



January 25, 2011

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing this letter in recommendation of Sahara, Inc., who was the design/build contractor on our new jr. high/high school in North Salt Lake, Utah. Our project was a 32,000 s.f, two-story Charter School for children with autism. This new school is a welcome addition to our existing elementary school located across the street. These are the first charter schools in Utah dedicated solely to the academic, behavioral and social success of students with Asperger's Syndrome and high-functioning Autism.

I found Sahara to be extremely professional and easy to work with. They did what they said they were going to do and more. They met a very tight schedule, came in under budget and gave us a great new school in the process. I felt like Sahara was looking out for our best interests throughout the course of construction and was focused on providing us with a functional and high-end finished facility. They really seemed to care about this project. They also have been very helpful and responsive for all of our follow up needs and warranty issues. Most times they are they the day we notify them.

Another benefit of Sahara was the support of their 501(c)3 non profit-SaharaCares Foundation. SaharaCares focuses on helping and supporting children with Autism. SaharaCares helped to provide Spectrum Academy with generous donations of furnishings for the new high school.

We are extremely happy with our new facility and wouldn't hesitate to recommend Sahara to anyone looking for help with construction needs. Many people see Sahara as a large general contractor that just builds very big projects, but our experience showed that they can do a great job on smaller projects just as well.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at (801) 936-0318 ext. 4009.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brad Nelson".

Brad Nelson
Director of Development and Finance
Spectrum Academy