



# Diocese of Colorado Springs

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To Whom it May Concern:

I am writing to certify that Ms. Vickie Leigh Smith who currently resides in the Diocese of Colorado Springs, is an adult in good standing in the Diocese of Colorado Springs.

I have reviewed all of our personnel files and all other records, and I have consulted with those who have served with Ms. Smith regarding her suitability to serve as a speaker who is in union with the Magisterium on the Roman Catholic Church with respect to faith and morals. Based on these inquiries I am able to make the following statements regarding Ms. Smith:

- She has successfully completed all requirements for compliance with our diocesan Safe Environment Program, Virtus.
- She is a person of good moral character and reputation.
- She has not behaved in a way which would limit or disqualify her from service.
- She has nothing in her background which would render her unsuitable to work with minor Children or vulnerable adults.

If there is any further information I can provide, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

*+ James R. Golka*

Most Reverend James R. Golka  
Bishop of Colorado Springs

**This letter is Effective June 25, 2025 – June 24, 2026**