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Subject: Letter of Reference

To Whom It May Concern:

In my role as a Landscape Architect providing contract administration, I have worked with Daniel Harte and Tampa Contracting Services, Inc. (TCS) on two successful projects. TCS provided general contracting services on both projects. My overall experience with the quality of work, adherence to aggressive schedules, and professionalism of TCS during these projects could not have been better.

The construction of Sunset Vista Trailhead Park for the City of Treasure Island occurred in an environmentally sensitive site directly on the Gulf of Mexico. The scope of work included construction of a sunset viewing plaza, shade pavilion, trails, landscaping, educational signs and specialty site furnishings. This project required coordination with and review of multiple government agencies including FDOT, FDEP, City of Treasure Island, Pinellas County and NOAA through administration of grant monies from the Tampa Bay oil spill of 1993.

The amenity features for the Cobblestone Landing Townhomes included construction of a mail kiosk, pool cabana, swimming pool, landscaping, irrigation, access control and other hardscape features. The schedule of this project required TCS to quickly permit and construct these features in extremely tight spatial constraints.

Regards,

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