



GWCCA Board Accepts Conceptual Design and General Contractor Recommendation for New Stadium Project

ATLANTA - (June 18, 2013) The Georgia World Congress Center Authority (GWCCA) Board of Governors met today regarding two action items pertaining to the new stadium project: conceptual design review and approval, and general contractor/CM review and approval. The Board approved both items.

The conceptual design for the stadium was recently completed by 360 Architecture and the Atlanta Falcons and was presented to the GWCCA Board today. The conceptual design does not necessarily represent the final structure, but it is intended to provide direction for further design work. 360 Architecture and its partners will now move into a detailed schematic design of the stadium, during which time the concept will become more clearly defined. The new stadium design is expected to be finalized in April 2014.

The joint venture between Holder Construction Company, Hunt Construction Group, H.J. Russell & Company and C.D. Moody Construction Company was approved as the general contractor/CM for the project.

“We are happy to have both the concept and the general contractor/CM chosen for this project,” said GWCCA Executive Director Frank Poe. “These decisions are an important step forward.”

For background information on the stadium development process, please visit:

<http://www.gwcc.com/about/stadium/Default.aspx>

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Located in the heart of downtown Atlanta, the Georgia World Congress Center Authority, which includes the 3.9 million square foot convention center, the 71,250-seat Georgia Dome and 21-acre Centennial Olympic Park, ranks among the top five largest convention destinations in the country as well as one of the best sports and entertainment campuses in the world.