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CIBOLO GREEN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL WINS 2011 GREEN BUILDING AWARD

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS (June 29, 2011) – Cibolo Green Elementary School, constructed by Satterfield & Pontikes Construction, Inc. (S&P), received the City of San Antonio 2011 Green Building Award for the best school construction project at a special awards ceremony held recently at the International Center in San Antonio. The Green Building Awards recognize the achievements of builders, architects, designers, and others in the construction industry who work toward improving the performance of their building and construction projects.

Pfluger Architects designed the 122,000-square-foot school, which received Gold certification through the Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) program. Cibolo Green Elementary is the first LEED Gold school for North East Independent School District (NEISD) and is a remarkable example of energy efficiency and eco-friendly construction.

Cibolo Green Elementary features numerous LEED elements, including improved air quality systems, the use of recycled building materials, native plant landscaping, paints and sealants with low levels of volatile organic compounds, and energy-saving lighting throughout the school.

The awards event showcased the cutting-edge projects in San Antonio as well as breakthroughs and emerging technologies occurring in green building. Numerous city and county officials, utility representatives, and members of the building community were in attendance.

NEISD Interim Superintendent Dr. Brian Gottardy accepted the award. Also in attendance were Brad Shearer, Vice President of Satterfield & Pontikes' San Antonio Business Unit; Board of Trustees President Beth Plummer and Cibolo Green Principal Dr. Ivonna Gonzalez from NEISD; Kent Nieman AIA, Robyn Jimenez, and Manuel Garza from Pfluger Architects; and Garrett Sullivan and Jorge Cabello from the NEISD Construction Management Department.

About Satterfield & Pontikes Construction

Established in 1989, Satterfield & Pontikes Construction, Inc. is an award-winning general contractor and construction manager. *Engineering News-Record* ranks S&P #105 in 'Top 400 Contractors' in the U.S. *Texas Construction* ranks S&P #18 in 'Top Texas Contractors' (out of 125 firms) and #2 in 'Educational Facility Construction.' S&P's commitment to sustainable construction also earned a spot on *Engineering News-Record's* 'Top 100 Green Builders' in America. *ENR Texas and Louisiana* recently selected S&P as one of 'Six Companies to Watch' in 2011.

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