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Re: Andrew Burg

Dear Mr. Hyman:

I am a lawyer practicing in Washington, D.C. and have known Andrew Burg since 2004, when I retained him as an engineering consultant to provide permitting research services.

In providing those services, Mr. Burg was ethical, resourceful, straightforward, thorough, and responsive. In short, he was completely professional. I am confident he has the skill to be self-sufficient.

I recommend him highly.

Very truly yours,



Roger W. Patrick