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Walton Construction Company Awarded Military Hangar Project

Design underway to repair the 50-year-old structure

FORT WORTH, Texas (November 19, 2007) – The Dallas division of Walton Construction Company, LLC., was recently awarded the more than \$4.4 million design-build contract to repair a 50-year-old military aircraft hangar in Fort Worth, Texas.

The hangar was originally built to serve heavy bombers for the United States Air Force after World War II. It now it accommodates C-40 and C-130 aircraft.

Design is currently under way, with construction set to begin in December 2007. Renovation of the building will include re-roofing, re-flooring and re-painting the structure while maintaining ongoing aircraft operations. The project is being performed under an existing *Multiple Award Construction Contract* with NAVFAC Southern Division that is shared between Walton's Dallas and New Orleans offices.

The construction team is scheduled to complete the 160,000-square-feet of re-roofing, 105,000-square-feet of industrial epoxy flooring, painting of the hangar bays, heating, ventilation, air-conditioning, and some additional elevator, floor, and door work by October 25, 2008.

Walton Construction Company, LLC, which maintains full-service offices in Kansas City, St. Louis, Springfield, Mo., Dallas, Texas and New Orleans, La., is ranked among the top contractors in the United States by Engineering News Record. Established in 1985, Walton Construction has grown steadily to become a leader in pre-construction, general contracting, design-build and construction management services.

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