

Montgomery County

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To Whom It May Concern:

It is our pleasure to serve as a reference for Prochaska & Associates; they have been and continue to be a valuable partner to Montgomery County as we build our Montgomery County Law Enforcement Center.

The County began using Prochaska & Associates as our consulting team during the initial planning and discovery phase for a new law enforcement center which will consist of a jail, joint communications center, sheriff's department, and city police department. They worked with a committee of thirteen local citizens and county officials as they developed the preliminary concept plan. Their strong leadership skills were key in focusing the group on the goal of a new law enforcement center, yet allowing for open thought among the committee members.

The Prochaska & Associates team presented multiple options to the committee, and the committee was able to easily make the recommendation for a new Law Enforcement Center to the Board of Supervisors, based on conclusive data compiled by the Prochaska & Associates.

The Pre-Bond Election campaigning was extremely effective, and the bond referendum passed with an overwhelming 79.25% approval of the funding and construction of a new Montgomery County Law Enforcement Center.

Montgomery County has selected Prochaska & Associates as the architects of our project, based on our positive and professional relationship with this group. We highly recommend Prochaska & Associates to any community or organization planning the renovation or construction of facilities.

If you have any questions or would like additional information, please feel free to contact me at the Montgomery County Courthouse, (712) 623-5127.

Sincerely,

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