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Attn: To Whom it May Concern:  
Re: Granite America Recommendation

Granite America is currently providing our company with granite kitchen countertops (121 apartments) and vanity tops (293 apartments). Throughout this difficult urban project in Clarendon, Arlington, VA, Granite America has exhibited nothing less than a professional and proactive approach to the completion of their work. They have demonstrated a good work ethic and have ensured us, and the Owner of the property, a quality product at an affordable price. We strongly recommend this contractor to provide all your granite needs and will definitely consider using them on our future projects.

Sincerely,

Clark Realty Builders, L.L.C.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeremy Bigelow", written over a horizontal line.

Jeremy Bigelow  
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