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To whom it may concern

## LETTER OR REFERENCE – Katawa Construction Ltd.

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*It is my pleasure to present this letter of recommendation for Katawa Construction Ltd. We have worked with Kathy Maloney – Johnson and Warren Johnson, on numerous projects and for around 20 years, including:*

**Kelowna Secondary School** - A two storey secondary school building concrete block, glulam beams, metal cladding, curtainwall and wood. - 210,000 sq. ft.

**Dr. Knox Replacement Middle School** - A two - Storey building 27,000 sq. ft. suspended concrete slab. Total sq. ft. 85,000.

**Valemount Secondary School** – a New Wood frame school with 150 student capacity Secondary School with Neighborhood learning centre and full-size gymnasium - 35,000 sq. ft.

**Penticton Health Center** - a three storey Structural Steel, Metal Stud and Acrylic stucco exterior community health centre - 47,000 sq. ft.

**BC SPCA - New Penticton Animal Shelter** – a one-storey building concrete block, metal cladding, glass and wood new community animal shelter 6,000 sq. ft.

Although they have begun a new chapter of their professional careers with the establishment of Katawa Construction Ltd., I can personally speak to our experience with both as the key project personnel for the construction of these projects.

Kathy Maloney- Johnson is a committed project manager and responds to issues with a sense of urgency and efficiency. Warren Johnson is a bright and articulate Gold Seal Superintendent with a strong understanding of the construction process. He is hands-on and exhibits an easy manner and professional approach. Both Kathy and Warren were instrumental in not only the management and construction of the project; but, their contribution in handling timelines, supervisory performance of the subtrades, managing the construction budget proved them to be a valuable resource to us.

I would expect the Katawa team to approach any project with the same commitment, honesty and hard work that we have come to expect from our projects with them. They were successful in respecting schedules, delivering a quality product and striving to stay on budget. We have been satisfied with their work as well as their professionalism. I wouldn't hesitate in recommending Kathy and Warren (Katawa Construction Ltd.) on future projects, and hope to work with them again.

Yours Truly,



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