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To Whom It May Concern,

As General Manager of the Site Division for J&J Contractors I have utilized the services of many landscaping and contracting firms on projects throughout the Northeast over the past 20 years. Gordon Contracting, Inc. has continually delivered a quality work product on time and on budget.

My initial experience with Gordon Contracting was at the Armed Forces Reserve Center in Devens, MA for the United States Army Corps of Engineers. This was a highly visible federal project on an extremely aggressive schedule with a scheduled completion date imposed by BRAC law. Additionally, the project site was on state and federally owned property which is something not often seen on a federal project. As a result there were several governing authorities to respond to. Issues such as erosion and sediment control were scrutinized closely of which Gordon was responsible. Gordon was proactive in monitoring these areas for compliance. I was impressed that a firm from Maine was able to mobilize and maintain a consistent employee base throughout the duration of the project.

One of the nice things about working with a firm like Gordon Contracting is their ability to provide many services. Gordon also has worked on digging and stabilizing detention ponds, drainage, screening and spreading loam and of course, landscaping. I have also engaged the services of Gordon to handle punch list items including grading sidewalks, fencing, stonework and bollard installation. I don't need to micromanage Gordon. When I give them a job they get it done and to my satisfaction.

Brian and his crew have always been extremely cooperative and responsive. It is not uncommon to see Brian go the extra mile. Brian is very knowledgeable and will make recommendations in the field and adjust his schedule to accommodate change. His level of professionalism and commitment is very high.

In summary it is my pleasure to write this letter of recommendation for Gordon Contracting as their performance reflects their level of dedication to each of the projects I have worked with them.

I am available at your convenience if you have any questions regarding the performance of Gordon Contracting,

Sincerely,

Brett D. King General Manager Site Division