WESTERN MOUNTAIN REGIONAL DISTRICT. IT HAS BEEN LARGELY THROUGH THE EFFORTS OF FREDRIC H. PORTER THAT THE WYOMING CHAPTER HAS GROWN TO ITS PRESENT SIZE AND STATURE.

I HAVE KNOWN MR. PORTER FOR 13 YEARS AND HAVE BEEN MOST CLOSELY ASSOCIATED WITH HIM DURING THE PAST TWO YEARS WHILE HE HAS BEEN REGIONAL DIRECTOR. HIS INTEREST IN THE AFFAIRS OF ALL THE CHAPTERS WITHIN THE REGION HAVE BEEN OUTSTANDING. AT GREAT PERSONAL SACRIFICE, HE HAS COVERED THE HALF MILLION SQUARE MILES WITHIN THIS REGION MANY TIMES, AND HAS VISITED ALL THE CHAPTERS BECAUSE OF HIS KEEN INTEREST IN THEIR INDIVIDUAL PROBLEMS, A DESIRE TO INTEGRATE ALL OF THE CHAPTERS INTO A WELL KNIT REGION AND A DESIRE TO BE OF ASSISTANCE WHERE HIS ASSISTANCE WAS NEEDED. IN MY OPINION, HIS SERVICE CAN BE CALLED OUTSTANDING. I KNOW OF NO REGIONAL DIRECTOR IN THE WESTERN MOUNTAIN REGION PRIOR TO FREDRIC H. PORTER WHO HAS DEVOTED HIS OWN PERSONAL TIME, MONEY AND EFFORT TO THE JOB AS HE HAS.

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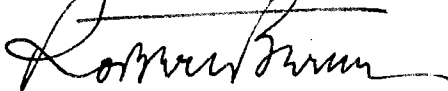
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MISS FLORENCE H. GERVAIS
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UNDER MR. PORTER'S DIRECTION, THE WESTERN MOUNTAIN REGIONAL DISTRICT HAS BECOME A DEFINITE FUNCTIONING ENTITY. HE HAS MADE IT POSSIBLE FOR REGIONAL COMMITTEES TO OBTAIN FUNDS AND TO FUNCTION IN A MANNER IN WHICH THEY HAVE BEEN INTENDED BY THE VERTICAL COMMITTEE STRUCTURE OF THE INSTITUTE. HE HAS INSISTED THAT THEY BE ACTIVE AND PERFORM THE SERVICES FOR WHICH THEY ARE INTENDED.

IN THE OPINION OF THE COLORADO CHAPTER, MR. PORTER IS EMINENTLY AND EXCEPTIONALLY WORTHY OF RECEIVING THE HIGH HONOR AND RECOGNITION WHICH GOES WITH THE TITLE OF FELLOW OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS. IN THE NAME OF THE COLORADO CHAPTER, I, THEREFORE, URGE HIS NOMINATION.

VERY TRULY YOURS



ROBERT BERNE
PRESIDENT

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CC: R. M. HOLZINGER
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MISS FLORENCE H. GERVAIS
 SECRETARY TO THE JURY OF FELLOWS
 THE OCTAGON
 1735 NEW YORK AVENUE, N.W.
 WASHINGTON 6, D.C.

DEAR MISS GERVAIS:

IT IS WITH PLEASURE THAT THE LAS VEGAS CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS DO HEREIN SECOND THE NOMINATION OF MR. F.H. "BUNK" PORTER FOR ADVANCEMENT TO FELLOWSHIP (SERVICE) IN THE INSTITUTE.

YOURS SINCERELY,

JACK KNIGHTON, PRESIDENT
 LAS VEGAS CHAPTER
 AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF
 ARCHITECTS

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
NEW MEXICO CHAPTER

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26 August 1960

The Jury of Fellows
1735 New York Ave., N.W.
Washington 6, D.C.

Attn: Miss Florence Gervias, Secretary

Gentlemen:

This letter is being written by the New Mexico Chapter of the American Institute of Architects on behalf of seconding the nomination for Fellowship for Mr. Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Mr. Porter is well known to all architects in the southwestern portion of the United States because of his activity as Regional Director for the Western Mountain Region. All of us who know Mr. Porter have admired his enthusiasm and dedication to the interests of the American Institute of Architects.

The New Mexico Chapter considers it an honor to endorse the nomination of Mr. Frederic H. Porter to Fellowship in the Institute.

Respectfully submitted,

Philippe Register
PHILIPPE REGISTER

PR/ds

CC: George W. Tresler, A.I.A.
Cody, Wyoming

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RENO CHAPTER
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
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RENO, NEVADA

July 25, 1960

Miss Florence H. Gervais
Secretary, Jury of Fellows
The Octagon, 1735 New York Ave. N.W.
Washington 6, D. C.

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Dear Miss Gervais:

We of the Reno Chapter of the American Institute of Architects wish to second the nomination of the Wyoming Chapter of Mr. F. H. "Bunk" Porter for advancement to Fellowship (Service) in the Institute.

Many of us became acquainted with "Bunk" Porter several years before our Chapter was changed from the California-Nevada-Hawaii Region to the Western Mountain Region. Since the transfer, all of us of the Reno Chapter have met "Bunk" and have learned of his devotion to the Institute and the hard work that he has devoted to the cause of architects.

We cannot all be Fellows, and it is therefore fitting that we honor those who devote themselves to the cause of all. Any one who has served the Institute even in a small capacity knows the sacrifices that must be made. "Bunk" is one of those rare persons who unselfishly gives without the talk of sacrifice.

We heartily endorse him to the honor of Fellowship.

Sincerely,

Edward S. Parsons
Secretary
Reno Chapter, A.I.A.

ESP:bc
cc Mr. R. M. Holzinger



SOUTHERN ARIZONA CHAPTER
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

July 29, 1960

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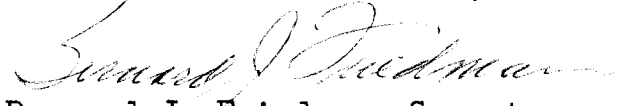
Dear Miss Gervais:

The Southern Arizona Chapter of the American Institute of Architects hereby seconds the nomination of F. H. (Bunk) Porter for advancement to Fellowship (Service) in the Institute.

This Chapter highly recommends this nomination in view of the diligent service of Mr. Porter to this Chapter and its members.

Very truly yours,

SOUTHERN ARIZONA CHAPTER, A.I.A.


Bernard J. Friedman, Secretary

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cc: Wyoming Chapter



THE UTAH CHAPTER
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

July 19, 1960

Miss Florence H. Gervais
Secretary to the Jury of Fellows
The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue N.W.
Washington 6, D.C.

ack 8/5/60

Dear Miss Gervais:

It is with great pleasure that the Utah Chapter seconds the nomination of the Wyoming Chapter for advancement of Mr. F. H. "Bunk" Porter to fellowship in the Institute.

We feel that he is very deserving of the honor.

Very truly yours,

Ashley T. Carpenter
President, The Utah Chapter
The American Institute of Architects.

ATC:cgc

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September 30, 1960

The Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Gentlemen:

I hope that it is not too late for me to add my voice in the endorsement of Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

I have known Mr. Porter since the Grand Rapids Convention in 1947 and since that time, I have met him in a number of cities and have grown to admire his devoted service, not only to the Architects of the Western Mountain Region, but to the Institute as a whole. He is a man of fine professional attainment and in my opinion, exceptionally worthy of advancement to Fellowship.

With all best wishes to the Jury, I am

Most sincerely yours,

ROGER ALLEN & ASSOCIATES

By


Roger Allen, F.A.I.A.

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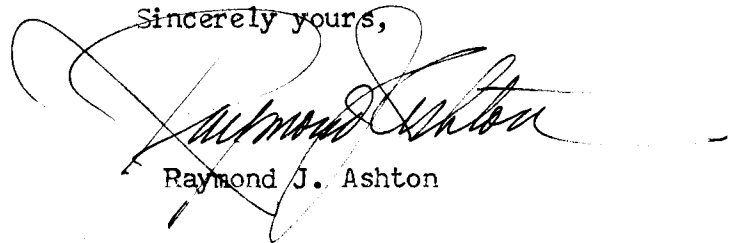
Miss Florence Gervais, Secretary
The Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Dear Miss Gervais:

It is with pleasure that I endorse the recommendation that Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming be advanced to Fellowship in the Institute.

It is my understanding that the advancement is proposed on the basis of his service to the Institute, which has been unstintingly given throughout the entire period of his professional career.

Sincerely yours,



Raymond J. Ashton

RJA/t

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July 28, 1960

Miss Florence Gervais, Secretary
The Jury of Fellows-The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue N.W.
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Dear Miss Gervais:

This is to support Frederick H. Porter, Architect of
Cheyenne, Wyoming as a candidate for Fellowship in the
Institute.

I have met Mr. Porter here in his capacity as Regional
Director of our region, and was impressed with his dedi-
cation to the promotion of high standards for architecture
in this area. As one who gives full attention to this task,
I am sympathetic to and appreciative of Mr. Porter's efforts
and accomplishments in Wyoming in promoting the status of
the Architect and the Wyoming Chapter AIA.

There are too few Architects in the Intermountain area
willing to devote time and attention to the promotion of
the profession. Mr. Porter deserves recognition, and it is
a pleasure to join in urging his elevation to Fellowship
in the Institute.

Sincerely,

Roger Bailey
Roger Bailey, Head

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Dear Miss Gervais:

I have just learned that Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming, has been nominated by the membership of the Wyoming Chapter for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute. I should like to add my support in his behalf.

