

March, 2002 - Letter of Recommendation

Our home at 414 E. Del Norte in Colorado Springs is the happy result of working with The Sawhorse Company.

In the fall of 2000, Kenton Pass met me at the site and did a preliminary assessment of the property, which was incredibly helpful to our designing and budgeting. We bought the property, a 1922 bungalow that hadn't been renovated since its birth and needed just about everything, including new plumbing, wiring, heating system, new kitchen, and a bedroom/bath addition.

Kenton recommended that we work with Gregg Conforti, Architect, who has become well known in our area (Patty Jewett and the North End) for his sensitive renovations and additions. We began construction in the spring and everything was completed 6 months later with the able assistance of Sawhorse's very personable and caring staff, Beth Parker and Lance Soder.

If you are considering Sawhorse as your contractor and Gregg Conforti as your architect, you will never regret hiring them. I work in architecture and planning and have been through renovations before. Construction is always difficult, particularly historic renovations which produce unwanted surprises that no one can anticipate. You will need a good listener during design and well detailed construction drawings, which Gregg can provide, and very well executed contracting, which Sawhorse provides on a daily basis – they are always there when you need them! I highly recommend their work as careful, sensitive, and well executed.

At the end of the day, when your office computer is gasping from tons of plaster dust, and you have exited your shower one day to find the bathroom wall is gone, and you are tired of living in some cramped corner of your house with your clothes hanging from the refrigerator, and your dog that you just adopted from the Humane Society has escaped with Sawhorse's construction crew in pursuit, Kenton, Gregg, Lance, and Beth will still make you laugh and struggle on to a wonderful completion, well worth every penny and every problem!!! My husband, Frankie (dog), and I love our house, and they have become our friends!

Yours sincerely,
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PS Come by if you'd like to see their work!