**Letter To Be Sent To The Top 3-5 Candidates**

Dear\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

Do you sense leadership from the Holy Spirit to allow \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (church name) to prayerfully consider you as a potential candidate for pastor?

 ☐ Yes ☐ No

If you are willing to be considered, we will need the following from you in order to begin our process.

* A current/updated copy of your resume listing ALL previous employment, education, and references.
* Links to (or a USB drive containing) at least three sermons. Video is preferred, but audio will be accepted if necessary.
* May we have permission to contact your references?
	+ ☐ Yes ☐ No
* May we have permission to contact your previous churches/employers?
	+ ☐ Yes ☐ No
* Please complete, sign and return the permission form for required reference and background checks.
* Please complete the enclosed questionnaire and return to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (email address) by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

I AM IN AGREEMENT WITH THE CONDITIONS LISTED ON THIS QUESTIONNAIRE

AND GIVE MY PERMISSION FOR \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (church name) TO BEGIN THEIR PROCESS OF CONSIDERATION OF ME AS A CANDIDATE FOR PASTOR.

 Signature\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_