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Glavé & Holmes Wins Honor Award in JRGC Competition

Richmond, Va. (June 4 , 2010) – The Urban Architecture Studio at Glavé & Holmes Architecture earned an Honor Award from the James River Green Building Council's (JRGC) Green Spaces Competition for their entry, *Inevitable Ecology of a Neighborhood!*

This year's competition solicited real and inspiring solutions to land-use questions that face the City of Richmond. Entrants were challenged to develop a solution for living, working, and recreation spaces on the 34-acre Greater Fulton Gas Works site, a location comprised of multiple vacant and underutilized parcels east of downtown Richmond.

Modeled after the restoration of a forest after a fire, the Glavé & Holmes team proposed an ecological solution that promoted the reinvigoration of Fulton into a thriving and self-sustaining community through a series of incremental steps, including reconnecting the site with the Fulton neighborhood and the adjacent James River.

Members of the Urban Architecture Studio include: Edwin Holloway, Emily Jones, Andrew Moore, Rob Parise, John Spain, and Jennifer Wimmer.

Technical assistance was provided by Ben Leatherland, Senior Scientist with Environmental Services & Consulting in Blacksburg and Drew Gould, Stormwater Group Leader with Timmons Group in Richmond.

Founded in 1965, the award-winning Glavé & Holmes Architecture specializes in cultural, higher education, hospitality, interior design, residential and urban architecture projects. Glavé & Holmes Architecture believes that the creation of successful, context-responsive projects requires a collaborative process involving a well-structured design team, the client, the community, and other constituencies. From the firm's inception, this principle has guided its work, resulting in exceptional service to diverse clientele.