In view of his loyalty to the Institute and his participation in its affairs throughout the Rocky Mountain area, he is, in my opinion, worthy of consideration on a basis of service to the Institute. Should he be elevated to Fellowship, I am confident he will continue to give creditable service to his fellow architects in our section of the country.

Sincerely yours


B. E. Brazier

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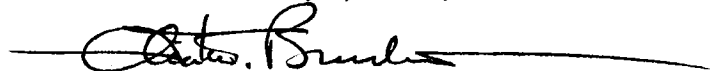
Gentlemen:

The Wyoming Chapter has nominated Frederic H. Porter for elevation to Fellowship in the Institute.

Mr. Porter has served the Institute, in his state and as a member of the Board of Directors, with dignity and distinction. This service to the Institute has been rendered over a period of many years and exceeds normal membership participation in Institute affairs.

I should like to support Mr. Porter's nomination and urge your serious consideration of his qualifications.

Respectfully yours,



Clinton E. Brush, III

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American Institute of Architects
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Attention: Miss Florence Gervias
Secretary

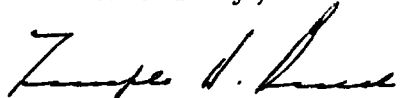
Gentlemen:

It is indeed a pleasure for me to address
you relative to the nomination of Mr. Frederic
H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming for advancement
to Fellowship in the Institute.

Fred was the organizer of the Wyoming Chapter
of the American Institute of Architects, of
which he was it's first President; as well as
having recently served with distinction as
Director of the Western Mountain Region of the
American Institute of Architects.

He exemplifies the highest type of public servant
and he has always maintained in his practice the
highest ethics of our profession. He is indeed in
every way eminently qualified to receive this
honor.

Sincerely,



Temple H. Buell
President

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WILLIAM EMMETT BURK JR. A. I. A. ARCHITECT

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July 29, 1960

Miss Florence Gervias, Secretary
The Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington 6, D.C.

Dear Miss Gervias:

It has just come to my attention that Mr. Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming, has been nominated to the Jury of Fellows of the Institute, and I might say that this pleases me personally very much, indeed.

I have known Bunk Porter personally for many years, and value his friendship highly, not only as an individual, but as a Professional Architect of the highest standing.

His contributions to the Rocky Mountain Region have been significant, and we feel he is one of the strong columns that the Institute rests on in this part of the world.

It has been my personal experience that, when you call on "Bunk" he is always there.

Respectfully submitted,

Very truly yours,


Wm. E. Burk, Jr., AIA,
Architect

WEB/mjc

cc: Mr. Geo. W. Tresler, Chairman
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August 9, 1960.

The Jury of Fellows,
American Institute of Architects,
1735 New York Avenue N.W.,
Washington 6, D.C.

Gentlemen:

The Wyoming Chapter of the American Institute of Architects has voted to nominate Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming, for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute, and I am very glad to be permitted to write this letter in his behalf.

Bunk Porter was organizer of the Wyoming Chapter and its first President. Later he became Regional Director for the Western Mountain Region, and has served the profession and his society well in this position.

To many persons, both in and out of the Institute, the name of Bunk Porter is synonymous to that of Mr. Architect in the Rocky Mountain states. He is a fine man, dedicated to his profession and to our American Institute of Architects, and I trust that the Jury of Fellows will act favorably upon his nomination.

Sincerely yours,


J. Roy Carroll, Jr.

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21 October 1960

The Jury of Fellows
American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington 6, D.C.

Subject: Nomination of Frederic H. Porter for advancement to Fellowship

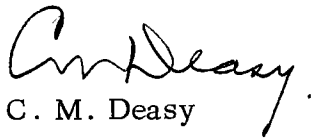
Gentlemen:

My contact with Mr. Porter has been unfortunately brief being limited to the Western Mountain Region Conference in 1957. I was able to observe at first hand his management of that event which was most stimulating.

I was even more impressed, however, with the reports I heard there of his efforts, over a long period of time, to advance the purposes of the American Institute of Architects in Wyoming which lead to the formation of the Wyoming Chapter in 1947.

Since that time he has been continuously active in its behalf and has further contributed to the profession while acting as Regional Director.

Very truly yours,


C. M. Deasy

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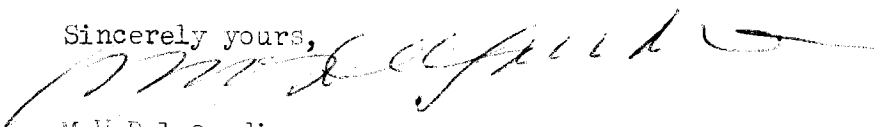
Gentlemen:

I observed Mr. Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming, in his work as a leader of the architectural profession in the Western Mountain Region. His devotion to the Institute has enhanced the interest of the profession throughout his area, and throughout the rest of the country.

He has a splendid personality, makes friends easily and is a worthy representative for the profession in any gathering. I believe his service has been outstanding and that he is worthy of proper recognition.

I recommend Mr. Porter for your consideration, and advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

Sincerely yours,


M.W. Del Gaudio

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August 1, 1960

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Gentlemen:

It pleased me to learn that the Wyoming Chapter of the American Institute of Architects has nominated Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

Bunk Porter, as I know him, is certainly deserving of consideration since his service to the Institute and to the whole architectural profession has been outstanding and far beyond the usual.

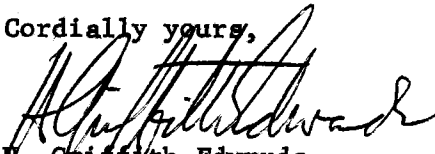
It is generally known that he has been a key figure and leader in the Rocky Mountain States and organized and was the first president of the Wyoming Chapter of A.I.A. and is now the Regional Director of the Western Mountain Region.

Bunk Porter served on the A.I.A. Office Practice Committee in 1956, 1957 and 1958 when I had the pleasure of working with him. He gave freely of his time and was chairman of several task forces.

All the members of the Office Practice Committee appreciated the advice and suggestions he gave based on his vast knowledge of the practice of architecture.

In addition to all of this, Bunk Porter is a man of modesty and a gentleman in every sense of the word and is eminently and exceptionally worthy of the high honor and recognition of being made a Fellow of the Institute.

Cordially yours,



H. Griffith Edwards

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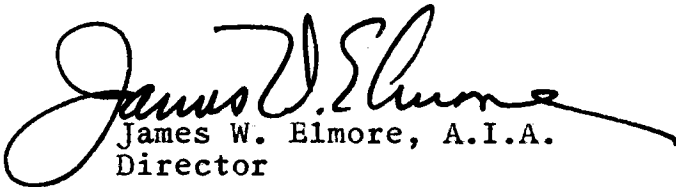
The Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
Miss Florence Gervias, Secretary
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Gentlemen:

This letter has the purpose of supporting the nomination of
Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming for advancement to
Fellowship in the Institute.

During the more than five years that I have had periodic con-
tact with "Bunk", I have always found him steadfast and devoted
in all matters related to architecture and the affairs of the
Institute. I believe that he is deserving of the recognition
proposed.

Very truly yours,


James W. Elmore, A.I.A.
Director

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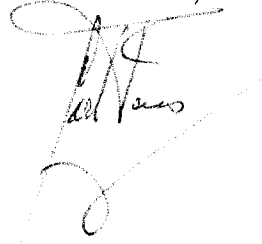
ATTENTION: MISS GERVIAS, SECRETARY

GENTLEMEN:

I TAKE GREAT PLEASURE IN JOINING WITH THE WYOMING CHAPTER OF THE AIA IN RECOMMENDING FREDERIC H. PORTER OF CHEYENNE, WYOMING FOR ADVANCEMENT TO FELLOWSHIP IN THE INSTITUTE.

I HAVE KNOWN FRED PORTER PERSONALLY SINCE 1942 WHEN I BECAME PLANNING DIRECTOR IN DENVER. I KNOW OF THE HIGH REPUTATION WHICH HE HAS HELD IN THE MOUNTAIN STATES FOR YEARS AND THE DEEP PERSONAL AFFECTION WHICH THE ARCHITECTS IN COLORADO AND WYOMING HOLD FOR HIM. FRED HAS SPENT MANY YEARS ACTIVELY WORKING FOR THE INSTITUTE AND FOR IMPROVED PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE. I DO NOT QUESTION FOR ONE MOMENT THAT HE DESERVES EXCEPTIONAL RECOGNITION FOR HIS SERVICE TO ARCHITECTURE AND THE PROFESSION AND THAT HE IS WORTHY OF THE HONOR OF BEING ACCEPTED INTO THE COLLEGE OF FELLOWS OF THE AIA.

SINCERELY YOURS,



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JOHN L. GIUSTI AIA ASSOCIATE

October 5, 1960

Miss Florence Gervias, Secretary
The Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue N.W.
Washington 6, D.C.

Dear Miss Gervias:

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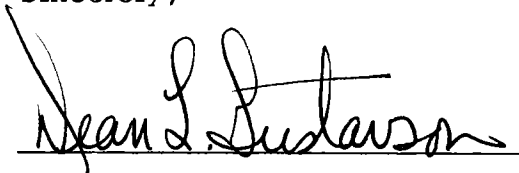
This letter is written in behalf on the nomination of Mr. Frederic H. Porter A.I.A., who is a candidate for advancement to Fellowship in The Institute.

