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Dean H. Lessard, P.E.

Director of Public Works Town of York York, Maine 03909 dlessard@vorkmaine.org

December 29, 2011

To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is to recognize the character and performance of Shawn Toohey and Maritime Construction and Engineering, LLC. The Town of York has contracted with his firm to do numerous high profile town projects (*Numble Lighthouse pier, Commercial Dock #1 in York Harbor & Birch Hill Bridge*). Each project required that Shawn and his crew work under some very difficult conditions and time constraints. They proved each time to be very dependable and displayed strong work ethics and the ability to handle any problem with professionalism.

Maritime Construction and Engineering LLC just completed the construction of the first thermo-plastic bridge under a public highway in America for the Town of York. The structure is getting national attention and Shawn played a major role in the success of the project. The personal and professional interest that Shawn took in this project was very satisfying and reassuring to the Town. The quality of Maritime's work, their attention to detail and Shawn's pleasant demeanor were outstanding.

Shawn and his crew completed the project in the specified time frame and kept the environmentally sensitive work areas neat and clean. He managed all the aspects of the construction very well and resolved any issues with the engineers quickly. Shawn's proactive approach kept the flow of work progressing, even when his company was not directly involved, by coordinating with the Town and its design engineers. Shawn immediately established a good communication system that kept me informed on the progress of the project.

I look forward to working with Shawn and Maritime Construction and Engineering LLC on future Public Works Projects in York. I can recommend him highly and without reservation. If you have any questions please feel free to call me.

Sincerely,

Dean A. Lessard, PE Director of Public Works



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David L. Porter, P.E. President

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December 23, 2011

Shawn M. Toohey Maritime Construction and Engineering, LLC 49 Pine Hill Road Cape Neddick, ME 03902

Dear Shawn,

I wanted to write to commend you and your crew for the great work your firm did on the York Town Dock No. 1 project in York, Maine. Even though the winter of 2011 was one of the worst winters in many years you overcame many weather related setbacks that were beyond your control and completed the project on time and on budget.

Your crews' hard work and diligent attention to detail resulted in one of the finest dock rebuilds I have ever seen. The timber work on this project is second to none. As on all projects, when minor discrepancies arose, you were eager to come to quick resolution to get the job done right. This approach was refreshing and went a long way in making this the successful project it was.

I look forward to working on projects with you and your firm in the future and would not hesitate to recommend your firm to anyone who is interested in hiring a marine contractor for waterfront work.

Sincerely,

Craig/D. Sams P.E.

Vice President

Childs Engineering Corporation



28 December 2011

Mr. Shawn Toohey Maritime Construction & Engineering, LLC 49 Pine Hill Road Cape Neddick, ME 03902

Re: Letter of Reference

To whom it may concern:

It is with pleasure that I write this reference for Maritime Construction & Engineering. They have just finished a project designed by us to rehabilitate the timber pier and public float at the south end of the City of Portland's Maine State Pier. This area had severe rot to exposed untreated timbers, and was heavily damaged by storms during the winter of 2010-2011. It was a complicated repair that involved driving new piles, splicing existing piles, and splicing in new pile caps, stringers, and decking. The now finished project is outstanding in every respect and was done on-time and on-budget. The crew was very professional and won praise from the building's tenant, a lobster processor/shipper, for the minimal disruption to their operation and for erecting a plastic curtain to prevent any dust from entering the processing area.

I have had very successful results with other projects done by Maritime Construction & Engineering in Portland harbor. These include both scheduled and emergency repairs to timber piers, and the repair of a fender system at the Gulf Oil terminal after it was damaged by a collision. The quality of work is always excellent.

Maritime Construction & Engineering is a highly capable and reliable contractor and I would not hesitate to use them on any projects you may be contemplating. Please feel free to call me if you need any additional information.

Very truly yours,

TEC ASSOCIATES

Wayne W. Duffett, P.E.

President



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ELIZABETH PERKINS HOUSE £ 1739

JOHN HANCOCK WAREHOUSE c. 1749

EMERSON-WILCOX HOUSE 1742

OLD SCHOOLHOUSE

JEFFERDS TAVERN 1754

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REMICK BARN 1834

GEORGE MARSHALL STORE 1867

LIBRARY & ARCHIVES 1900 December 27, 2011

Town of Kittery, Maine

Dear Sirs/Mesdames:

Maritime Construction and Engineering LLC conducted a project for the Museums of Old York earlier this year, the reconstruction and adaptation of the John Hancock Wharf on the York River for use as a commercial facility. We had a very positive experience working with Shawn Toohey and his crew. They were extremely well organized and kept a very neat, safe work site. The work was done on schedule and within the stated and accepted bid price. Shawn communicated regularly and clearly. All his crewmembers were friendly and accommodating. All billing was timely and clear. The final product is very soundly built.

I have no hesitation in recommending Maritime Construction and Engineering LLC. Please feel free to contact me for any further information.

