

WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT Florn Core • Water Resources Manager

September 25, 2008

Subject:

Letter of Reference

Contractor: Kern Pacific Construction Company

To whom it may concern,

Kern Pacific Construction Company is experienced and well qualified in the field of underground construction.

I have worked with Kern Pacific as an Inspector, Engineer, and Supervisor on several public works projects in the past, and currently am managing an underground piping project for the City of Bakersfield Water department for which Kern Pacific is the general contractor.

Kern Pacific has always proven to be diligent in getting the job done on schedule with good verbal and written correspondence and cooperation with agency staff, and exhibits a fair approach in solving problems.

Grant and his staff execute the contract as required including timely submittals, certified payroll records, extra work documentation, and have a can do attitude. I would recommend Kern Pacific Construction as an excellent candidate for consideration on any underground utility type of public works project on any scale.

Sincerely,

Stephen F. Choate

Water Resources Supervisor