



Archer Western
Contractors

Mr. Manhar Patel
Gira Steel Fabricators
601 Catawba Street
Columbia, SC 29201

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Subject: Georgia Institute of Technology Environmental Science and Technology Building

RE: Letter of Recommendation

Dear Mr. Patel:

Gira Steel Fabricators has performed steel fabrication on several Archer Western projects ranging from the Marta Doraville Parking Deck II in 1997 to more recently the Georgia Institute of Technology Environmental Science project this year. In all, Gira Steel has provided steel fabrication for a total of 7 projects during that span with fabrication costs ranging from \$200,000.00 to over \$1 million. While each of these projects has been unique in nature, Gira Steel has performed admirably in all cases.

Archer Western has been very successful working with Gira Steel and constantly received many compliments from the steel erectors as to the accuracy of the steel fabrication. Due to this and many other successes experienced during the past 6 years, Archer Western highly recommends Gira Steel Fabricators.

If we may be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely:

Archer Western Contractors Ltd.


Craig Cartrett
Project Manager

Cc: Lance Pepin
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