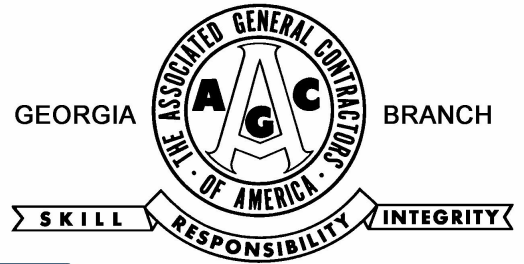


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## Cork-Howard Construction Wins Two Awards for Construction Projects in Metro Atlanta

The Georgia Branch, Associated General Contractors of America, Inc. (AGC) recently awarded *Cork-Howard Construction Company, Inc.* of Marietta a 2006 Build Georgia Award for the Center for Family Resources project in Marietta. Mr. Mark Williams, Vice President of the firm, accepted the award at a breakfast on Saturday, May 13 at The Amelia Island Plantation in Amelia Island, Florida, during the Georgia Branch, AGC's Annual Convention.

The Georgia Branch, AGC Build Georgia Awards Program began in 1989 as a way for the statewide association to recognize general contractor members and their construction teams for outstanding performances on some of Georgia's most remarkable projects. The Build Georgia Award honors achievements of Georgia's construction firms and the dedicated men and women that make up the state's construction industry. Their **Skill, Integrity, and Responsibility** and spirit of innovation and problem solving are making history in Georgia and improving our state's quality of life.

Cork-Howard worked with the Center for Family Resources' existing building to adaptively re-use the structure in order to save the owner money and to best utilize the building in downtown Marietta, where space is a premium. The Cork-Howard team had a 100% safety record on the project which resulted in the non-profit staffers having ample office space, computer labs for its families, a food pantry and a children's daycare center.

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Cork-Howard Construction Services, LLC was awarded Honorable Mention recognition for their work on the Southern Company's interior build-out project in the Ivan Allen Plaza in downtown Atlanta. The Southern Company's corporate headquarters occupy seven 25,000 sq ft. floors of the newly built Plaza and Cork-Howard was charged with completing the interior construction of that space.

**A photo of the projects and the award presentations are available via email. Please Alyson Abercrombie at Georgia Branch, AGC for more details.**

*The Georgia Branch, Associated General Contractors, Inc., Atlanta, GA, is a 78-year-old non-profit trade association made up of over 575 general contractors, subcontractors, material suppliers, and service providers in Georgia. AGC members are the leading commercial – building, highway, municipal/utilities, heavy, industrial, construction manager and design-build – contractors in the state of Georgia. They are qualified contractors and industry-related firms, dedicated to the principles of **Skill, Integrity, and Responsibility.***