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## **Kitchell launches new Inland Empire Office to serve Southern California construction market**

(PHOENIX) Dec. 8, 2006 — Kitchell has opened a new office in the Inland Empire region of Southern California. The office will provide program and construction management services for the higher-education, K-12 and government markets in Southern California. The location for the new office was selected in response to anticipated sustained high growth in the area.

In May 2005, Kitchell was among several firms approved by the Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD) to augment the District's construction-management staff for the District's eight-year, \$11.7-billion bond program. The new office will lead Kitchell's ongoing recruiting efforts on behalf of the LAUSD. Kitchell is also part of a pool of companies selected by the Santa Ana Unified School District in Santa Ana, California to provide construction management services for the District.

Kitchell has provided value-engineering services to Los Angeles Valley College and design-review services to Mission College, both part of the Los Angeles Community College District.

Kitchell also holds a contract with the California Department of General Services for the construction project-management for ongoing campus improvements for the California School for the Deaf in Riverside, portions of which are designed for LEED Silver certification.

Other current higher-education programs in California include program/construction management for six community college districts and construction administration and technical support for the University of California, Davis.

One of the nation's top 40 construction management firms, Kitchell specializes in managing building programs for educational, municipal, cultural arts and justice facilities throughout the United States.

The new office is located at 2990 East Inland Empire Boulevard, Suite 114, Ontario, California 91764. The phone number is 909-724-4119; the fax number is 909-724-4122. Kitchell also has

offices in Phoenix, Arizona; Sacramento, Fresno, San Jose, Santa Barbara and Carlsbad, California; and Las Vegas, Nevada.

***Kitchell** is a diversified firm focused on general contracting, construction management and real estate development. Kitchell has offices in Phoenix, Arizona; Sacramento, Carlsbad, Fresno, Ontario, San Jose and Santa Barbara, California; Las Vegas, Nevada; and the Big Island and Kauai, Hawaii. Kitchell Corporation also owns American Refrigeration Supplies, an air conditioning/refrigeration equipment wholesaling company with 33 branches in six states. Learn more about Kitchell at [www.kitchell.com](http://www.kitchell.com).*

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