

# INSITU GEOTECH SERVICES

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To Whom It Concerns

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## Letter Of Endorsement

**RE: ROGER FAILMEZGER AND IN-SITU SOIL TESTING**

I am an Australian geotechnical engineer with more than 50 years of experience. I was founder of the specialist geotechnical in situ testing company “Insitu Geotech Services” which started up in 1999 and is well recognised as an Australian leader in this field.

I first met Roger Failmezger in 2006 when he organised the second International Conference on The Flat Plate Dilatometer, in Washington USA. I was impressed with his knowledge, zeal and commitment at that time, and this has stayed with me for what is now 15 years.

Roger owns and runs what is a small in situ site investigation company, but he is in my opinion an international leader in his (and my) field in many ways. Among these:

- He is exceptionally knowledgeable of the field.
- He is always at the forefront of innovation and practical research and application. He “walks the talk”.
- He is open and liked and an excellent communicator, sharing his knowledge and expertise with others.
- He publishes widely.
- He is trustworthy.

I recommend Roger to anyone.

I am happy to discuss this verbally, at any time.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Allan J McConnell'.

Allan J McConnell  
(IGS Founder)