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Mr. John F. Krempp Secretary/Treasurer Krempp Construction 215 Main Street Jasper, IN 47546

Dear Mr. Krempp:

Congratulations! It is my distinct pleasure and honor to advise you that your firm has been named winner of the SBA's 2018 Region 5 Small Business Prime Contractor of the Year award. You were nominated for this prestigious award by Ms. Carrie Grimard, Contracting Officer, Department of the Navy, Crane, IN.

Your hard work, innovative ideas, and dedication to your community have helped you succeed. The SBA is pleased to recognize your achievements and your role in driving our nation's economic growth.

Each year since 1963, the President of the United States has issued a proclamation calling for the celebration of National Small Business Week (NSBW). NSBW recognizes outstanding small business owners for their personal successes and contributions to our nation. More than half of Americans either own or work for a small business. Your achievement is why we recognize businesses such as yours.

Again, my heartiest congratulations and best wishes for your continued success!

Warm regards,

Robb Wong

Associate Administrator

Office of Government Contracting and Business Development