I have known Mr. Porter for several years and have come to know him closely during the past year when I was president of the Utah Chapter. His leadership as Regional Director was very much appreciated by the members from Utah. He performed this work with sincere devotion to the responsibility of his office.

Mr. Porter has done much to create greater fellowship in the Institute, and through his leadership has created a stronger and more meaningful American Institute of Architects.

I am very pleased to support this candidacy of Mr. Frederick H. Porter for advancement to Fellowship of the Institute for his service to his profession.

Sincerely,



Dean L. Gustavson A.I.A.
Architect

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ROBERT K. FULLER F.A.I.A.
KENNETH R. FULLER A.I.A.
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September 2, 1960

The Jury of Fellows
The American Institute of Architects
The Octagon, 1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

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Gentlemen:

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The Wyoming Chapter of the American Institute of Architects recently voted to present the name of Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming, to the Jury of Fellows for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

Mr. Porter has long been recognized throughout the Western Mountain Region as a key figure and leader in the advancement of Institute affairs among the practitioners of the area before, and since, Wyoming received its Institute Charter.

It was mainly through his efforts that the Wyoming Chapter was organized which was approved at the Grand Rapids Convention in 1947. The Wyoming Chapter has grown from its original six chapter members to a corporate membership of thirty at the present time.

Mr. Porter was chosen as the first president of the Wyoming Chapter, following which term of service he was then elected Secretary-Treasurer of the Chapter, in which position he served continuously until 1958. It was during this term of service to the profession that Mr. Porter became recognized throughout the Western Mountain Region as a man of high moral and ethical concepts and fully devoted to the advancement of the ethical practice of architecture as exemplified in the standards of practice of the Institute.

In recognition of his outstanding leadership and devotion to Institute affairs, and his recognition as a prominent architect, Mr. Porter in 1958 was elected as the Regional Director for the Western Mountain Region in which office he is now serving as a faithful servant of the Institute.

Throughout the Western Mountain Region Mr. Porter enjoys the friendship and esteem of the many architects affiliated with the various chapters of the region who recognize that his service to the profession and the Institute since the organization of the Wyoming Chapter in 1947 has constituted an outstanding contribution to the profession.

Accordingly it is my pleasure to recommend to the Jury of Fellows that favorable consideration be given to Frederic H. Porter for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

Sincerely yours,


Robert K. Fuller

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August 1, 1960

Mr. Robert W. McLaughlin, Chairman
Jury of Fellows
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
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Dear Mr. McLaughlin:

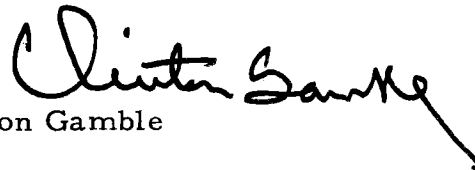
Mr. Frederic H. (Bunk) Porter has been nominated by the Wyoming Chapter for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

Since I had the pleasure of sitting next to Bunk at my first national Board meeting I have had a warm personal regard for him. His immediate friendly help and sincere interest in making me feel a part of the group carried along for the two years we were together on the Board. I am sure this has been the reason Bunk Porter has been the rallying point for AIA members in the Rocky Mountain States. I can speak from personal knowledge of his devotion and intense desire to see the Institute and its members embrace the highest standards of ethics and I am sure his personal life and practice reflect this same attitude.

As he has come to the latter part of his life I know this recognition would be the crowning moment for him and would be an inspiration to the many of his friends in the profession to follow his steadfast example.

I am very pleased to recommend his Fellowship and urge that he be given it.

Sincerely yours,



Clinton Gamble

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cc: Mr. Geo. W. Tresler, Chairman
Wyoming Chapter

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August 5, 1960

The Jury of Fellows- The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
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Re: Frederic H. Porter

Gentlemen:

I heartily endorse the nomination by the Wyoming Chapter of Mr. Frederic H. Porter for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

I became well acquainted with Mr. Porter on the A.I.A. post-convention trip to Canada following the Boston Convention and although I have had no personal knowledge of his professional work, I am well aware of his devotion to the direction of the affairs of the Institute and his Chapter and am sure that he will be most worthy of this recognition of his service to the Institute and the direction of its affairs and the prestige he has earned for our Profession.

Sincerely yours,

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cc: Mr. George W. Tresler, A.I.A. P.O. Box 900, Cody, Wyoming ✓

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August 3, 1960

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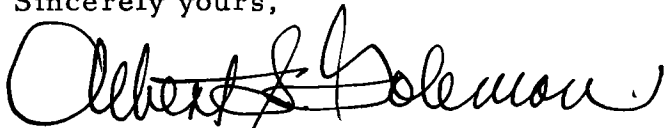
Gentlemen:

I have just received word through the Wyoming Chapter of the American Institute of Architects that this chapter has nominated Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming for advancement to Fellowship for service to the Institute. I am very happy to have the opportunity of supporting this nomination.

It is certainly gratifying to see that recognition is being given to our members of the Institute in the sparsely populated areas of the country who are responsible for the growth of the Institute in these areas. Their work is much harder as they are forced sometimes to fight the battle alone in promoting the interests of our profession and the Institute.

Frederic Porter has certainly done more than his share in his area and the results speak for themselves. He organized the Wyoming Chapter and secured its approval at the Grand Rapids Convention in 1947. He was this chapter's first President and then served as Secretary Treasurer until 1958. In that year he was elected Regional Director for the Western Mountain Region and is now concluding his service on the Board. I have known him personally and in my humble opinion I feel that he is exceptionally worthy of receiving the honor of elevation to Fellowship in the Institute.

Sincerely yours,



Albert S. Golemon

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FRANCIS S. GURDA, A.I.A. • ARCHITECT AND ENGINEER
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August 5, 1960

The Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
Miss Florence Gervias, Secretary
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
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SUBJECT: Proposed advancement to Fellowship of Frederic H.
Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Gentlemen:

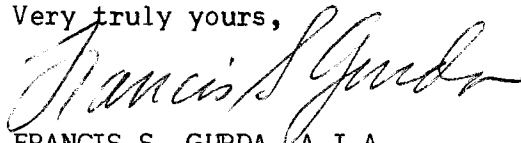
The Wyoming chapter of the American Institute of Architects has nominated Mr. Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute. As you know, Mr. Porter is now director for the Western Mountain Region and I am sure his fellow members on the Board can testify to his diligence in that capacity.

His fellow architects in Wyoming can testify to his accomplishments in building up the membership of the Wyoming chapter and his leadership in its activities.

I have personally known Mr. Porter for some time having served with him on the Committee on Office Practice where his advice was always good due to his large experience in architectural affairs.

I think the sum total of all of Mr. Porter's achievements would qualify him for the serious consideration of the Jury of Fellows for advancement to the honor of Fellowship in the Institute.

Very truly yours,



FRANCIS S. GURDA, A.I.A.
ARCHITECT & ENGINEER

FSG:ncm

CC: Mr. George W. Tresler



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September 8, 1960

Miss Florence Gervais, Secretary
The Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.



ack 9-14-60

Dear Miss Gervais:

I am writing this letter in support of Mr. Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming, who has been nominated to The Jury of Fellows of the American Institute of Architects by the Wyoming Chapter.

I have known Mr. Porter for two and one-half years as a member of the Board of the American Institute of Architects, and I know of no reason why he should not be named a member of The Jury of Fellows.

He is a most conscientious working member of the Board, is very dedicated to the profession, and has devoted his entire life to the betterment and advancement of the profession.

Sincerely yours,

Alonzo J. Harriman
Alonzo J. Harriman

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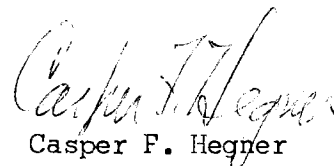
Gentlemen,

It is an honor to support by this means the nomination of Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

While this nomination is offered by the Wyoming Chapter, Mr. Porter has warm admirers and sincere friends in all parts of our Western Mountain Region. I am proud to be numbered among them.

Long before Mr. Porter became our Regional Director, members of other chapters placed great reliance on his solid, good counsel and unalterably high professional standards. In the years of his service as Director of the Institute he has distinguished himself by dedication to his task, leadership in the councils of the region, and warm, firm advice to individuals and chapter committees alike.

His position and the widespread recognition it has merited mark Frederic Porter as the classic type of Institute Fellow - able, devoted, modest and sincere. It is a privilege to second his nomination.


Casper F. Hegner

CFH/pd

GERALD MOFFITT
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July 29, 1960

Miss Florence Gervias, Secretary
The Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Dear Miss Gervias:

It is with extreme pleasure and a deep sense of responsibility that I submit this letter supporting the candidacy of Mr. Frederic H. Porter as a Fellow in the American Institute of Architects.

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In the short time that I have had the good fortune of working with Mr. Porter in relation to institute affairs, I have come to admire and respect his perseverance in persuing endeavors in the interest of the American Institute of Architects. While we here in Southern Nevada have been affiliated with the Mountain Region of the American Institute of Architects a relatively short period of time, it seems, because of Mr. Porter's many visits in our behalf, that we have always been apart of the area under his regional directorship.

Because his record of service is far above and beyond the normal call of duty, I therefore, respectfully request that careful consideration be given to the nomination of Mr. Porter by the Jury of Fellows.

Very truly yours,

Edward B. Hendricks

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August 1, 1960

The Jury of Fellows
American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Ave., N.W.,
Washington 6, D. C.

Gentlemen:

It has been called to my attention that Frederic H. Porter, A.I.A., of Cheyenne, Wyoming, a member of the Wyoming Chapter and present Director from the Western Mountain District, has been nominated for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute, and I wish to add my hearty endorsement to his nomination.

