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Roxanne Cortinas Joins SSR Chicago Office
Growth Continues in Chicago Market

NASHVILLE, TN – January 25, 2013 - Smith Seckman Reid, Inc (SSR), a Nashville based engineering design and facilities consulting firm is pleased to announce the hiring of Roxanne Cortinas, PE, CxA, LEED AP, as a SSRCx Project Manager in its Chicago office. Cortinas has previously worked in concert with SSRCx through a local joint venture for the last two years.

Cortinas has served as the commissioning project manager and principal commissioning authority on a variety of complex projects across the Midwest. She is a registered mechanical engineer in Illinois. Cortinas serves on the Board of the Chapter Technology Transfer Committee of the Chicago chapter of ASHRAE, and is a member of Windy City Women in HVAC and USGBC. She received a Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Texas at San Antonio.

About SSR

SSR is an employee-owned consulting firm with 15 offices and more than 40 years of experience providing high performance engineering design and facility consulting services for complex facility and infrastructure projects across the United States and around the world. In 2011 SSR was ranked first in the ZweigWhite "Best Multidiscipline A/E Services Firm To Work For" among firms with more than 300 employees. SSR is currently ranked 19th in *Consulting-Specifying Engineer's* list of "MEP Giants" and 5th on its list of "Cx Giants" list. To learn more, visit www.ssr-inc.com.

About SSRCx

SSRCx, a division of Smith Seckman Reid, is a leading facilities commissioning provider. The company works with facilities to verify and document that buildings and their systems are designed and installed in a quality manner and meet the needs of the owner and occupants. SSRCx provides commissioning services at any stage of a project, from design to completion, including facilities that have been built and running for a significant amount of time. SSRCx is ranked 5th on the *Consulting-Specifying Engineer* "Cx Giants" list. For more information about SSRCx, call (800) 545-6732 or visit www.ssrcx.com.

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