

December 30, 2014

Mr. Mike Williams
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Reference: **Indoor Air Quality Study and Asbestos Testing**
Greater Lowell Technical High School, Tyngsborough, MA

Dear Mr. Williams:

Thank you for the opportunity for Universal Environmental Consultants (UEC) to provide professional services.

This letter is in reference to the Indoor Air Quality and Asbestos Testing report dated August 27, 2014 performed at the Greater Lowell Technical High School, Tyngsborough, MA. As part of the study thirty one (31) wipe samples were collected on various surfaces and analyzed for asbestos at various locations within the school. Wipe sampling results indicated that trace amount of asbestos (<1%) was found in only five (5) of the samples, of which three (3) samples were collected in areas outside of the abatement work areas.

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) does not recognize wipe sampling as a method to determine if an asbestos abatement project has been performed and completed or if asbestos is present since not all ACM are scheduled to be removed. The presence of asbestos in the wipe sample might consist of a single asbestos fiber and the EPA considers a material to be asbestos if a sample was found to contain more than 1% asbestos by weight. Detection of a single fiber does not constitute presence of asbestos greater than the EPA 1% rule.

Please do not hesitate to call should you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

Universal Environmental Consultants



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