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LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

After the opportunity to work with the firm of Cerami and Browning Construction Co., Inc. for two successful Bank projects in the Redding (Five Star Bank, 2008) and Anderson (PremierWest BANK, 2006), California areas, I am pleased to provide this letter of recommendation.

Joe Cerami was my contact, and the project manager. Mr. Cerami was both personable and professional in his manner and communication. The firm's construction management was expert and comprehensive. They coordinated their construction administration and their schedule and met the Owner's demanding construction schedule, even finishing ahead of expectations, without sacrificing quality.

Overall, Cerami & Browning's experienced and professional approach to construction and its management, produced a very fine product. The projects were completed ahead of schedule, and met budget requirements. In all phases of construction, communication was at a premium. I was kept apprised of progress, and when necessary, was provided cost-effective solutions for construction change directives.

On a personal level, working with Mr. Cerami and his firm was a very positive experience. Given the opportunity, I would enjoy working with the firm of Cerami & Browning Construction Co. Inc. and Joe Cerami, in particular, on another project.

I am confident that the result would be another satisfied Project Owner.

Sincerely,

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