



COMPTON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

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To Whom it May Concern:

Subject: Compton Unified School District
Compton High School (CHS)
Campus-Wide Structure and Utility Demolition Project
313 W Alondra Blvd
Compton, CA 90220

Both the Chief Facilities Officer and the Construction Manager for the Compton High School Campus-Wide Structure and Utility Demolition project have had the privilege of working with Resource Environmental, Inc. (REI) for the last 15 months. REI completed the Compton High School Campus-Wide Structure and Utility Demolition Project as the prime contractor and self-performed the remediation and demolition of the entire CHS campus while providing oversight of several subcontractors. The scope of work included the demolition and hazardous material abatement of over 38 buildings totaling over 340,000 square feet with the removal of over 30,000 lineal feet of utilities across 30 acres. REI removed several underground storage tanks, working closely with the District, its consultant, LA County Public Works, and the Compton Fire Department. Over 35,000 tons of concrete and asphalt were recycled and stockpiled for added value to the school's reconstruction project.

A variety of challenging conditions were encountered throughout the project, due primarily to the centenary age of the high school. The school endured several destructive fires and a major earthquake in 1933, and it was discovered that portions of the campus were rebuilt on top of the preceding construction. The skill and experience of REI's management allowed the District to tackle these challenges head-on, successfully engineering unique, cost-saving solutions in support of the District and its budget. REI was exceptionally cooperative, thorough, and responsive which proved vital to the success of the project.

The District and I highly recommend Resource Environmental, Inc. as a skilled demolition and abatement contractor and hope to work with them again in the future.

Sincerely,

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Chuck Wren, Construction Manager, Cumming

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Nathaniel C. Holt
Chief Facilities Officer and Bond Program Manager
Compton Unified School District