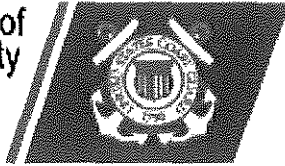


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Mahogany, Inc.
910 West Pratt Street
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Attention Mr. Booker Stroman, III

Reference: Contract No. HSCG83-08-C-3YD002, Project #55014
Bldg 031 - 1st Floor Men's Toilet Room
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To Whom It May Concern,

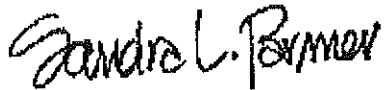
We are very pleased to provide this letter of appreciation and recommendation to Mr. Booker Stroman, III, Construction Superintendent for exceptional Professional Performance, Management and Supervision for the above referenced project. He alone scheduled, coordinated and provided quality control and assurance for this high profile 1000sf project used exclusively by the USCG Commandant, visiting Senators and Congressional Staff.

This project was scheduled to be completed in 9 weeks, however, due to delays in government paperwork procedures Mr. Stroman only had a total of 5 weeks to actually complete and deliver the work. He accomplished this project at a great personal effort to himself. He consulted with the USCG Yard Architect every day and worked long hours to ensure that all workmanship was perfect. When subcontractors failed to perform properly or materials were misordered he provided a suitable back-up plan to maintain the schedule required by the USCG.

The project was a success and has been cited as one of the best pieces of Architecture on the USCG Yard. We are in his debt, the Commanding Officer of the Yard and the Chief of Facilities Management received quite a few compliments for Mr. Stroman's dedication and expertise.

From the USCG's point of view, should the opportunity ever arise in the future to work with Mr. Stroman again, we will gladly do so without hesitation. We highly recommend Mr. Stroman for all construction related work.

Very respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sandra L. Parmer". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Sandra L. Parmer, NCARB, AIA
Architect-COTR

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cc. John P. Slaughter, CDR; Chief of Facilities