

Group Earns Department of Energy Safety Certification

Facility Engineering Services KCP LLC (FES) operations at the Kansas City Plant (KCP) achieved Star certification in the Department of Energy Voluntary Protection Program (DOE VPP) in September, the group's first attempt at certification. FES is a subsidiary of Burns & McDonnell that manages construction and nonproduction engineering for Honeywell Federal Manufacturing & Technologies at the DOE National Nuclear Security Administration KCP. The FES group met or exceeded each of the five tenets in the program: management leadership, safety and health training, hazard prevention and control, worksite analysis, and employee involvement. FES is the first subcontractor to a DOE management and operations contractor to earn the certification. Star status is the highest achievement level, and

sites can take up to five years to qualify. VPP promotes safety and health excellence at DOE contractor sites.

NASA Awards IDIQ Contract For Houston Space Center Design

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) has awarded Burns & McDonnell a \$9.9 million non-exclusive indefinite delivery indefinite quantity contract for facilities improvement projects at the Lyndon B. Johnson Space Center in Houston.

Specific projects will be defined in the near future. The Houston space center includes facilities dedicated to the development and testing of materials and systems to determine if they can withstand the rigors of space flight. The contract also covers work at Ellington Field in Houston and the White Sands Testing Facility in New Mexico.

Chicago Office Wins Illinois Tollway Contract

Burns & McDonnell will provide design and construction management for the widening and reconstruction of the Tri-State Tollway in Cook County, Ill. Design for the \$400 million project began in 2002, and construction began in 2006. The design management team will work with five consultants preparing nine construction packages, providing them with standard details, specifications and review plans for continuity of designs and optimization of traffic flow. During construction, Burns & McDonnell will provide management and inspection services, track schedules and budgets, coordinate with other agencies and utilities, assist in permitting, and coordinate right-of-way acquisition.

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