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Four Corners Construction Office
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TO: Whom it May Concern

FROM: Emma Manzanares, Field Engineering Division Manager

DATE: October 28, 2024

SUBJECT: Reference for Bison Contracting

Bison Contracting is supplying controlled low strength material (CLSM) for the Navajo Code Talker's Sublateral, Reaches 12.1 and 12.2. The contract, 140R4022C0001 was awarded to SJ Louis Construction on January 7, 2022 and the scheduled completion date is February 2025. Bison Contracting is a subcontractor to SJ Louis.

The principal components of the work include approximately 17 miles of 24" pipe which Bison Contracting is supplying the CLSM for the pipe bedding in the trench. Bison installed the CLSM to line and grade shown on the contract drawings.

Bison's owner, Kenny Dobel works great with Reclamation and delivers quality products consistently. As such, I would recommend Bison Contracting and Kenny Dobel for any job in the field. I hope to see Bison Contracting on our Reclamation jobs in the future.