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Local Food Bank Achieves Green Building Certification **Capital Area Food Bank Awarded LEED Silver Designation**

Washington, DC, October 9, 2013—Turner Construction Company, Engineering News-Record's leading Green Contractor, received notice that the recently completed Capital Area Food Bank achieved LEED-NC Silver Certification from the US Green Building Council.

The LEED Certification program stands for Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design, and the "NC" pertains to "New Construction." Established to promote worldwide awareness for green building and its impact on the environment, LEED has come to be recognized as the standard measure of sustainability in buildings. Through the use of sustainable strategies, the project achieved a 50% reduction of water-use through use of ultra-low flow urinals/lavatories/pantry sinks, 14% increased energy performance through the use of energy efficient lighting, and solar panels totaling \$70,000 in energy cost savings per year.

"Congratulations to the Capital Area Food Bank and the project team who made this achievement possible," said Ken Jones, Vice President and General Manager of Turner's Washington, DC office. "Your leadership and commitment to innovations in energy efficiency will create a healthy and productive environment for the employees, volunteers and the community that the CAFB serves."

The renovation and expansion of Capital Area Food Bank's food distribution facility involved the demolition of the original warehouse, alterations to the office block and the new construction of a 96,630 square foot warehouse facility on the existing footprint, effectively allowing for the doubling of their operations. The expansion of space accommodates for the growth of volunteers, special stations for sorting food, meal preparation areas, increased refrigerator and freezer capacity, new space for classrooms,



along with commercial and teaching kitchens. Thusly, allowing the Food Bank increased resources to provide greater services to the community.

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