Yours truly,

Scott Stevens

Executive Director



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February 25th, 2009

To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing this letter on behalf of Maritime Construction and Engineering, LLC who was contracted by the Town of York to replace the boat ramp at Cape Neddick Light Station in York, Maine. The lighthouse is located on an island approximately 300 feet from the mainland. The rocky coastline is extremely susceptible to storm serge and rough seas making it a rugged and sometimes treacherous landing area. The project was funded by the Federal Emergency Management Agency with specific time lines for completing the work. This required the work to be done during December and January when the elements were extreme and the ocean far from cooperative.

Throughout this project I gained tremendous respect for Maritime Construction and owner Shawn Toohey Not only did they complete the project in a timely manner the quality of their work was exceptional Their attention to detail was obvious from day one and exemplified the pride they take in their work I would like to offer my strongest recommendation on their behalf. They are an exceptional company and one I would you encourage you to consider

Should you need additional information of if I can help in any way please feel free to contact me

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Sincerely,

Michael Sullivan

Parks and Recreation Director



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August 28, 2008

Mr. Shawn Toohey Maritime Construction & Engineering, LLC 49 Pine Hill Road Cape Neddick, ME 03902 (via. E-mail)

Re: Reference for Maritime Construction & Engineering, LLC

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am pleased to offer my professional reference for the excellent quality of the work by Maritime Construction & Engineering, LLC and the professional character Mr. Shawn Toohey.

Maritime Construction & Engineering has performed complex and challenging construction of waterfront structures designed by our firm and they provide a well organized construction plan, high quality construction directly supervised by Mr. Toohey, use of new and well maintained equipment, clean and well organized construction sites and outstanding communication with the engineer throughout the construction process, resulting in well built structures with outstanding attention to detail. The structural welding by Maritime Construction & Engineering is the best I have seen, even compared to very large construction firms with dedicated certified welders.

I will continue to recommend Maritime Construction & Engineering, LLC to my clients as an outstanding contractor based on my past experience showing they will get the projects built on budget, on time and with very high quality workmanship.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Regards,

Duncan C. Mellor, PE

President

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PROPRIETORS OF UNION WHARF

36 UNION WHARF — P.O. BOX 7467 DTS PORTLAND, MAINE 04112

September 3, 2008

Maritime Construction & Engineering 49 Pine Hill Rd. Cape Nedick, Maine 03902

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To whom it may concern:

The Proprietors of Union Wharf are the owners and operators of Union Wharf located on the Central Waterfront, Portland, Maine, founded in 1793. Over the past 8 years, Maritime Construction and Engineering has been hired to rebuild many portions of the timber apron that wraps the perimeter of Union Wharf. The work has included:

- 1. Complete demolition of all of the old pier apron
- 2. Installing new foundation piles, timber caps and fender piles
- 3. Build and install custom hardware where needed to tie the cap frame back into the pier foundation.

Our company has been very pleased with the work done by MCE. They are well equipped to get the job done on time and of the highest quality. We would highly recommend MCE for any marine construction project. They are a talented group who bring an expertise to the work place that is not often seen in today's workplace.

We also own Custom Float Services located on Union Wharf, a marine construction firm that specializes in float and residential pier construction projects. Over the past 8 years, MCE has also built the pier foundations for a great number of Custom Float Services projects. All of the pier projects completed by MCE have been done with the same care and expertise as any of the work done on Union Wharf.

Please feel free to call me if you need more information.

Sincerely, Charles A-Rock

Charles A. Poole

President



September 2, 2008

Re: Chicks Marina, Kennebunkport, Maine

To Whom It May Concern:

It is my pleasure to provide the following recommendation/referral letter for Maritime Construction and Engineering.

In 2005 Tidemark Corporation d/b/a Chicks Marina hired Maritime to replace approximately 440 feet of timber bulkhead with a new vinyl sheet pile bulkhead. Although we interviewed several other companies, we made the decision to hire Maritime based on the favorable impression they made on us during the quoting and design development phase. In particular, our project presented several challenges; the work had to performed over a 2 year (winter) period, work could only be performed between November and April due to the operation of the marina and the storage of boats on the property, and the marina building sits less than five feet back from the face of the bulkhead being replaced. Maritime worked closely with my staff the minimize disruptions to our operations and took extreme care to prevent any damage to the marina building during construction.

The quality of Maritime's work was exceptional and the work was completed on time and on budget. I found them to be extremely fair, honest and easy to deal with. In fact, we expect to be working again with Maritime this winter on another project. I expect the same level of service and communication from Maritime once again. Please consider the fact that we will use Maritime Construction and Engineering on our next project to be our highest recommendation.

Very truly yours,

Eric S. Katz, President Tidemark Corporation

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Bayley's Lobster Pound

P.O. Box 304 Scarborough, ME 04070 (207) 883-4571

September 3, 2008

To Whom it May Concern,

In the spring of 2008, we had Shawn Toohey and his crew replace a breakwater for us. We have nothing but good things to say about the work habits and professionalism of his company. The breakwater was completed on schedule and precisely to our specifications. Shawn keeps a clean worksite and left the property looking better than it did when he arrived. He also had a lot of very good suggestions for us throughout the project, which helped to complete the breakwater in a way that was even better than we had expected.

Anyone who would like to see the completed project or speak to us about Shawn is welcome to contact us.

Thank You,

William Bayley

Susan Bayley