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Contract 3A

Mr. Stephens
John D. Stephens, Inc.
1899 Parker Court
Stone Mountain, GA 30087

RE: Macon Water Authority
Town Creek WTP - Contract 3A
Subject: Recognition of a job well done

Dear Mr. Stephens:

As you are aware, Contract 3A represents an important part of the \$120 million Town Creek Water Treatment Plant project presently under construction for the Macon Water Authority in Macon, Georgia. The scope of your work included approximately 8,000 LF of 42-inch DIP finished water main, 8,000 LF of 54-inch DIP raw water main, a 440 LF river crossing, a 650 LF tunnel under Interstate I-75, a 150 LF bore under an active railroad and a large reinforced concrete velocity dissipation structure.

In these fast paced times of our industry, we sometimes fail to take the time to recognize the exemplary performance of project team members. It is worth noting that the high quality of work, professionalism, and rapid execution of each portion of this important contract by your project team were consistent with the excellent reputation that your firm has earned.

Our Resident Engineering staff was particularly impressed with the advance planning and layout performed by your field superintendent, Mr. Joe Cantwell. The teamwork exhibited by your highly skilled and proficient pipe laying crews resulted in well-bedded and properly installed pipe. The cooperation of your staff and the willingness to coordinate their site activities with those of other Prime Contractors in the congested areas of the site should also be noted. In short the professionalism of your staff stands out, and is a credit to your company.

Should potential clients wish to call for a reference, please do not hesitate to have them contact either our Resident Engineer, Mr. Richard Saxton, who inspected and administered this contract or myself.

Sincerely,

JORDAN, JONES & GOULDING, INC.

Robert F. Wierzbicki
Manager - Construction Services

cc: Mr. Randy Worden, Macon Water Authority
Mr. Richard Saxton, Jordan, Jones & Goulding, Inc.
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