

Fact Sheet

Columbia Fire Station No. 9

- Located at 201 Blue Ridge Road on the Northwest corner of North Providence Road and Blue Ridge Road.
- Groundbreaking on Wednesday, March 4, 2009 at 8:30 a.m. Construction is expected to be substantially complete by October 2009.
- Columbia Fire Station No. 9 is being built with funding from a voter $\frac{1}{4}$ cent Capital Improvement Sales Tax Extension ballot issue in November of 2005.
- The new station will feature a total of 7,891 square feet, three (3) drive through apparatus bays for safety, a Police sub-station with independent access.
- The site will include innovative methods of collecting and cleaning storm water run off created by the development including a rain garden and bio-swale detention pond.
- Fire Station No. 9 will assist in improving and maintaining response times in north-central Columbia, an area which has experienced rapid residential growth over the past several years.
- The new fire station was designed by Peckham & Wright Architects of Columbia, the same firm which designed fire stations 7 and 8. Mechanical Engineering services are being provided by CM Engineering of Columbia. Civil and Structural Engineering is being provided by Trabue, Hansen, & Hinshaw of Columbia.
- General contractor for the project is Little Dixie Construction, LLC of Columbia, Missouri.
- Cost of the building is estimated at \$1,600,000.00.
- The building was designed and is expected to qualify as a LEED-certified project.
- The building qualifies for the Percent for Art funding
- The station will operate with three personnel on duty each day as a single company station.



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