

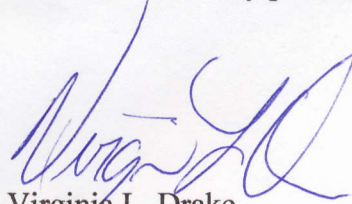
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**Letter of Recommendation for
Risky-Based Decisions, Inc.**

To whom it may concern:

“Risky-Based Decisions, Inc. applied a statistically valid and cost effective soil sampling procedure to characterize approximately 17 acres consisting of two parcels formerly used as a burn dump and battery recycling operation. Furthermore, they were able to limit the soils to be excavated and disposed offsite by fingerprinting a portion of the site that had burn dump soil. A total of approximately 10,000 cubic yards of arsenic and lead-impacted soils were excavated and disposed of at a Class 1 landfill. All of the soil removal work was conducted under difficult circumstances as the impacted soils were present amongst areas with threatened or endangered plant species. The entire remediation aspect was completed within three weeks against an agency-mandated timeline. I was very pleased with the performance of RBDI.”



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Land Owner