

Gordon S. Myers, Executive Director

January 4, 2012

Re: Carl Hazenberg, PE (Everlast Synthetic Products, LLC) Referral

To whom it may concern,

The North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission has worked with Everlast Synthetic Products and Carl Hazenberg over the last couple of years. Carl has proven himself to be extremely knowledgeable about vinyl and composite materials, and also the design of sheet pile walls.

About a year ago, the N.C. Wildlife Resources Commission constructed our new Emerald Isle Boating Access Area. This project included approximately 800 feet of retaining wall. Carl designed the wall to meet the different design requirements, and provided sealed construction drawings to the contractor. In addition, ESP provided the materials for the wall construction. The wall was constructed without any problems and has continued to perform flawlessly. After working with Carl Hazenberg on the Emerald Isle BAA project, I recommend the use of his services on any project involving sheet pile and/or retaining walls.

If you have any questions about our work with Carl Hazenberg, please do not hesitate to call me at (919) 707-0155.

Sincerely,

North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission

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