EBER F. PIERS AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS ARCHITECT & ENGINEER

1014 First Security Bank Bldg.

December 13, 1934.

My dear Marriner:

The Architectural Advisor, Edward O. Anderson, of the Federal Housing Administration for the State of Utah has requested that I qualify for Fee Architectural work of the Housing Administration.

In order to so qualify, along with other statements, etc., I have to submit "two letters of recommendation from individuals for whom the applicant has designed and supervised the construction of residential buildings".

Would you be kind enough to write such a letter for me, addressing same to Allen T. Sanford, Federal Housing Administration, 404 Boston Building, Salt Lake City, Utah, stating in said letter that I acted in a professional capacity in the construction of your residence. You might also mention that I constructed the First Security Bank Building, and various other buildings for companies that you control.

I will very much appreciate having you send me such a letter, that I may file with the qualification questionnaire.

I wish to embrace this opportunity to congratulate you on your recent appointment, and to wish you the compliments of the season.

Very truly yours,

Hon. Marriner S. Eccles,
Govenor of the Federal Reserve Board,
Washington, D.C.

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December 20, 1934.

Mr. Eber F. Piers, 1014 First Security Bank Bldg., Ogden, Utah.

Dear Eber:

In accordance with your request, I am very pleased to give you a letter of recommendation to the Federal Housing administration at Salt Lake City. In view of the fact that Mr. Sanford has been replaced by Mr. Franklin D. Michards, I have written the letter of recommendation to him and hope that it will be agreeable to you.

with kindest regards,

Sincerely yours,

Enclosure.

December 20, 1934.

Mr. Franklin D. Richards, Federal Housing Administration, 404 Boston Building, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Dear Mr. Richards:

I understand that Mr. Eber Piers has been requested to qualify for Fee Architectural work of the Federal Housing Administration and that he is very desirous of doing this.

I would personally be very glad to see Mr. Piers receive such an appointment because of his personal qualifications and character. The appointment of such architects would be in the interest of the Federal Housing Administration.

I have known Mr. Piers professionally for the past ten years. During that period he was the architect for the First National Bank building at Ogden, Utah, and inasmuch as I was President of that bank at that time, I was in close contact with Mr. Piers and had an opportunity to become thoroughly acquainted with his ability. I found him to be very able, reliable, conscientious, and thoroughly honest. He is a man of good habits and excellent character.

I am sure that you would find Mr. Piers an excellent addition to your organization.

Sincerely yours,

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