I have known Mr. Porter personally for nearly twenty-five years and am well acquainted with the quality of his work and his contribution to the architecture of his area. I am also acquainted with the outstanding job he did in organizing the Architects of Wyoming and the formation of the Wyoming Chapter. In addition to his professional activities he has been very active in community affairs and is a civic leader in Cheyenne.

Mr. Porter's professional ability and integrity, and his service to the Institute and his community, make him a credit to the Profession and in my opinion qualify him for a Fellowship. I earnestly hope that the Jury of Fellows grants him this recognition.

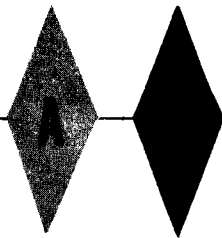
Respectfully yours,

Burdette Higgins

Burdette Higgins, A.I.A.,
Iowa Chapter

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September 6, 1960

Miss Florence Gervas, Secretary
Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

FACTUAL
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J

Dear Miss Gervas:

I received a letter from George W. Tresler, AIA, regarding the nomination of Frederic (Bunk) H. Porter to the Jury of Fellows, A.I.A. for advancement to Fellowship in The Institute.

I have known Mr. Porter for approximately three years. Since my election to the Board I have had close contact with the nominee and have found him a leader with a "heart". He has the ability to organize, create a friendly atmosphere, and to get people to cooperate.

He has served his chapter well since he organized it in 1947. He is now the Regional Director for the Mountain Region.

Sincerely,

D. A. Hopper, Jr.
D. A. HOPPER, JR., AIA

DAH:JR/JT



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AUGUST 22, 1960

MISS FLORENCE GERVAIS, SECRETARY
 THE JURY OF FELLOWS - THE OCTAGON
 1735 NEW YORK AVENUE N. W.
 WASHINGTON 6, D. C.

RE: CANDIDACY - FREDERIC H. PORTER

ack 8-24-60
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GENTLEMEN:

I SHOULD LIKE TO ADD MY RECOMMENDATION TO THAT OF THE MANY I KNOW WILL BE IN YOUR HANDS IN REGARD TO THE NOMINATION OF FREDERIC H. PORTER, OF CHEYENNE, WYOMING, FOR ADVANCEMENT TO FELLOWSHIP IN THE INSTITUTE.

I HAVE KNOWN MR. PORTER FOR TWENTY YEARS AND HAVE HAD OPPORTUNITY TO KNOW AT FIRST HAND OF HIS DEDICATION TO HIS PROFESSION AND TO THE INSTITUTE NOT ONLY AS SECRETARY AND PRESIDENT OF HIS CHAPTER, OF WHICH HE WAS THE ORIGINAL ORGANIZER, BUT, ALSO, AS SECRETARY AND PRESIDENT OF THE STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF ARCHITECTS OF WYOMING AND AS REGIONAL DIRECTOR OF THE ROCKY MOUNTAIN REGION.

MR. PORTER'S DEDICATION AND DEVOTION TO THE PROFESSION AND TO THE A. I. A. HAS BEEN EXEMPLARY. INDEED, IT HAS BEEN THE UNIFYING INFLUENCE OF THE PROFESSION IN THE STATE OF WYOMING AND THROUGHOUT THE WESTERN MOUNTAIN REGION.

I COMMEND HIM TO THE JURY FOR SERIOUS CONSIDERATION AND URGE HIS ADVANCEMENT TO FELLOWSHIP.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED

James M. Hunter
 JAMES M. HUNTER, FAIA
 ARCHITECT

JMH/BB

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REG. ARCHITECT
REG. ENGINEER

August 1, 1960

The Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Attention Miss Florence Gervias

Gentlemen:

The undersigned has been advised that the Wyoming Chapter of the American Institute of Architects is placing Frederick H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming, in nomination for advancement to fellowship in the Institute.

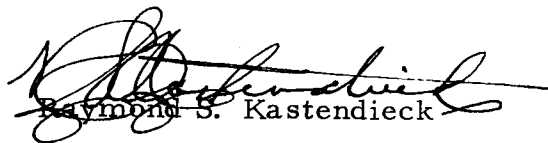
Mr. Porter organized the Wyoming Chapter of the American Institute of Architects in 1947, served as its first president, and then was elected secretary-treasurer and continued his service to the Chapter in that position until 1958 when he was elected to the office of Regional Director for the Western Mountain Region.

Mr. Porter's position in the profession is an enviable one, representing as it does a career exemplifying high ethical standards and supporting his professional organization, the American Institute of Architects, at all times.

It has been a privilege of the undersigned to have served on the Board of Directors of the American Institute of Architects with Mr. Porter. Where his sincerity and dedication has been evident to the entire Board of Directors, his counsel has been wise and always fundamentally directed to the well being of the profession.

It is a privilege to support the nomination of Mr. Porter.

Very truly yours,


Raymond S. Kastendieck

Member of The American Institute of Architects

BERGMAN S. LETZLER, A. I. A.
REGISTERED ARCHITECT

543 South Fifth Street Louisville 2, Kentucky

8 September 1960

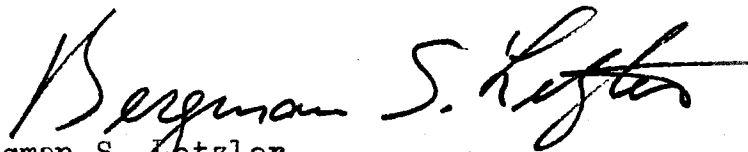
The Jury of Fellows
American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington 6, D.C.

Gentlemen:

It has come to my attention that the Wyoming Chapter, American Institute of Architects, is nominating Mr. Frederick H. Porter of Chyenne, Wyoming, for advancement to Fellowship. It gives me great pleasure to endorse this nomination; I feel Bunk Porter will be a worthy addition to your ranks.

I first met Bunk Porter in July 1958 when he was elected Regional Director, Western Mountain District. During the following year, my senior year as Great Lakes District Regional Director, I saw a great deal of Bunk and can assure you he was a most able and energetic member of The Board.

Sincerely,


Bergman S. Letzler

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14 December 1960

Chairman - The Jury of Fellows
American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington 6, D.C.

FACTUAL

Re: Mr. Frederic H. Porter

Dear Sir:

It was with a great sense of pleasure that I learned that the Wyoming Chapter had sponsored the nomination of Mr. Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne Wyoming, as a candidate for advancement to Fellowship in the American Institute of Architects on the basis of his Service to the Institute.

Actually "Bunk" (short for Bunker Hill) Porter is the popular choice of the entire Western Mountain Region as a man dedicated to his profession and to the task of forwarding the Objectives of the A.I.A. throughout the country.

He was largely responsible for the enactment of a Registration Law for the State of Wyoming and almost single handedly fought it through the legislature of that State until it became a reality.

He organized and worked diligently to acquire a Charter for the Wyoming Chapter of the A.I.A. and was its first President.

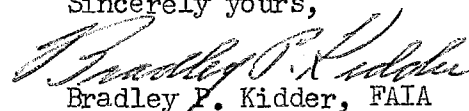
He has been one of the leading figures in the Western Mountain Regional-District since its was reorganized in 1950 and has taken a leading part in all of the Regional Conferences for the last nine years. Of course, he is presently the Regional Director for this Region and as such he has made many visits to the various Chapters to inspire them to higher achievements.

Not only is "Bunk" Porter a dedicated man in his job, but he gives the appearance of enjoying his work at all times and thus generates enthusiasm in others to want to work with him for the good of the profession.

Perhaps very few of his achievements have been spectacular, but he is the sort of man who takes on the nasty, time consuming, unattractive tasks that no one else is willing or patient enough to cope with - and he gets the job done in a manner that is a credit to the Institute.

Yes indeed, I take real pleasure in writing this letter to add my name to what must be a long list of those who would like to endorse and promote the nomination of Frederic Porter for advancement to Fellowship.

Sincerely yours,


Bradley P. Kidder, FAIA

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1 August 1960

Miss Florence Gervias, Secretary
The Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington 6, D.C.

ack 8-8-60
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Dear Miss Gervias:

I would like to give my wholehearted support to the nomination of Mr. Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming, for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

I have known "Bunk" Porter for a number of years; first when he was an officer in the Wyoming Chapter, and later when he became Western Mountain Regional Director. He is completely devoted to his profession and to the American Institute of Architects.

His advancement to Fellowship would be well deserved by this most worthy architect.

Very truly yours,



James S. Liberty
Architect

JSL/mb

cc: George W. Tresler, AIA

OFFICE OF
HENRY F. LUDORF, A.I.A., ARCHITECT

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AUGUST 9, 1960

THE JURY OF FELLOWS
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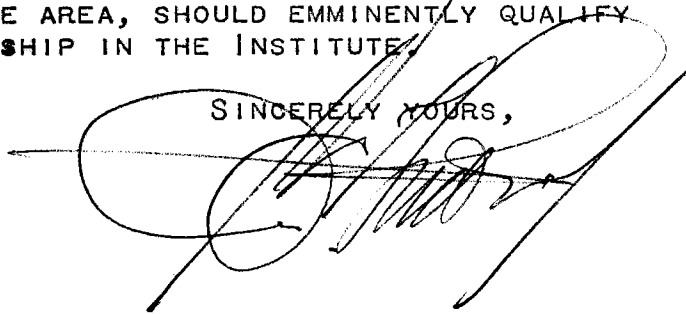
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GENTLEMEN:

IT IS MY PLEASURE TO SUPPORT THE NOMINATION OF
MR. FREDERIC H. PORTER OF CHEYENNE, WYOMING,
FOR ADVANCEMENT TO FELLOWSHIP IN THE INSTITUTE.
I HAVE KNOWN HIM FOR SEVERAL YEARS AS A MEMBER
OF THE OFFICE PRACTICE COMMITTEE.

