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Mr. Tom Graff  
Financial Secretary/Business Manager  
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Mr. Graff:

Please allow me to express the great appreciation for a job well done on the new Ben Sawyer Bridge project. The members of your local not only completed the job in a timely fashion but also without a single injury! We at Florida Structural Steel well know the value of having a knowledgeable, skilled and safe work force on the job. Every member of local 848 that was on the job, or in office, went above and beyond what is needed or expected of our brotherhood's basic contract which is "a fair day's work for a fair day's pay".

Having the opportunity to be the General Foreman on the job I really can not express how easy the men made it for me and Florida Structural Steel. Every man deserves recognition for his efforts but I would really like to express my gratitude to the foreman Jon Greene, the Stewart David Hunter, and the lead man Johnny Cook. Without these men the job would not have been successful. It is people of integrity and strong work ethics that drive our work force.

After the experience that Florida Structural Steel has had working with local 848, we will definitely be looking for more projects within 848's jurisdiction.

Thank you again for a job very well done,

Robert Willis

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Robert Willis'.

Project Coordinator  
Florida Structural Steel