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Randy Heiss
Town Clerk/Treasurer

May 7, 2004

Subject: Letter of Recommendation, Western Slope Utilities.

To Whom it may concern:

In September 2003, Western Slope Utilities (WSU) was awarded a contract by the Town of Patagonia to replace over 600 lineal feet of wastewater collection lines and rehabilitate more than 6,200 additional lineal feet of 6, 8 and 10 inch wastewater collection lines. The project also included replacement or rehabilitation of 11 manholes, approximately 137 point repairs, repairing a multitude of protruding services, and pavement matching and surface replacement. During the course of the project WSU was able to identify several opportunities to cut costs on the base bid work and pass those savings on to the Town. These measures allowed the Town to rehabilitate an additional 718 lineal feet of sewer pipe that we were not otherwise financially prepared to do.

The project was completed in a timely and workman like manner in March of 2004. Based on their attention to detail, their cost effective approach to on-site problem solving, and the professional manner in which the entire WSU team performed, the Town of Patagonia feels confident recommending WSU as a qualified contractor for any infrastructure projects of this nature.

Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please do not hesitate to contact me at (520) 394-2229.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Randy Heiss', written in a cursive style.

Randy Heiss

cc: Mayor and Council
Isabel Van Nest, Deputy Town Clerk