



11/29/2017

RE: Replacement of Loch Raven Dam Environmental Facility  
Loch Raven Dam, Baltimore County  
Baltimore City, Water Contract No. 1183  
WBCM Project No.: 2007.0068.02

To Whom It May Concern:

American Contracting and Environmental Services, Inc. 'ACE' has requested a referral letter concerning the work performed with them on the Replacement of Loch Raven Dam Environmental Facility. This environmental facility is owned by Baltimore City and operated under their maintenance staff. WBCM provided a concept study, design, and construction administration services for this contract. ACE provided general contracting services along with self-performance of earthwork and various other minor tasks. This project was given notice to proceed on 11/3/2016 and is scheduled to be completed in Spring of 2018.

WBCM has found working with ACE on this contract to be a positive experience. Their attention to detail and review of contract documents provided value to the project. ACE's review to detail provided the City with available credits assisting them in providing payment of unforeseen change orders. When changes to contract work were justified, ACE provided professional and timely cost estimates for the proposed work and greatly assisted the team in resolving issues. They provided a quality products, service, and responsiveness far beyond which is commonly provided on many projects. The quality provided is in large part to ACE supplying the site with well qualified and knowledgeable staff capable of performing the contractual work.

Throughout the entirety of this ongoing project ACE has continuously demonstrated a willingness to provide a superior product to the City and work as a team member in constructing a facility to service Loch Raven Reservoir. Based on my experience with ACE, we are glad to provide them with a recommendation.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 410-512-4512 or via email at tminer@wbcm.com.

Sincerely,

**WHITNEY BAILEY COX & MAGNANI, LLC**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Thomas M. Miner".

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