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Mr. Lyons and Mr. Hutton,

I am honored and excited to announce that I will be running for the 2027-29 STPGA Secretary position. It has been a great pleasure working with you on the STPGA Board of Directors as well as the co-chair of the Membership Services Committee for the past two years. I wish to continue my service to the STPGA, and I am looking forward to the Annual Meeting in College Station in February 2027. I started serving in 2017 as the Western Chapter VP, Chapter President, served on the Tournament Committee, then chaired that committee, and now serve on the STPGA Board as an At-Large Director. I am passionate about the game of golf, the STPGA, and plan to continue to help our association be the best.

I have been in the STPGA since I started my career in 1994 and gained PGA Membership in October 2002. I am currently the PGA Head Golf Professional at Kissing Tree Golf Club in San Marcos. Throughout my career, I have strived to be a mentor to my students, my staff, my team, or any young professional who wants to excel in their professional career. I have been so fortunate throughout my different roles in this business, and I want to continue to be a leader for the STPGA Section.

This position is a commitment for the next eight years, and I want you to know that I am fully in to work with the Board, the Section, and serve proudly at all National functions. I wish to continue to work on our Mission of serving the Member, growing the game through our STPGA Programs, and elevating our Association. There has been no better time in this game, with record rounds and revenues throughout the country, and I am excited to help the STPGA and our fellow professionals be the best they can at their facilities.

Thank you for your consideration to be your next STPGA Secretary.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Chad Donegan".

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