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Ms. McKell Scanlan
Executive Director
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Dear McKell,

In recognition of your dedication to musical excellence and due to the high quality of your audition recording, it is with great pleasure that I extend an invitation to you and Sojo Choral Arts to participate in a performance of *The Music of Mark Hayes* on the DCINY Concert Series in New York City. This performance, which will feature a World Premiere, is planned to take place in Isaac Stern Auditorium at Carnegie Hall on Monday, November 26, 2018, under the baton of the composer, Mark Hayes. Congratulations to you and your singers on this wonderful achievement and recognition!

A limited number of ensembles are being selected for this special invitation. Your musicians will join with other outstanding choristers to form the Distinguished Concerts Singers International, a choir of distinction. DCINY, a professional production company with experience presenting at venues including Carnegie Hall and Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts, provides a quality performance experience in collaboration with high caliber musicians and soloists. The residency includes two half-days of rehearsals and clinics, culminating in a performance accompanied by Distinguished Concerts Orchestra with Maestro Hayes on the podium.

I am excited about the prospect of including you and your singers in pursuit of a glorious and memorable concert. It is only fitting that you are given this unique opportunity to perform in one of the world's greatest concert halls, which itself represents excellence and musical achievement.

I look forward to working closely with you in the creation of a most rewarding performance for your singers.

With kind regards,

Jonathan Griffith, DMA
Artistic Director and Principal Conductor