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September 18, 2012

Mr. Glenn Baranko, Vice President  
Baranko Bros. Inc.  
P.O. Box 820  
Dickinson, ND 58602

**RE: Contract for construction services for the 2012 Coal Fire Suppression Project**

Dear Mr. Baranko:

On September 10, 2012, the North Dakota Public Service Commission issued a Notice of Intent to Award a contract to Baranko Bros. Inc. of Dickinson, North Dakota in the amount of \$27,000.00 for construction services associated with the 2012 Coal Fire Suppression Project at sites in McKenzie and Slope Counties. The seven day period for appeals has expired and there were no appeals. Therefore, enclosed are two (2) original Contracts for you to execute and return to us. Please return both signed contracts **within five (5) days** from receipt of this letter.

Upon receipt of these materials, we plan to have the Commissioners execute both original Contracts during the September 27<sup>th</sup> Commission meeting and one of those will be returned to you. The contract needs to be fully executed before the end of this month pursuant to terms of the federal grant for this project.

We noted that a copy of your North Dakota Contractor's License was submitted with your bid. In addition, we have a Certificate of Insurance with endorsements showing coverage as stipulated in the Information For Bidders; however, a new certificate must be submitted if the coal fire suppression project is not completed by November 21, 2012. Copies of your State and Federal taxpayer ID numbers and a Certificate of Tax Clearance from the North Dakota Tax Department are also on file for the 2012 Columbus Phase 13 AML Project.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact Bill Dodd or me.

Sincerely,

James R. Deutsch  
Director  
AML Division

Enclosures