

To whom it may Concern :

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When we began our search for a builder we were skeptical that the Muskoka region would be able to meet our expectations in terms of quality, budget/actual, timeline and sheer ability to get the job done. After visiting with several builders and a few architects, we were pleased that generally speaking, the overall quality of workmanship was excellent and that many projects had been completed, on time, on budget and with relatively small amounts of pain. We also came to the conclusion through the process that, for our particular project, an architect was not an essential component, provided we could get a contractor to be flexible and work with us.

After this investigation, we selected Tamarack North due to the people involved with the organization. We were impressed with their credibility, honesty and willingness to work with us as we saw fit. We were very pleased in the initial phases of the project as they helped us define scope within our budget and worked with us to ensure our "vision" met appropriate building codes and fell within the realm of possible to build!

14 months later we remain pleased that we chose Tamarack and have recommend them to friends and co-workers alike. Chris & John have been outstanding through the many decisions and challenges that will arise in any project. (most notable being as we changed our minds!) Tamarack's staff were at all times the best of the best in terms of contractors and continually worked hard to make sure we got what we wanted.

Building on a remote site is difficult and a 6-hour return trip drive in the winter is no picnic. Chris was always there, and always ready to help us through the next step. We are now complete and extremely happy with the end result. We would recommend Tamarack North as one of the best experiences we've had to date in Muskoka.

We would be pleased to discuss our experience in more detail. I can be reached during the day at (905)-568-0434 X 4466.

Sincerely,



Andrew and Melanie Coulson