



**RAMAPO INDIAN HILLS REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT  
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Mr. Brad Horan  
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**RE: Indian Hills High School Track Project**

Dear Mr. Horan:

Allow me to take this opportunity to thank you for the service East Coast Track Consulting & Repair provided our school district.

When it was decided to replace the running track at the Indian Hills High School facility we did what we always do. We contacted an architect to design the project. We realized when the design documents were complete we had just another typical boilerplate design. The same sort prepared when the 9-year-old track we replaced was installed. We called around to some respected athletic directors and track coaches to find someone that could assist us with the project. Your name was provided. The match was perfect for the district and the result is an extraordinary installation with an end product that meets the high school athletes needs perfectly.

As we soon discovered under your tutelage, track installations are far more complex than would be expected. The expertise of most construction and building design professionals is limited when it comes to track specifications and project oversight. With your assistance the limitations inherent in the design initially developed for the district were quickly accessed and corrected to meet the needs of the high school athletes who use the track.

East Coast's expertise in matching track type to users need, including specifying urethane compounds, etc, are just part of the value of the service provided. As a person that has watched over construction projects for 25 years, something was very evident to me at the onset and throughout the project. The contractor realized that our project would be like no others they installed. With your oversight they changed the installing crew, as it was obvious our installation would have to be performed the correct way.

If our school district has one regret about the entire track project, that would be our failure to bring East Coast Track Consulting & Repair on board before meeting with the design firm.

If your firm every needs a recommendation, do not hesitate to direct the inquiring party to me.

Thank you on behalf of everyone at the Ramapo Indian Hills Regional High School District for ensuring we received a first class running track.

Very truly yours,

Peter Keaney  
Coordinator of Facilities and Operations  
Ramapo Indian Hills Regional High School District