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To Whom It May Concern:

Habeeb & Associates Architects did a capital asset assessment for two church buildings located on our 10 acre campus. They conducted an onsite field visit and did additional visual assessments over a 12 month period to assess seasonal conditions. Throughout the assessment they were responsive to our needs and communicated with us promptly and clearly.

They submitted a very comprehensive report which included recommendations that were aligned with the church's facility goals and steps church leadership could take to protect the two buildings from premature deterioration and ensure historical preservation. The assessment was well organized and easy to understand.

The findings of the report as well as the various building systems were reviewed and discussed with the church trustees. The report has been a critical maintenance tool in identifying issues before they become a problem and has allowed leadership to take a proactive versus a reactive stance. The report has also been helpful to the leadership in developing budgets and planning future initiatives to fund restorations effort over a ten year period.

We were very happy with the thoroughness of the report and the professionalism of the staff. We highly recommend their services and would welcome the opportunity to speak to any organization who is considering using their services.

Sincerely,

The Reverend Eric Stroshine

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Pastor