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Jamie Justice

WSYX/WTTE-TV

1261 Dublin Road

Columbus, OH 43215

Dear Mrs. Justice,

I would like to express my interest in the Morning Lifestyle Reporter position at ABC 6/FOX 28. I have been a sports anchor/reporter for five years and recently decided that while I love sports, I prefer the interactive, fun, entertainment side of news more.

I was born in Columbus, Ohio and have watched Buckeye football my whole life. Because of my love for Ohio State, and eventually Virginia Tech, my alma mater, I've pursued a career in sports. I've spent two years as a Sports Director in Beckley, West Virginia before moving into my current role as Weekend Sports Anchor in Roanoke, Virginia.

In both positions, I have done countless live shots, reported, anchored and had my share of live interviews. Through my time in this business, I realized I enjoyed the more personable side of news. I like meeting viewers and getting out into the community. I began filling in on our lifestyle show, "Daytime Blue Ridge."

I've been on the Virginia Tech beat since starting here, and during our 5 and 5:30 hits, my News Director always asks for us to do the "less-sporty" sports stories. Those quickly began to be my favorite.

I moved away from Columbus as a child, but visit frequently to see my family who live there. I am still amazed at all the fun things to do in such a wonderful city, and I believe this position would be a perfect fit for me to experience many of those things, while being engaging and entertaining to viewers.

I'm a very enthusiastic person who likes to have fun, and always come to work with a smile. I've been blessed to be able to do what I love for this long, and would be honored to continue that as part of your team. I would appreciate speaking with you further about this role and any contributions I could provide for your station.

Sincerely,

Alyssa Rae