



Urban Associates INC.

November 29, 2017

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please accept this letter of recommendation on behalf of Landscape Service Professionals Inc.

Landscape Service Professionals, Inc. was contracted by CDM Smith to install landscape and irrigation system on the Solid Waste Authority Waste to Energy project located in West Palm Beach, Florida.

Urban Associates, Inc. was likewise contracted by CDM Smith to prepare hardscape, Florida Friendly landscape, and low water use irrigation system designs.

Sustainable design solutions included:

- Roof rainwater collection system with cistern storage used as non-potable water source for irrigation
- Water efficient landscape & low water use irrigation system design using smart controllers, soil probes, and water use monitoring system
- Green roof & walls to reduce heat island effect and energy use for air conditioning in the Visitor Center building

The landscape and irrigation construction Began July 2015 and continued for a 420-day duration. The landscape/irrigation portion of work is valued at \$1,368,806. The total construction cost for this project was over 600 million dollars. The visitor center won Platinum Certification from the U.S. Green Building Council in 2016. The use of low water use native plants and low water use irrigation system was a major factor in obtaining LEED Platinum Certification.

Landscape Service Professionals Inc. performed their work in a timely, safe, efficient and professional manner. They were always cooperative and responsive to any changes or deviations required to construct their portion of the project.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (561) 734-8586 or at uainc@bellsouth.net.

Sincerely,

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