



**State of West Virginia
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Purchasing Division**

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**RE: Architectural and Engineering Services for the WV Army National Guard
Joint Interagency Education and Training Center**

Dear Members of the Selection Committee:

Thrasher Engineering, Inc. is pleased to respond to the Request for Qualifications by the West Virginia Army National Guard for the Joint Interagency Education and Training Center at Camp Dawson in Kingwood, West Virginia. As requested, included in this response are our Statement of Qualifications, Performance Data, and Anticipated Concepts and Proposed Methods of Approach.

As the State of West Virginia's largest owned and operated engineering and architectural firm, Thrasher Engineering brings the resources, personnel and expertise to the project **under single corporate management**. The only service Thrasher Engineering, Inc. will sub-contract for your project is the mechanical-electrical- plumbing design. However, our method of project management makes us fully responsible for all aspects of design and construction, including delivery of work from our contractors. This has proven to be beneficial in communication with our clients.

Although Thrasher Engineering, Inc. began 25 years ago doing simple water and sewer design, we have expanded in many different areas. As we are able to bring all of the services necessary to this project is of great benefit to you because of the continuity it brings to the design process. We simply function better at project delivery services than our competitors. This is exhibited every day in terms of the time necessary to complete a design, the in-house review and overlap, and one voice to the client.

Another benefit we bring to your project is our engineering approach to architecture. Architecture firms often emphasize the creative aspect of their field at the expense of practicality, sound plans and specification preparation. Engineering plans tend to be more concise, accurate, and understandable. As we have designed more federally funded projects than any other West Virginia firm, we understand the importance of designing projects on budget.

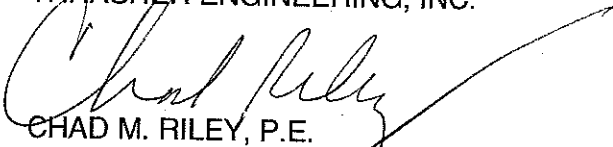
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It is our commitment to project integrity and client satisfaction that allows us the privilege of celebrating our 25th anniversary in 2008. Our philosophy has always been "Successful Projects Result in Repeat Clientele!" That philosophy has served our clients well. We hope to demonstrate this commitment to the West Virginia Army National Guard, as well.

Thank you for the opportunity to submit our qualifications and interest in the continued growth of Camp Dawson. We look forward to the opportunity to present our qualifications in more detail.

Sincerely,

THRASHER ENGINEERING, INC.



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