



*Women In Trucking's mission is to encourage the employment of women in the trucking industry, promote their accomplishments, and minimize obstacles faced by women working in the trucking industry.*

November 12, 2019

The Honorable Jerry Moran  
Room 521, Dirksen Senate Office Building  
Washington DC 20510

RE: Bill to require the FMCSA Administrator to establish an advisory board focused on creating opportunities for women in the trucking industry.

Dear Senator Moran:

Thank you for your efforts in introducing a bill to create a board to provide increased opportunities for women seeking careers in the trucking industry. As President/CEO and founder of the Women In Trucking Association, Inc. this has been my passion. Our organization is a nonprofit association supported by our members.

By creating an advisory board to utilize the expertise and resources of the Federal Motor Carrier Administration and the members of the board, we can increase the opportunities for women as drivers, technicians, owners, trainers and in other relevant career roles.

Although women have strengthened their presence in supply chain in the past few years, we know there are still issues that cause women to reject a transportation career. Our goal is to better identify these concerns and address them to create a more diverse industry.

I look forward to working with you and your office in advancing this bill. We would like to invite you to go for a ride-along with one of our female drivers who serve on our Image Team when we announce this bill with Senator Baldwin.

Feel free to reach out to me at any time for information, support or exposure to our members.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'E. Voie', written over a horizontal line.

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