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Mr. Don Locke  
Tombleson, Inc.  
P. O. Box 1388  
Salinas, CA 93902

Dear Mr. Locke:

I would like to express my appreciation to Tombleson, Inc. and its subcontractors for their performance in installing the fire protection system in the historic Herrmann Hall. While I am not personally familiar with the technical requirements of this project nor the result and quality thereof, I can attest to the project coordination and customer service. It was superb!

I know this project could have easily disrupted every single user of Herrmann Hall. However, you assembled a strong construction team and met each challenge head on. Your crews worked in all areas of the structure, at all hours of the day, and did so with little impact. Always conscientious of safety, dust and noise, your personnel completed the contract requirements with minimal disruption to the building occupants.

Because of you and your team, the installation of a fire sprinkler system, within the largest administration facility on this campus, was completed without impacting the school's normal daily operations. As the end user, and ultimate customer, I wanted you to know that your efforts on this project were appreciated. Well done!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "T. A. Mercer", is positioned above the typed name.

T. A. MERCER  
Rear Admiral, U. S. Navy  
Superintendent