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To Whom it May Concern

In the spring of 2015, an above ground storage tank with diesel drained immediately adjacent to a City of Ada municipal water supply well, in a karst aquifer. A response team was formed consisting of municipal and state government, characterization and remediation consultants, university professors, and drilling contractors. Utilizing advanced characterization and remediation methods, the site reached non-detect for impacts in all of the municipal supply wells and was back online within two years. I believe a key factor in the success of the project was due to the expertise of Aestus and their use of ultra-high resolution methods for the characterization of the release and the local hydrogeologic environment. Their efforts allowed for the effective design, operation and evaluation of the remedial efforts.

The City of Ada is somewhat unique in that it is home to the home of the Robert S. Kerr Environmental Research Center, the EPA's national groundwater research lab. This results in the municipal government having access to former lab employees with experience in ground water management and protection. This also contributes to the City's capabilities to find and evaluate environmental consultants.

Aestus has provided the City of Ada with outstanding, and much needed, technical consulting support for several years in this area. The City of Ada highly recommends their services.

Sincerely,

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