FOR CREDITABLE CONTRIBUTION AND HIS UNTIRING
EFFORTS ON BEHALF OF THE INSTITUTE AND PARTI-
CULARLY FOR HIS WORK OF MANY YEARS IN THE ROCKY
MOUNTAIN STATE AREA, SHOULD EMINENTLY QUALIFY
HIM TO FELLOWSHIP IN THE INSTITUTE.

SINCERELY YOURS,



HFL/MBB

FRED L. MARKHAM, F. A. I. A.
A R C H I T E C T

ARLON L. VAN ORDEN
ASSOCIATE ARCHITECT

35 NORTH UNIVERSITY AVE.
P R O V O , U T A H

August 11, 1960

Miss Florence Gervias, Secretary
The Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

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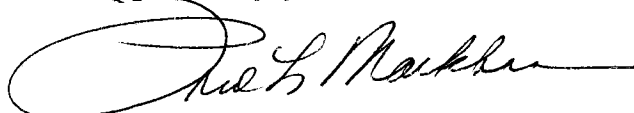
Gentlemen:

The Wyoming Chapter of the Institute has advised me that they are presenting to you Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne as a nominee for fellowship in the Institute.

I have known Mr. Porter for a number of years and had occasion to observe his activity, particularly through the past 12 years. He has been the "spark plug" of the profession in his area being to a great extent responsible for the organization of the A. I. A. Chapter in Wyoming. He has carried the same enthusiasm for the profession in his work on various committees of the Institute; as a member of the Licensing Board of his state; and more recently as the Regional Director.

It is indeed a pleasure for me to recommend him to you with the hope that you will see fit to recognize his meritorious service.

Respectfully yours,



Fred L. Markham
Architect

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October 19, 1960

The Jury of Fellows
The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington 6, D.C.

Attention: Miss Florence Gervias, Secretary

Gentlemen:

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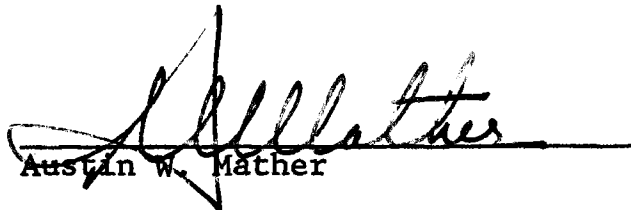
It has come to my attention that Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming has been nominated by the Wyoming Chapter for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

It has been my good fortune to serve with Mr. Porter from 1953 to 1955 as members of the Institute's Office Practice Committee, and during that time developed a deep respect for this man for his dedication to a very intensive program and his really important contributions to the work.

While being a member of this committee is important, it seems to me that Mr. Porter, as the prime organizer of the Wyoming Chapter, carries greater significance particularly in that his service to that Chapter has continued through 1958 when he accepted the position of Regional Director for the Western Mountain Region.

It would seem to me that his record of service entitles him to your serious consideration.

Very truly yours,


Austin W. Mather

THOMAS J. LYONS, AIA
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October 28, 1960

Miss Florence Gervais, Secretary
The Jury of Fellows, the Octagon
American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6 D.C.

FACTUAL

Dear Miss Gervais:

I learn of the nomination of Mr. Frederic H. "Bunk" Porter, of Cheyenne, Wyoming, by the Wyoming Chapter for advancement to Fellowship in The Institute.

I have known Mr. Porter for many years as an active, capable and hard working member of, first, the Office Practice Committee under the Chairmanship of both David Baer and myself, and later, Regional Director for the Western Mountain Region. He resigned from the Committee because of his election to the higher office.

I know that Mr. Porter has always served the Profession and its members in his Chapter and region, with true devotion and energy. He was the organizer of the Wyoming Chapter, its first President and then its Secretary Treasurer, a position he held during the entire time he served The Institute on the Office Practice Committee.

I strongly urge that the Jury of Fellows convey the distinction of Fellowship to Mr. Porter; this distinction will be jointly felt by the entire Wyoming Chapter membership, since "Bunk" is its senior and probably, its most respected member.

Having had this personal contact and a most warm friendship for this distinguished Architect, whose professional standing has long been recognised as the highest, I take sincere pleasure in recommending his advancement to Fellowship in The Institute.

Sincerely yours,

Frank V. Mayo
Frank V. Mayo FAIA

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August 5, 1960

IN REFERENCE TO:

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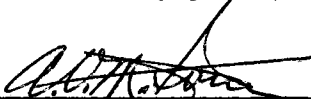
Dear Fellows:

I desire to recommend for your consideration the name of Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming, for advancement to Fellow of the Institute.

I have known Mr. Porter for many years, he being the senior member of the Wyoming Chapter. I believe I now rate as senior active member of the Montana Chapter. During the years I served as a Regional Director of the Institute and wished anything done in, or information concerning Wyoming or northern Colorado, I turned to 'Bunk' Porter. He always produced. He has labored many years for the profession of Architecture as a whole, and more particular in Wyoming and Colorado where I feel he has definitely raised the status of the Institute.

I consider him eminently qualified and exceptionally worthy of receiving this high kudos and recognition, and consider it an honor and distinct pleasure to so recommend him.

Sincerely yours,


A. V. McIver, F.A.I.A.

AVM:sf

JOHN GAW MEEB

Fellow of the American Institute of Architects

P. O. Box 628
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

July 29, 1960

The Jury of Fellows
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Attention: Miss Florence Gervias, Secretary

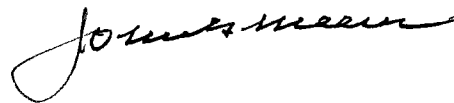
Gentlemen:

It gives me great pleasure to endorse the action of the Wyoming Chapter of the American Institute of Architects in nominating Frederic H. Porter for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

He has given exceptional service to the Institute, not only in helping to organize and administer the Wyoming Chapter, but also in helping to coordinate and consolidate the activities of the Western Mountain Region in his capacity as Regional Director. He has done this largely through his conciliatory and intelligent approach to the problems of our region.

He is worthy of receiving the honor of Fellowship for services to the Institute and it is my hope you will be able to grant it to him.

Sincerely,



JGMh

cc Mr. George W. Tresler
Box 1050
Cody, Wyoming

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August 20, 1960

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Attention: Miss Florence Gervias, Secretary

Gentlemen:

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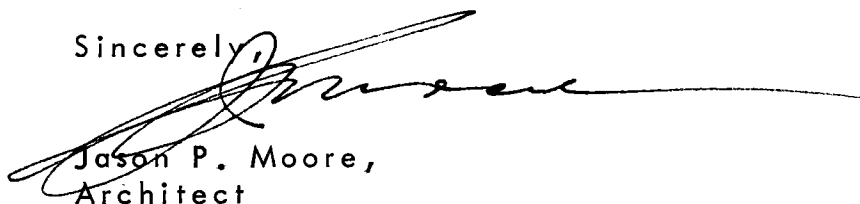
It is my understanding that Mr. Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming is being nominated to the Jury of Fellows. Mr. Porter has been known to me and to architects all over the Rocky Mountain States for many years. We consider him one of the key figures and leaders in the promotion of Institute affairs and the spirit of friendship and cooperation among architects of the region.

Mr. Porter was the organizer of the Wyoming Chapter, A.I.A., and was instrumental in securing its approval in 1947. He served as the first President of the Chapter and then continuously as Secretary-Treasurer until 1958 when he became Regional Director of the Western Mountain Region. The Chapter has grown from the original six members to thirty at the present time.

I feel that Mr. Porter's service to the Institute has been outstanding and over and above the normal service expected of a Chapter and an Institute officer. He is known to all of us as a tireless and sincere worker and as a strong leader in professional affairs.

I respectfully submit this letter of support of Mr. Porter's nomination and unreservedly recommend him for the honor of Fellowship.

Sincerely,



Jason P. Moore,
Architect

JPM/jln

ALLAN H. NEAL, F.A.I.A. . ARCHITECT

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HAROLD J. RAMSEY, A.I.A.
REESE R. NEAL, A.I.A.

September 2, 1960

The Jury of Fellows,
American Institute of Architects,
1735 New York Avenue,
Washington 6, D. C.

FACTUAL
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Gentlemen,

The Wyoming Chapter A. I. A. has nominated Frederic H. Porter, of that Chapter, to be a candidate for a Fellowship.

I have known Fred Porter for about 10 years and I am writing to urge your favorable consideration of his candidacy. I know him to be a gentleman of integrity and dedicated to the profession of architecture.

He was one of the chief organizers of the Wyoming Chapter A. I. A. and was instrumental in having its charter approved at the Grand Rapids Convention. He was also its first President.

He has served on the A. I. A. Standing Committee on Office Practice and on local chapter committees.

He has designed creditable buildings for the University of Wyoming; an addition to the Veterans Hospital in Cheyenne; work for the U. S. Government at the Fort in Cheyenne; Public Schools in Cheyenne; work for the State of Wyoming and numerous other projects.

He has served continuously on the Wyoming State Board of Architects since 1951 as a member and its secretary-treasurer.

