



Stony Brook University

Campus Planning, Design, and Construction
Office of the Associate Vice President
Stony Brook, NY 11794-6010

October 3, 2017

Aurora Contractors, Inc.
Mr. Frank Vero, Sr.
100 Raynor Avenue
Ronkonkoma, NY 11779

Re: Construction of the César Chávez and Harriet Tubman Residence Halls and East Side Dining

Dear Frank:

I want to take this opportunity to thank you for successfully completing the César Chávez and Harriet Tubman Residence Halls and East Side Dining project.

The long-term goals of the University are to continue to grow, attract the best students available and compete against the most prestigious universities in the country. In order to do so, Stony Brook University must construct facilities that meet the students' high demands. This project, along with many others, is going a long way to assisting us in meeting these goals.

While every project has its challenges, Aurora's entire team worked diligently to make this project a success. The coordination efforts that were necessary to tie together the dining mechanical systems with the residence located directly above displayed Aurora's experience and expertise. Communication between all the professionals, Stony Brook University staff and the trade contractors was constant. This allowed the project to progress even if an issue arose. The project moved forward continually.

It was a pleasure working with the Aurora staff. Aurora is an asset to construction at the University. I look forward to working with you again on the recently awarded Innovation and Discovery Center.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Louis Rispoli".

Louis Rispoli
Associate Vice President Facilities and Services
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