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The Hagerman Group/Design Collaborative Named Design-Build Team for Valparaiso University Sorority Housing



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FORT WAYNE, IND. – The Hagerman Group/Design Collaborative team has been selected as the design-builder for Valparaiso University's Sorority Housing project. The total project will house approximately 144 beds and each of the six houses is programmed for living space, a chapter room, a residential kitchen and basement. An apartment for a live-in staff member with bedroom, bath, residential kitchen and living area will be included in each of the buildings as well.

The Hagerman Group began working at Valparaiso University in 2011. Brad Smith, Vice President of Hagerman stated, "Having worked with Valparaiso University over the past several years has been a fulfilling experience. Due to the sophistication of the University and its staff, working there has been a seamless process. The staff is hands-on and extremely knowledgeable in construction, which yields a collaboration and genuine respect for one another. They know what they want, and they know Hagerman will deliver." Design for the Sorority Housing project has commenced and is slated to be complete by December 2015.

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The Hagerman Group is privately owned and consists of two operational companies, Hagerman Construction Corporation (HCC) and Hagerman, Incorporated (HI). HCC self-performs masonry, concrete and carpentry work while HI provides general contracting, construction management, design-build and owner's representative services. The firm was founded in 1908 and maintains Indiana offices in Fort Wayne and Fishers.

Design Collaborative

With a mission to improve people's worlds, Design Collaborative provides planning, architectural, mechanical and electrical engineering and interior design services from its Fort Wayne office. Design Collaborative was founded in 1992 from a partnership of three people to a family of nearly 50 associates today. Culture, process, and product is today, and always has been, the foundation of Design Collaborative.

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