

Bluff City Transfer Station & Ticket Office



PROJECT OVERVIEW

Project:

*Bluff City Transfer Station & Ticket Office
Elgin, IL*

Client:

Waste Management, Inc.



Harbour Contractors, Inc. was hired by Waste Management to construct two separate buildings: a transfer building which receives waste material where it is transferred to larger disposal haulers, and the ticket office which receives and weighs the haulers. A boardwalk surrounds the detention area with signage that explains about the site's sustainable features.

The U.S. Green Building Council awarded the project a **LEED® Gold certification**.

Project Highlights:

Extensive use of recycled and locally-manufactured building materials
Forest Stewardship Council Certified Lumber
High-reflectivity and garden roof system
LEED compliant site lighting design

Native, drought-tolerant landscaping for storm water treatment
Use of rainwater for toilet flushing; low flow/flush plumbing features