



# Transportation Department

2525 13th Street, Suite 203 • Boulder, Colorado 80304 • Tel: 303.441.3900 • Fax: 303.441.4594  
Mailing Address: P.O. Box 471 • Boulder, Colorado 80306 • [www.bouldercounty.org](http://www.bouldercounty.org)

April 22, 2015

Luke Matzke  
Project Manager / Principal  
Anders Environmental, LLC  
1315 Hartford Drive  
Boulder, CO 80305

**Re: Letter of Reference for Luke Matzke**

To Whom it Concerns:

The purpose of this letter is to provide a professional reference for Mr. Luke Matzke of Anders Environmental. I am the Boulder County Flood Recovery Coordinator and have worked with Mr. Matzke extensively. Luke served as a contracted project manager and construction services manager for Boulder County immediately following the September 2013 Flood, a Presidentially declared disaster.

Luke helped coordinate FEMA funded hazardous debris removal from our watersheds, and ten Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) funded creek realignment and bank stabilization projects. He was instrumental in ensuring this critical work was completed ahead of spring runoff, thereby successfully preventing future flooding and public and private infrastructure damage. Luke exhibited extraordinary skill managing a team of seven construction inspectors, and multiple contractors completing projects across all parts of Boulder County. He worked closely Federal officials, acting as the Boulder County representative, to ensure we maintained eligibility for funding. Luke also coordinated projects with area homeowners ensuring they were informed and the impacts to their lives and property were mitigated throughout the construction and debris removal projects.

Luke was an incredible asset to Boulder County during a time we were scrambling to complete a tremendous amount of work. He was adept at managing his staff of construction supervisors, directing contractors, coordinating with Federal officials and putting local residents at ease. Having someone like Luke that I could count on to get the job done was incredibly important and why I am so pleased to write this letter on his behalf.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions about Luke's capabilities or my experience working with Mr. Matzke. I can be reached at 720.564.2667.

Sincerely,

Brian M. Graham, AICP  
Flood Recovery Coordinator  
Boulder County Transportation Dept.