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McGill Smith Punshon, Inc. Wins Cincinnati Sustainability Award for Winton Woods Project

On July 30, 2009, The American Institute of Architects' Committee on the Environment (COTE) held its annual **Cincinnati Sustainability Awards** celebration, in order to celebrate the most environmentally integrated projects in the region. McGill Smith Punshon, Inc. (MSP) was awarded an "Honorable Mention" for the design of the Winton Woods Campground Office and Retail Building.

Hamilton County Park District's Winton Woods is a park that serves as a regional destination for campers, hikers, and those who love nature. With the design of the Winton Woods Campground Office and Retail building, the Hamilton County Park District took the opportunity to immerse themselves in the sustainable movement. The facility features a multitude of sustainable features including a geothermal system for heating and cooling, natural lighting, certified lumber, waterless urinals, and high recycled content, and site rain gardens.

"MSP is proud to have our work on the Winton Woods project honored with a Cincinnati Sustainability Award," affirms Randal Merrill, AIA, LEED AP, Vice President of Architecture with MSP. "We look forward to continuing to design projects that both promote sustainable initiatives and meet the needs of our valued clients."

With a 150-year history in the Cincinnati region, MSP is a diversified firm providing planning, architectural design, civil engineering, surveying, landscape architecture and facilities planning services to educational, public, private, institutional and non-profit sectors.

