

To Whom it May Concern:

In 1996, we began working with New World Design Builders on what was to become one of the most unique, innovative and admired projects in our industry -- the reconstruction of our award-winning salon and spa. Throughout the construction of our new 15,000 square foot facility, New World proved to be a very talented group of designers and craftsman. Their attention to detail and quality was reminiscent of the true artisans of days gone by.

As President of New World New World Design Builders, Chris Kofitsas is very motivated and talented designer/builder who has a deep understanding how to coordinate even the most complicated of projects (as ours turned out to be). Throughout the duration, Chris dedicated himself to providing the best possible design and quality construction possible. He demonstrated the ability to take responsibility not only for his own contributions, but also for the entire crew and the project as a whole. He also took control of scheduling the subcontractors in order to ensure that all things related to the project proceeded according to schedule.

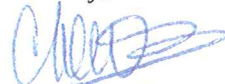
The second partner in New World Design Builders, John Farese, has also proven to be a valuable asset in putting the project at hand together. John's focus and dedication to detail drove him to ensure that the quality, of work and its aesthetic value was consistently superior during the project.

To say that we are pleased with the final result of New World Design Builders efforts would be a vast understatement. Suffice it to say that a steady stream of salon/spa owners from around the world visit our spa each week to behold its design. We have been written about in almost every major industry publication even gracing the cover of last month's American Spa magazine.

DePasquale, The Spa has prided itself on our dedication to quality, artistry, and customer service for over 13 years. By sharing our continued goal for perfection, New World created for us the beauty and wellness environment that will help us take those principles to new heights in the next millennium.

I welcome anyone interested in experiencing DePasquale to visit us for a tour and see firsthand the artistry and excellence of New World Design Builders.

Sincerely,



Carmen DePasquale