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Speedway Joins Top Indiana Schools as an ENERGY STAR®

Speedway, Indiana 11/11/2008. The School Town of Speedway's Carl G. Fisher Elementary School/Speedway Junior High School building has earned the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA's) prestigious ENERGY STAR®, the national symbol for superior energy efficiency and environmental protection. The combined elementary/middle school building is distinguished as one of just 32 Indiana ENERGY STAR K-12 schools.

To earn the ENERGY STAR label, Speedway partnered with Performance Services (PSI), an Indianapolis design-build company that specializes in energy savings projects for K-12 Schools. "The School Town of Speedway has been pleased with the enhanced learning environment and the utility cost savings created by this project. The students enjoy improved comfort through consistent temperature control and better lighting while the patrons of the community realize lower energy-related savings," said Ken Hull, Superintendent.

Schools and commercial buildings that earn the ENERGY STAR use less energy than most buildings and release less carbon dioxide into the atmosphere. The utility savings for The School Town of Speedway was \$23,726 for a two-year period. It has also prevented greenhouse gas emissions of 105 metric tons, equivalent to the CO₂ for electricity use of 14 homes for an entire year.*

"It's our pleasure to work with Ken and The School Town of Speedway. It's rewarding to provide our services to create a quality learning environment for every student, to lower energy costs, and to reduce the affect on the environment," said Tim Thoman, President of Performance Services, an ENERGY STAR partner. The company has provided energy solutions to Indiana schools for 10 years and is the leading provider of guaranteed energy savings contracts in Indiana with over 75 successful design-build school projects.

For more information about The School Town of Speedway, visit <http://www.speedway.k12.in.us/>
For more information about Performance Services, visit www.performanceservices.com

*To calculate greenhouse gas emissions, please visit <http://www.epa.gov/cleanenergy/energy-resources/calculator.html>

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