**LETTER OF ACCESS**

**FOR**

**ESSENTIAL CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE WORKER**

To Whom it May Concern:

The holder of this letter is an employee or subcontractor of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and is considered an essential critical infrastructure worker under the Department of Homeland Security’s Cybersecurity & Infrastructure Security Agency’s (CISA) March 19, 2020 memo and applicable state and local emergency declarations.

The CISA guidance identifies workers who conduct a broad range of operations and services that are essential critical services. The guidance is intended to promote the ability of such workers to continue to work during periods of community restrictions, social distancing, and/or emergency orders and directives issued by state and local agencies and officials.

Essential critical infrastructure workers include:

* Workers who support “the effective removal, storage, and disposal of residential and commercial solid waste and hazardous waste.”
* “Workers managing medical waste.”
* “Truck drivers who haul hazardous and waste materials to support critical infrastructure, capabilities, functions, and services.”
* Workers who support “the operation, inspection, and maintenance of essential public works facilities and operations.”
* Workers “needed to operate and maintain drinking water and wastewater/drainage infrastructure.”
* Workers “supporting or enabling transportation functions, including dispatchers, maintenance and repair technicians, warehouse workers.”
* Workers “who repair and maintain vehicles, aircraft, rail equipment, marine vessels, and the equipment and infrastructure that enables operations that encompass movement of cargo and passengers.”
* “Federal, State, and Local, Tribal, and Territorial employees who support Mission Essential Functions and communications networks.”
* “Workers at operations centers necessary to maintain other essential functions.”
* “Workers who support necessary credentialing, vetting and licensing operations for transportation workers.”

We ask that the holder of this letter be given prompt passage to or from his/her place of employment, service location or home, consistent with the above-referenced federal guidance and applicable state and local emergency declarations. If you have any questions, please contact \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at [phone number].

Thank you.