He has served a term in the Wyoming State Legislature, has been President of the Liens Club and many other civic activities. He has also been very active in the Little Theater Group in Cheyenne for many years.

And last, but not least, he is serving his third year on the A. I. A. Board of Directors.

In consideration of the above qualifications, I urge that the honor of a Fellowship be conferred on Fredreic H. Porter.

Sincerely yours,

Allan H. Neal

Allan H. Neal, F. A. I. A.

WILLIAM STANLEY PARKER, F.A.I.A.
Architect-Consultant on Public Works Programming
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August 1, 1960

Miss Florence Gervias, Secretary
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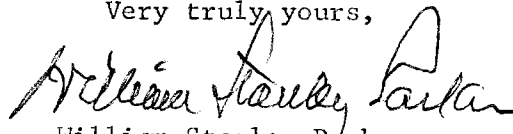
Dear Miss Gervais:

Will you please record with the Jury of Fellows my cordial support of the nomination of Frederic H. Porter for advancement to fellowship?

The reasons given by the Members of the Wyoming Chapter are valid as evidenced by my own experience of his activity on the Office Practice Committee.

His service to the Institute thoroughly justifies favorable action by the Jury of Fellows.

Very truly yours,


William Stanley Parker

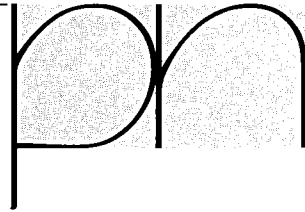
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JOHN H. PRITCHARD, F.A.I.A.
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August 30, 1960

Jury of Fellows
The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington 6, D. C.

FACTUAL

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J

Gentlemen:

It has come to my attention that the Wyoming Chapter of the American Institute of Architects has voted unanimously to nominate Frederic H. Porter, A.I.A., for advancement to fellowship in the American Institute of Architects.

It has been my great pleasure to have been associated with Mr. Porter for several years and I am therefore personally aware of the great service he has rendered to architecture and the American Institute of Architects.

He has served with great distinction as Regional Director of the Western Mountain Region. He was the first president of the Wyoming Chapter as he was the organizer and later became Secretary-Treasurer, a position he held until 1958 when he resigned to accept the Regional Directorship for the Western Mountain Region. In all of this Buck Porter has made a significant contribution to the profession of architecture in Wyoming and in the region and has made the affairs of the Institute vital and progressive in scope and in accomplishment.

It is, therefore, my sincere hope that this outstanding pioneer in the development of our profession in the Western Mountain Region will be given every possible consideration for advancement to fellowship. He is most worthy, and he justly deserves the high honor which the Institute can bestow upon him by advancing him to fellowship.

Sincerely yours,

John A. Pritchard
JHP

John H. Pritchard, F.A.I.A.

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3 August 1960

Miss Florence Gervias, Secretary
The Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

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Dear Miss Gervias:

Mr. George Tresler of the Wyoming Chapter of the A.I.A. has written me a letter concerning their desire to name Mr. Frederic H. "Bunk" Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute. Mr. Porter was one of the first Architects I met when I came to Denver in 1945 and joined the Chapter as a Junior Associate. Since this time I have had the opportunity to be associated in many phases of architecture and Chapter activity with Mr. Porter.

This gentleman has ever been one who believed in the profession of architecture and the tenets established by the American Institute of Architects. He has believed in these tenets so strongly that he has never, to my knowledge, hesitated to put their advancement ahead of his own personal interests.

In about 1956 I had the occasion to be associated with Mr. Porter in an architectural job and I must say I have never experienced a more pleasant relationship between two architectural offices. I have served in the capacity of an officer for the Colorado Chapter during which time I also had much occasion to work with Mr. Porter and again came away with only the highest regard for this gentleman.

I certainly agree with my fellow practitioners in Wyoming that Mr. Porter is eminently and exceptionally worthy of receiving the high honor and recognition of being named a

Miss Florence Gervias

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3 August 1960

Fellow of the Institute. It is my desire to add this
communique to any which you might have received from
Wyoming or this Rocky Mountain Area as favoring such
action.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Paul W. Rader". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Paul W. Rader

PWR/ss

cc: Mr. George W. Tresler

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August 9, 1960

The Jury of Fellows, AIA
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.,
Washington 6, D. C.

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Gentlemen:

This letter is written in behalf of Frederic H. Porter whom I understand has been nominated for a Fellowship by the Wyoming Chapter, AIA.

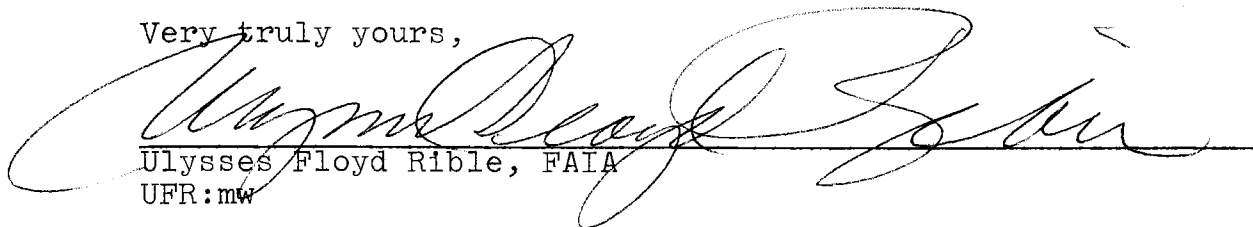
It was my pleasure to know "Bunk" Porter during two years of our terms on the Board of Directors of the American Institute of Architects. He impressed me as a man of firm conviction with a dedication to the ideals and advancement of the American Institute of Architects.

It is my understanding that Mr. Porter has been a prominent leader in civic and professional affairs in Wyoming for nearly 40 years. He was instrumental in pressing for the establishment of the Wyoming Chapter which was approved by the Institute in 1947.

In addition to the many professional committees on which he has served, both in the State of Wyoming and on a national basis, he has served as a member of the Wyoming State Board of Architects since 1951--the year in which the State established a registration act. Earlier, he had served a term in the State Legislature as an Assemblyman from his District.

Your considered attention to this nomination will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,


Ulysses Floyd Rible, FAIA
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September 16, 1960

Re: Mr. Frederick Porter, AIA
Cheyenne, Wyoming

The Jury of Fellowships
American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington 6, D.C.

FACTUAL
ack 9-22-60
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Gentlemen:

I am informed that the Wyoming Chapter of the American Institute of Architects proposes Mr. Frederick Porter, AIA for advancement to Fellowship in the AIA, based on his Service to the Institute.

I have known Mr. Porter for at least 6 years. He served on the Board of the American Institute of Architects during the 2 years I served the Institute as president.

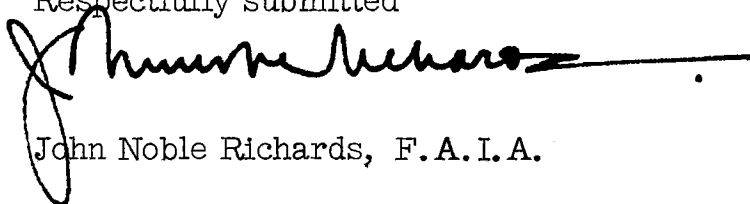
He was a valued director of the AIA and his advice and counsel was always very well received and his thinking regarding this counsel had reference to the entire profession and not only to his district.

He was the organizer of the Wyoming Chapter and has taken a very active part in the development of that chapter which has grown from its original 6 members to 30 members at the present time.

He exemplifies the profession of architecture due to his friendliness, his participation in professional affairs of his organization and his interest in the development of his community.

Therefore, I am pleased to recommend Mr. Frederic Porter, A.I.A. for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute, based on his Service to the Institute.

Respectfully submitted



John Noble Richards, F.A.I.A.

JNR/ems

THE OFFICE OF
DANIEL SCHWARTZMAN

12 EAST 36 STREET, NEW YORK 16, N. Y. LEXINGTON 2-2375

ARCHITECT

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August 1, 1960

The Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

FACTUAL

Attention: Miss Florence Gervias, Sec'y

Gentlemen:

I was delighted to learn that the Wyoming Chapter voted to nominate Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

I have known "Bunk" Porter for many years, first as a most devoted member of the Office Practice Committee of the Institute, and then as a most conscientious regional director of the Institute, representing the Western Mountain Region.

As an organizer of the Wyoming Chapter, and its first president, he was instrumental in giving to the architects of his region a firm basis upon which to grow to an organization that would advance professional practice in their area and add strength to the national organization.

His professional stature is firmly established and his integrity is beyond reproach. I can with great enthusiasm endorse Frederic H. Porter for advancement to Fellowship.

Sincerely,


DANIEL SCHWARTZMAN, F.A.I.A.

DS:hb

LEON B. SENTER, F. A. I. A. & ASSOCIATES
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MISS FLORENCE GERVIAS, SECRETARY
THE JURY OF FELLOWS - THE OCTAGON
1735 NEW YORK AVENUE - NORTHWEST
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DEAR MISS GERVIAS:

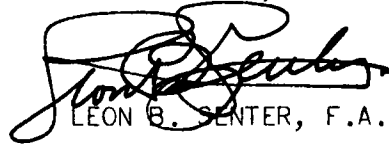
FREDERIC H. PORTER OF CHEYENNE, WYOMING, IS BEING
NOMINATED BY THE WYOMING CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF
ARCHITECTS FOR ADVANCEMENT TO FELLOWSHIP IN THE INSTITUTE.

