## INDIANA WAR MEMORIALS



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To Whom It May Concern

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Letter of Recommendation

Our history with contractors was the best we could expect would be for the project to be completed on time within the budget, quality workmanship, and in short deliver on their promised expectations. We recently contracted with Pauly Jail Building Company to solve our exterior door problems at the Indiana War Memorial. The building was built from 1926-1933, is an icon of downtown Indianapolis and listed as a National Historic Landmark.

From the very first meeting it was evident the Pauly personnel completely understood the level of respect required to complete the project as pertains to maintaining the original intent of the design. This included them researching the history of the existing doors and finding the manufacturer that was involved with the original construction. Pauly also did the ADA research on the north elevation doors and converted one of the entrances which brought the facility into national compliance. They also assisted in the design and selection of the hardware installation process.

We were wrong. Pauly Jail Building Company exceeded our expectations of what the best could be. Their approach to our project was not only on time, within budget, met every expectation and then some. Additionally, they adjusted their work schedule on several occasions to deconflict last minute events in our Museum. The personal touch and professionalism they exhibited resulted in our doors which are beautiful, weather tight, and work flawlessly while looking like the building dedication in 1933. We could not be happier with their work. Job well done!

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