



**BP Cherry Point Refinery**  
**4519 Grandview Road**  
**Blaine, WA 98230**

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To Whom It May Concern:

It is a privilege to be able to write this letter of recommendation for Dawson Construction. The BP Cherry Point Refinery began the relationship work with DCI in June 2009 with Pre-Construction services prior and continued on through construction which ended October 2010 with the completion of our Maintenance Facility Relocation Project.

The scope of the project included development of a 27 acre plot of land within the refinery where our two building were constructed as well as laydown space and allowances for future development. The smaller of the two buildings that were constructed was a 29,000 sq.ft. warehouse and the larger was a 91,000 sq.ft maintenance facility with shop space for three different maintenance groups as well as office space for 250 personnel ranging from technicians to engineers.

The project was a huge success for the refinery mainly due to the level of experience that DCI provided as well as their ability to meet the challenges of the refinery's extremely high Safety Bar. Working inside the refinery can be a very difficult process for a company who has not done so in the past but DCI was able the meet and exceed the challenge by working 230,000 hours without an OSHA recordable and did not even record a first aid incident. Every request made by BP was always fully embraced by DCI. They also ensured that all subcontractors were fully aware of our safety standards before any work began.

The DCI team that was selected for this project aligned well with the BP Project Team. The DCI team consisting of David Parker - Project Manager, Nathan Katschke - Assistant Project Manager, Bob Dunbar - Site Supervisor, Jack Noble - Site Safety Supervisor, multiple Foremen, Brian Murphy - Safety Manager, Scott Eastwood - Site QC Supervisor and Chris Holmquist - Site Contract Administrator were all excellent in the roles and responsibilities. The culture that DCI brought to the project was an excellent fit. Overall, DCI did a very good job of managing the pace of the project, the many RFIs associated with this complex project as well as keeping BP advised of all additional costs.

As the project has now been completed, I can say that it ended on the same terms as when it began some 17 months earlier. This can all be credited to Dawson's professionalism, ability to keep BP informed on progress, willingness to make changes to the schedule and their overall dedication. All this plus their commitment to safety makes it easy for me to highly recommend Dawson to any project of this complex nature. They continuously demonstrated a willingness to do whatever was necessary to ensure the project's success.

Sincerely

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