

A L L I A N C E
Construction Management

July 29, 2009

Porter Brothers Construction Inc.
Attn. Jerry Munro
2222 Meridian Avenue East, Suite B
Edgewood, Washington 98371

Re: Gray Middle School
Tacoma School District

Dear Jerry,

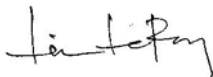
This letter is to provide a recommendation on the work that Porter Brothers completed for the Gray Middle School. Gray Middle School is within Tacoma School District and is located at 6229 South Tyler Street. Gray Middle School is 116,872 square feet and a student capacity of 750 students.

Porter Brothers encountered typical construction challenges on this project. They addressed these challenges onsite with direct communication to resolve the issues. It was evident that subcontractors respected Porter Brothers and Porter Brothers had a good handle on subcontractors to provide performance on a challenging building.

The District is proud of the work that the entire team completed on Gray Middle School. The team is recognized by two awards that Tacoma School District is very proud of. Gray Middle School received the Polished Apple Award—the top state award—from the Council of Education Facilities Planners International (CEFPI). In addition, Gray Middle School also received the American Institute of Architects/Washington State Merit Award.

Please contact me if you need any further information.

Regards,



Liz LeRoy
Owner's Representative for Tacoma School District

cc.

dd. Pete Wall, Director Tacoma Public Schools
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