I HAVE KNOWN MR. PORTER FOR MANY YEARS AND HAVE WORKED
VERY CLOSELY WITH HIM IN NATIONAL COMMITTEE WORK FOR THE INSTITUTE
THE PAST SEVERAL YEARS. MR. PORTER IS NOW A MEMBER OF OUR
NATIONAL BOARD. HE IS AN UN-TIRING WORKER, A DEEP THINKER AND
HAS EXHAUSTIBLY LABORED FOR THE GOOD OF THE PROFESSION. HIS
INTEREST IN THE PROFESSION GOES FAR BEYOND THE ACTIVITIES OF
THE USUAL CHAPTER OFFICER OR WORKER.

MR. PORTER ORGANIZED THE WYOMING CHAPTER AND SERVED AS
ITS FIRST PRESIDENT. HE LATER BECAME SECRETARY, WHICH POSITION
HE HELD WITH CREDIT UNTIL HE WAS ELECTED REGIONAL DIRECTOR AND A
MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL BOARD.

KNOWING MR. PORTER AS I DO, I WOULD BE VERY MUCH
PLEASED TO KNOW THAT THE JURY OF FELLOWS HAS TAKEN FAVORABLE
ACTION ON THIS NOMINATION.

RESPECTFULLY,



LEON B. SENTER, F.A.I.A.

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IRVING G. SMITH - F.A.I.A. - ARCHITECT

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August 2, 1960

The Jury of Fellows
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington 6, D.C.

Attention: Miss Florence H. Gervais, Secretary

Gentlemen:

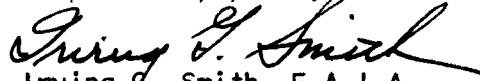
It is a pleasure for me to support the nomination, by the Wyoming Chapter, The American Institute of Architects, of Frederic H. Porter for advancement to Fellowship in The American Institute of Architects.

I have known Mr. Porter since 1950 and during that time have been most favorably impressed with his keen interest in Institute affairs and to his unselfish devotion to the principles established by the Institute.

He has given of his time and energy far above and beyond the usual Chapter Member interest. By so doing he has contributed greatly to a better understanding of our profession and to the part the Architect plays in the orderly development of his State and Region.

I feel his work in and for The Institute has been outstanding and his nomination for advancement to Fellowship is well deserved and justifies favorable consideration by The Jury of Fellows at this time.

Respectively yours,


Irving G. Smith, F.A.I.A.

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September 19, 1960

Jury of Fellows
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

FACTUAL

Gentlemen:

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I have been informed of the nomination of Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming, for Fellowship in the American Institute of Architects. I wish to endorse this nomination.

During the period that I have known Mr. Porter, I have been very much impressed with his deep devotion to the Institute, his concern for the architectural profession, and his efforts and energies on behalf of both. Mr. Porter's interest and activity in the Institute over the period of many years has been in the highest tradition of service to the Institute. I consider him to be eminently qualified for elevation to Fellowship.

Very truly yours,



Linn Smith, A.I.A.

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29 July 1960

Miss Florence Gervias, Secretary
The Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue N.W.
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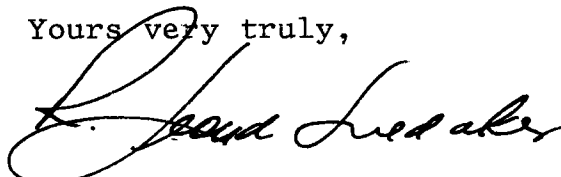
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Dear Miss Gervias:

I should like, by this letter, to express my pleasure in the fact that Mr. Frederic H. Porter has been nominated by the Wyoming Chapter for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute, and to add my name to the list of his sponsors. Bunk has long been a respected figure among the practitioners and all connected with the construction industry in this part of the country. He was, almost single handedly, responsible for the formation of the Wyoming Chapter. His efforts in fostering high ideals and technical competence among his contemporaries have been unending, particularly during his term as Director of the Western Mountain Region.

It is my opinion, shared by all with whom I have talked in this regard, that Mr. Porter is eminently worthy of receiving this high honor.

Yours very truly,



R. LLOYD SNEDAKER

cc - George W. Tresler, A.I.A.

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August 8, 1960

The Jury of Fellows of
The American Institute of Architects
1741 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington 6, D.C.

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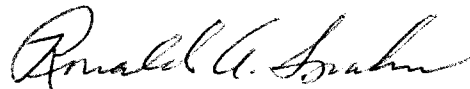
It is with great pleasure that I have learned of the action taken by the Wyoming Chapter of the American Institute of Architects to endorse Frederic H. Porter for advancement to Fellowship in recognition of his fine record of service to the Institute.

As one who has worked with this candidate for a number of years on the A.I.A. Committee on Office Practice and otherwise observed his tireless efforts and many accomplishments on behalf of the profession, I feel privileged to support the action of his Chapter.

With all his devoted work in the interest of his profession he has actively maintained a practise embracing the highest standards.

The Jury of Fellows owes serious consideration of the accomplishments of Frederic H. Porter in advancing him to the honor which the Institute grants to those who have served with distinction.

Respectfully yours,


Ronald A. Spahn, A.I.A.

RAS:bb



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
1735 NEW YORK AVENUE, N.W.
WASHINGTON 6, D. C.

HAROLD T. SPITZNAGEL, DIRECTOR
NORTH CENTRAL STATES DISTRICT
1800 SOUTH SUMMIT AVENUE
SIOUX FALLS, SOUTH DAKOTA

August 2, 1960

Miss Florence Gervias, Secretary
The Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue NW
Washington 6, D. C.

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ack 8-8-60
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Gentlemen:

I have been advised that the Wyoming Chapter has proposed Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne, Wyoming for advancement to Fellowship on the basis of his service to the Institute.

I have, of course, known Mr. Porter as a fellow Director for the past three years, and I know from first hand that he is highly regarded in his Region and has worked vigorously for the Institute as a Director.

I am happy therefore to add my endorsement to Mr. Porter's nomination.

Cordially,

Harold Spitznagel F.A.I.A.

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STANTON, BOLES, MAGUIRE AND CHURCH ARCHITECTS

GLENN STANTON, F.A.I.A. ROLLIN BOLES, A.I.A. KEITH MAGUIRE, A.I.A. KINGSLEY CHURCH, A.I.A.

208 S. W. STARK STREET, PORTLAND 4, OREGON

December 29, 1960

The Jury of Fellows
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Gentlemen:

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Frederic H. Porter
Wyoming Chapter

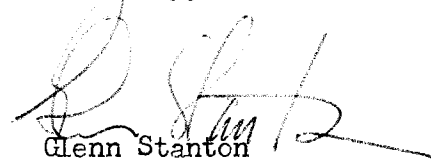
It is gratifying to know that Frederic H. Porter of Cheyenne has been nominated for Fellowship in the Institute.

His selfless activity in the great area of the Rocky Mountain states in behalf of his fellow practitioners and the profession of architecture is well known over many a thousand square miles of that great area.

He has demonstrated a rare capacity for leadership where it has been most fruitful.

For his accomplishments over a long period of years I am glad to add my endorsement to those who believe he is worthy of your recognition for his Service to the Institute.

Sincerely,



Glenn Stanton

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STEWART AND RICHARDSON, ARCHITECTS

DONALD J. STEWART AND K. E. RICHARDSON, 219 S. W. STARK STREET, PORTLAND 4, OREGON

August 2, 1960

Miss Florence Gervais, Secretary
The Jury of Fellows
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
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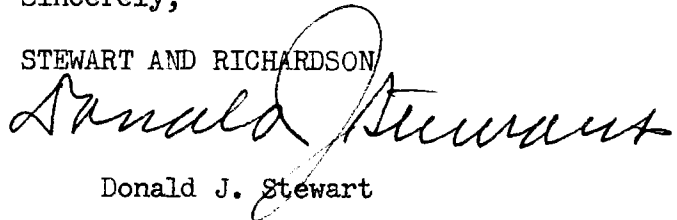
Dear Miss Gervais:

The Wyoming Chapter informs me that the name of Frederic H. Porter, Director from the Mountain States District, has been placed in nomination for advancement to Fellowship.

I served with Mr. Porter on the Board for one year, and I am acquainted with his activities as a Board member. On the basis of his performance as a member of the American Institute of Architects Board of Directors, I would recommend him for advancement to Fellowship of the American Institute of Architects.

Sincerely,

STEWART AND RICHARDSON



Donald J. Stewart

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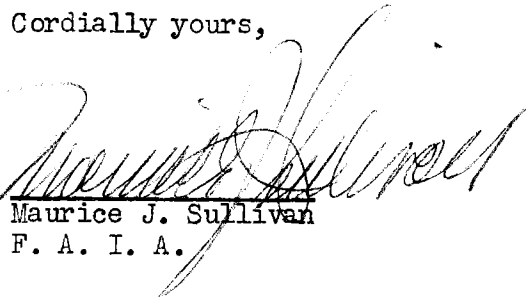
Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Dear Sirs:

It is my understanding that Mr. Frederic H. Porter
of Cheyenne, Wyoming has been nominated for advance-
ment to Fellowship in the Institute.

I wish to recommend this advancement on the basis of
Service to the Institute. Unfortunately, I am not
familiar with Mr. Porter's accomplishments in design.

Cordially yours,


Maurice J. Sullivan
F. A. I. A.

MJS:klh



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 WASHINGTON 6, D. C.

