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Reference: Paul Bentley AIA, Architect

I have had the pleasure of working with Paul Bentley since 1994 on the design and construction phase of two of our fire stations. I have made a number of observations that I would consider important to anyone seeking to evaluate the quality of his services:

- He is very skilled in determining the needs of all stakeholders and users of the building being constructed. In the case of the fire department this required him to spend many hours understanding the particular demands placed on the structures and communicating with those who will utilize them.
- His ability in communicating with building contractors and accuracy in estimates has contributed significantly in delivering the finished facility ahead of schedule and under budget.
- His designs are esthetically pleasing and highly functional. He is innovative in recommending designs that are feasible within budget guidelines.
- Paul is a person of high integrity and ethical values. I trust his judgment and that he will deliver what he promises.
- He goes beyond customary expectations to achieve customer satisfaction.
- He has a pleasant and upbeat personality which makes him a pleasure to work with.

I highly recommend Paul Bentley and would be pleased to discuss the quality of his work with those who seek further inquiry.

Dennis Murphy, Fire Chief

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