

April 28, 2009

Mr. Edward Strack
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RE: **Charleston County School District**
CONSTRUCTION MANAGER of the YEAR (SY 2008/09)

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Dear Ed,

I have the great pleasure and honor to inform you that you have been selected as the Charleston County School District Construction Manager of the Year (SY 2008/09). Your outstanding customer focus and personal efforts that go above and beyond the norm to delight your clients is inspirational.

A key reason for your selection is your commitment to deliver Mount Pleasant Academy and Moultrie Middle School below budget, on schedule with outstanding quality. Your leadership, collaboration with district instructional and operations staff and management efforts will ensure that these two new schools are completed this summer to open for the SY 2009/10 to delighted students, parents, teachers and administrators. You should feel very proud because these schools are now the pride of the Town of Mount Pleasant.

Thank you for all your **CAN DO!** efforts and outstanding service to the students of our district. **BRAVO ZULU....Job well done.**

Very Respectfully,



William H. Lewis, P.E.

cc: William Wiseman, CEO -SMG
Rick Holt, Vice President/ Program Director -SMG