

Firm selected for manufacturing renovation

CICERO | Meridian Design Build has been selected by C.R. Laurence to coordinate the renovation of a recently acquired 90,000 square foot manufacturing facility at 5501 West Ogden Avenue.

An extensive amount of interior demolition work and reconfiguration is planned to improve overall flow within the facility. It will make room for updated employee facilities such as plant restrooms/locker rooms, lunchrooms and plant offices.

Interior walls and ceilings within the plant area of the 1950s-era building will be painted and new energy efficient lighting fixtures will be installed to create a brighter work environment. Remodeling/renovation work will also be completed within existing office areas including installation of a modern heating/cooling system, installation of new plumbing fixtures and replacement of corroded galvanized water lines.

The project is being completed on a design/build basis with the assistance of Itasca-based **Heitman Architects**. **Ryan Brandush**, project engineer, and **Tom McNett**, senior superintendent, are handling the project for Meridian Design Build.