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**RILEY COOKING UP IMPROVED FOOD PRODUCTION AT RACINE CORRECTIONS**

**KENOSHA, Wis. – (May 7, 2009)** – Riley Construction is building a new one-story food production facility at the Racine Correctional Institution (RCI) in Sturtevant. The Wisconsin Department of Administration awarded the contract to Riley, which consists of a 20,000 square foot facility to house a complete food production facility capable of serving more than 2,000 inmates and staff, totaling over 6,000 meals per day.

Since its inception as a 450-bed facility in 1991, the RCI has grown to a medium-maximum institution routinely housing in excess of 1,500 inmates, without expansion in the food production facility or support service buildings.

The new facility will provide a more substantial food preparation area, classroom space and a dining area for the vocational foods program. Additional features include a loading dock, a food staging area, freezer and cooler space, and office space for the vocational foods and food production areas. Officer stations for both areas will allow visual observation of the areas, as inmate labor assists in tray make-up, serving, dishwashing and sanitation.

One of the largest construction management and general construction firms in southeastern Wisconsin and northern Illinois with more than \$154 million in volume last year, Riley Construction is headquartered in Kenosha, Wis., with permanent offices located in Milwaukee and Lake Bluff, Ill. The company provides construction management, preconstruction, design/build and general contracting services across a wide range of markets, including health care, municipal, commercial, industrial, public/recreation and education. Projects include new, expansion, renovation and restoration projects for a variety of building types and uses.

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