



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
NAVAL FACILITIES ENGINEERING COMMAND
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Dear Mr. Kaae:

It is with great pleasure that I award the Black Construction Corporation the Naval Facilities Engineering Command Commander's Certificate of Commendation in recognition of your firm's outstanding performance in Design-Build Air Expeditionary Force Forward Operating Location Aircraft Maintenance Hangar at Andersen Air Force Base, Guam, under Contract N62742-03-C-1307.

This \$32.8 million design-build project included construction of a typhoon and earthquake resistant hangar. The hangar is equipped with office facilities, fall arrest systems for either a B-2 or B-52 bomber, bridge cranes, breathing air systems, a fabric curtain employed to divide the hangar in two, and a hangar bay air conditioning system. By aggressive management of the contract schedule and constant communication, your firm successfully completed construction on time despite challenges that could have resulted in delays.

I applaud your accomplishments and commend you and the entire Black Construction Corporation team on your significant contributions to the United States Navy.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M. K. Loose", is written over the word "Sincerely,".

M. K. LOOSE
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