



THE JOHN M. AND SARA R. WALTON FOUNDATION, INC.

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POPLAR HILL on HIS LORDSHIP'S KINDNESS

~1787~

Reference: Contract performance of Historic Roofing Company

To whom it may concern,

Cliff Layman and Historic Roofing have performed several work projects at Poplar Hill on His Lordship's Kindness, a five-part Georgian mansion completed in 1787. Historic Roofing has made several repairs to the roof of the mansion and most recently (in a 2000-2001 re-roofing project), this company made necessary repairs and installed new cedar shingles to the entire historic slave infirmary structure, which also dates from about 1787.

In all work and for each contract, Historic Roofing performed the terms of the contract in exceptional fashion, taking appropriate steps ensure proper preservation techniques were employed and historic accuracy was maintained. Their workmanship and attention to detail met or exceeded our expectations, and we would not hesitate to contract them in the future for similar work or repairs.

We would be pleased to discuss the work performed by Historic Roofing for The John M. And Sara R. Walton Foundation, Inc. at your convenience.

Lynne R. Gose
Museum Director

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