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RE: Terry's Barn Restoration Service

To Whom It May Concern:

This year I had my barn restored by Terry Stitt and his company, Terry's Barn Restoration Service. The barn is over 100 years old and had deteriorated to the point where I was not certain that it could be salvaged. After Terry looked at the barn, he not only reassured me that the barn could be restored but had many ideas that made the finished structure more useful and functional than my initial plans would have been.

I have never hired a contractor that was as easy to work with as Terry Stitt. His knowledge of past barn construction methods is remarkable. It was truly like a trip back in time watching the portions of the barn that had deteriorated being replaced with new materials sculpted like the originals. During the restoration process, Terry would point out things that he thought may potentially cause problems in the future. He would then propose solutions based on his considerable experience in barn restoration. Terry's attention to detail is noteworthy. He would not accept either a slight bow in the floor or a 1 ½ inch misalignment between the foundation and the superstructure. Both of these barely noticeable problems required considerable time and effort to correct but Terry would not have things any other way. It is that kind of pride and effort that makes me know that I am not going to have to be concerned with the structural soundness of this barn.

Needless to say I am very pleased with the finished building and with Terry and his company. I would find it difficult to give a better recommendation to anyone than I can give to Terry Stitt and Terry's Barn Restoration.

Sincerely



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