HARRY C. WELLER, DIRECTOR
 NORTHWEST DISTRICT
 DEPARTMENT OF ARCHITECTURAL ENGINEERING
 WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE
 PULLMAN, WASHINGTON

August 3, 1960

Miss Florence Gervais, Secretary
 The Jury of Fellows
 The Octagon
 1735 New York Avenue N. W.
 Washington 6, D. C.

ack 8-8-60

Dear Miss Gervais:

It is my understanding that the Wyoming Chapter A.I.A. is nominating Frederick H. Porter for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute. I learn of this with a great deal of pleasure since I am sure that in doing this the Wyoming Chapter is rightfully honoring a man who is vastly deserving.

I have had the honor of serving on the Board of Directors with "Bunk" Porter for the past two years. He is a dedicated and tireless worker in his capacity as Director. He has worked endlessly and effectively in his Chapter (which he organized) and all over the Rocky Mountain States for the advancement of our profession and of its individual practitioners. This work has been over and above the usual call of duty of the various Chapter and Regional offices he has held.

It is my considered opinion that Frederick H. Porter is entirely worthy and if Fellowship is granted by the Jury of Fellows it would be bestowing deserved honor on one of its most distinguished members.

Sincerely yours,

Harry C. Weller, Director
 Northwest Region A.I.A.

HCW:mj

WILSON PATTERSON, SOWDEN, DUNLAP AND EPPERLY
ARCHITECTS AND ENGINEERS

EDWARD L. WILSON, F. A. I. A.
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601 BAILEY AVENUE
P. O. BOX 9048
FORT WORTH 7, TEXAS

December 19, 1960

The Jury of Fellows
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

FACTUAL

Gentlemen:

I wish to write this letter in behalf of Mr. Frederic Porter, A.I.A., who has been nominated for Fellowship by the Wyoming Chapter, A.I.A. for his achievement in Service to the Institute. My endorsement is largely personal and I do not feel that it is necessary to rehearse the list of his accomplishments in Service to the Institute, since they are no doubt on file with the Jury already.

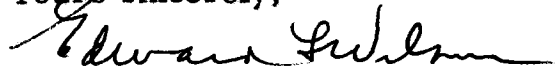
He has a long list of accomplishments, all tending to add to his lustre as a fine Architect and a gentlemen of great credit to the Institute and his community. He was a pioneer in the establishment of A.I.A. in Wyoming playing a leading roll in the establishment of the Wyoming Chapter serving as the first President and then as Secretary-Treasurer until 1958. My personal contact with Frederic Porter was through serving on the Board of Directors of the Institute as Secretary of the Institute during which time two years of his term as director were served. I also knew him through his work on the A.I.A. Office Practice Committee, all of which he was particularly effective. He has been Secretary-Treasurer of the Wyoming State Board of Architects since the passage of the license law in 1951. He served a term as State Legislature.

Through a well rounded career as an Architect in A.I.A. Service, as well as through his public activity as a citizen and civic contribution, he has certainly fulfilled his obligations to his profession and his community in all of his public and private life. It is not difficult to say that I sincerely believe he merits elevation to Fellowship by the Institute and that the bestowal of this honor will meet with the approbation of his fellow Architects and citizens in his community and that he will carry the honor of this

The Jury of Fellows
The American Institute of Architects
1635 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.
December 19, 1960
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high office with distinction, humility and gratitude to all.

Yours sincerely,



Edward L. Wilson, F.A.I.A

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MARTIN RAY YOUNG, JR. "AIA"

ARCHITECT

FIFTY SOUTH UDALL STREET
MESA ARIZONA

Jury of Fellows,
The American Institute of Architects,
1735 New York Ave., N. W.,
Washington 6, D. C.

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Gentlemen:

With great pleasure I endorse the nomination of
Mr. Frederic H. Porter, AIA, for Fellowship in The
American Institute of Architects.

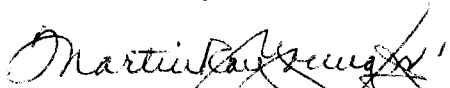
I have the great honor of being closely associated with
Mr. Porter during the years he has served the Institute
as a Director from the Western Mountain Region, and prior
to that time as he assisted in getting Registration Laws
into effect in Wyoming, as well as organizing the Wyoming
Chapter of the Institute.

He has been untiring in his effort to further the work of
the Institute and of the profession.

I sincerely feel that his service to the Institute has been
above and beyond the ordinary and usual participation and
that he is eminently worthy of this high honor.

I am honored to be able to recommend and endorse Mr. Porter
for Fellowship in the Institute.

Sincerely,



Martin Ray Young, Jr.

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Member, Executive Committee, Central Arizona Chapter, A.I.A.

9 September 1960

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS



The Octagon · 1735 New York Avenue, N.W. · Washington 6, D. C.

September 21, 1960

C O N F I D E N T I A L

Re: Frederic H. Porter, Sr., A.I.A.

To Members of
The Executive Committee, Wyoming Chapter, A.I.A.

An architect is advanced to Fellowship in recognition of exceptional ability or of exceptional service. The Jury of Fellows always tries to choose wisely and with discrimination, but it is limited in precise knowledge about the nominees.

To complete Nomination, this form must be filled and returned before January 1st. Otherwise, no action will be taken at the forthcoming Jury meeting.

It is the opinion of the Jury of Fellows that a designer, however talented, should not be advanced to Fellowship if he possesses deficiencies of character which reflect discredit upon the profession; and that no architect, regardless of outstanding service, should be advanced if the buildings which he has designed are so notably inferior in architectural design as to reflect discredit upon the profession.

To help the Jury learn such aspects, which are not normally completely supplied through regular nomination procedure, fill in the lines below which in your opinion apply to Frederic H. Porter, Sr., A.I.A. and return this sheet in the addressed envelope provided.

- 1. Has he many friends who speak well of him? Yes
- 2. Do they also vouch for his accomplishments? Yes
- 3. Would his ethics be acceptable in business? Yes
- 4. What is your opinion of his character? VERY GOOD (REFER TO LETTER)

R. M. Haltinger PRESIDENT 1960.
(Signature)

Member of the Executive Committee, Wyoming Chapter, A.I.A.

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September 22, 1960

C O N F I D E N T I A L

Re: Frederic H. Porter, Sr., A.I.A.

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1. Has he many friends who speak well of him? YES
2. Do they also vouch for his accomplishments? YES
3. Would his ethics be acceptable in business? YES
4. What is your opinion of his character? EXCELLENT

George M. Tucker
(Signature)

Member of the Executive Committee, Wyoming Chapter, A.I.A.

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September 21, 1960

C O N F I D E N T I A L

Re: Frederic H. Porter, Sr., A.I.A.

To Members of
The Executive Committee, Wyoming Chapter, A.I.A.

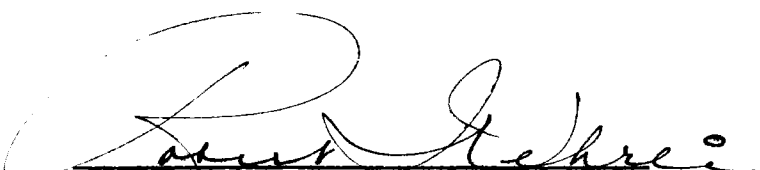
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C. A. Hitchcock
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GEORGE W. TRESLER, A.I.A.
A R C H I T E C T

20 July 1960

PHONE 738
P. O. BOX 900
CODY, WYOMING

Mr. Edmund R. Purves F.A.I.A.
1524 30th Street N. W.
Washington 7, D. C.

Dear Mr. Purves:

The Wyoming Chapter of the American Institute of Architects at a recent meeting voted to nominate to the Jury of Fellows, A.I.A. the name of our respected senior member, Frederic H. Porter, of Cheyenne, Wyoming for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

"Bunk" Porter, as he has been affectionately known for years to Architects all over the Rocky Mountain States, has been the key figure and leader in the creation of friendliness and cooperation among the practitioners of the area before, and since, Wyoming received its Institute Charter.

He was organizer of the Wyoming Chapter and secured its approval at the Grand Rapids Convention in 1947. He was our first President and was then elected Secretary-Treasurer in which position he served until 1958 when he resigned to accept the Regional Directorship for the Western Mountain Region. Our Chapter has grown from its original six chapter members to a Corporate membership of thirty at the present time.

We, in Wyoming, are firmly convinced that Bunk's service to The Institute - and the whole architectural profession - has been outstanding and above and beyond the ordinary and usual Chapter officer participation. He is, in our unanimous opinion, eminently and exceptionally worthy of receiving this high honor and recognition.

We therefore respectfully ask that you assist us by a supporting letter to -

Miss Florence Gervias, Secretary
The Jury of Fellows - The Octagon
1735 New York Avenue N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

We feel sure that with your knowledge of Bunk, you will want to help us secure this recognition for him.

Cordially yours,


GEO. W. TRESLER, CHAIRMAN

FHG

August 1, 1960

Mr. George W. Traoler, A.I.A.
P. O. Box 900
Cody, Wyoming

Dear Mr. Traoler:

In reply to yours of July 20th I regret to advise that in view of my position as Executive Director of The Institute, it is deemed inadvisable to write letters in support of nominations for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute.

As much as I admire Bank Porter, and I sincerely hope he makes the grade, I am truly sorry that I must refrain from writing a letter in his behalf. I am sure you can well appreciate the reasons for this decision.

I am well aware of Bank's splendid contributions to the profession and I wish it were in my power to support his nomination.

Sincerely yours,

Edmund R. Purves

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Executive Director

EDP:am

cc: Miss Gervais