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Dear Mr. Bowman:

The following summarizes the LA Gates Company qualifications to provide professional services for West Virginia DEP Abandoned Mine Lands & Reclamation RFQ DEP14172, expression of interest for the design engineering services for the Wymer Portals & AMD / Davidson HW. projects in Monongalia County. The Consultant Confidential Qualification Questionnaire (CCQQ) Attachment "B" and AML and the Related Project Experience Matrix (RPEM) Attachment "C" are included.

LA Gates Company and its predecessor Gates Engineering have a rich history dating back to 1906, three generations ago, when the company was founded. Gates has experienced designers, project managers, and engineers with years of experience in hydrology, mining, earth work, and reclamation. Gates has associates in both Morgantown and Beckley that are ready to perform necessary professional services for WVDEP Abandoned Mine Lands where ever the need may be. Gates staff includes civil, mechanical, and mining engineers working in concert with geologists, designers, and surveyors to provide a wide variety of professional services for domestic and international clients.

Should you have any questions or need additional information, please don't hesitate to call me at 304/256/1640 ext. 106.



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