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Ms. Sarah Wells Senior Company Counsel Wells Fargo San Francisco, CA

Dear Ms. Sarah Wells,

My name is Kathryn Rhodes and I am applying for a Deputy District Attorney position at the Stanislaus County District Attorney's Office. This job would fit me very well, considering my interest, qualifications, and experience. I live near the office and am inspired by the achievements made by you and your team. I plan on attending Fresno State and receiving my bachelors degree in Criminal Justice. After that, I plan to attend McGeorge School of Law and begin practicing by 2032.

I have been passionate about law since I was young and working for Stanislaus County has always been my goal. The criminal justice system has always intrigued me and I would love to get behind it. I am involved in my high school's Associated Student Body Leadership program, and I believe that my experience in the program will help me with the leadership skills needed for this position. I work amongst a group of eight other Freshmen Representatives and have acquired many qualities like patience and composure when working with a group of equally ranked classmates. In addition, I have actively volunteered with the United Way of San Joaquin since 2010. I have played on many travel sports teams where I was the youngest and had to work my way up to the top, and I will continue to hold that mindset in this position, always striving to reach my personal best. Once school activities resume, I plan to join the Debate Team, which will strengthen my public speaking skills as well as familiarize me with debating others.

Working in law has always been my goal, specifically being a Deputy District Attorney. I have researched books on law since I was young, enjoyed writing reports, and find pleasure in debating. I believe I can turn this passion into a career and want to be able to give back to my community, helping them feel safe and just. I believe my achievements and eligibility qualify me for this position and that I would be an effective contributor to your team. I would love to interview with you and I am available at your convenience, please give me a call at (209)-996-2427. Thank you for your time and consideration, I look forward to meeting with you.

Respectfully,

Kathryn Rhodes