

Hoyer Sends Letters to Top Officials at Federal Agencies Requesting Details on Terminated Federal Employees, Deferred Resignation Program

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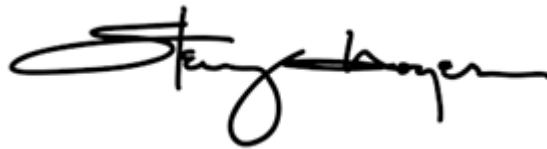
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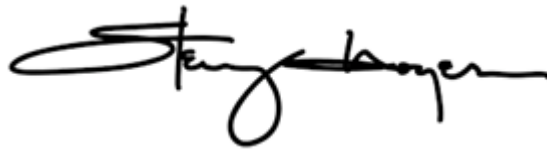
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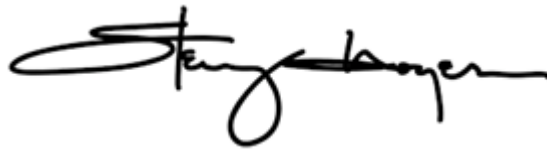
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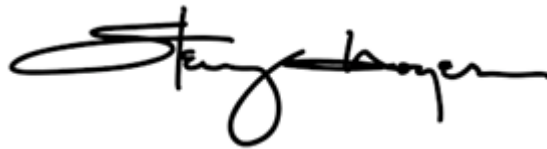
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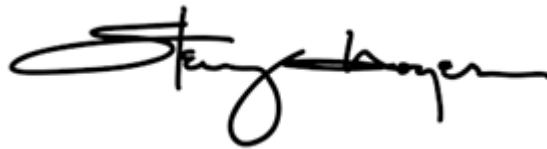
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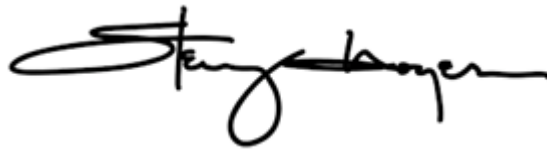
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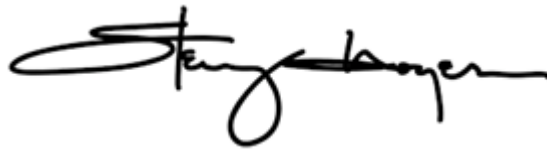
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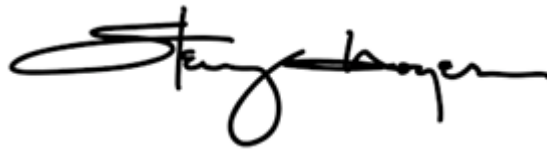
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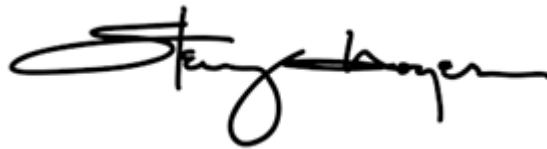
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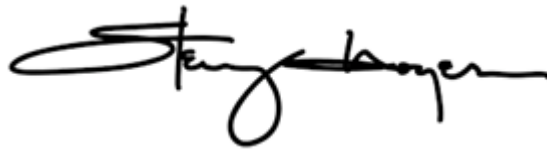
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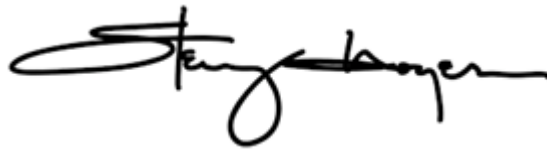
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Charles Ezell
Acting Director
Office of Personnel Management
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Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board
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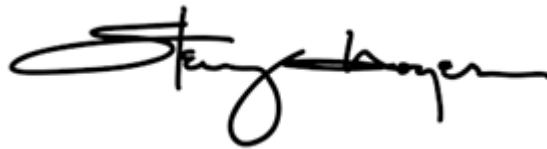
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Small Business Administration
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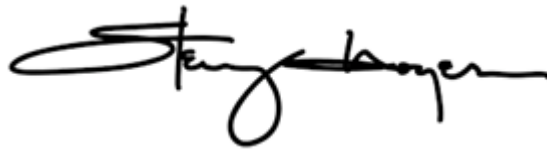
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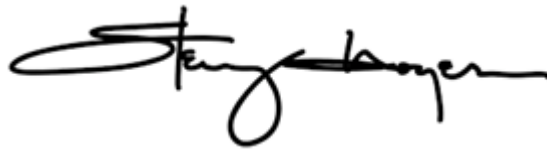
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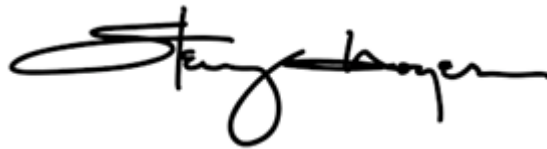
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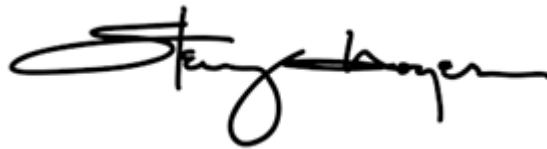
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