

Boyd Martin Finishes Fairway Vehicle Dealership Upgrade

Boyd Martin Construction LLC recently finished a three-phase upgrade for the 18,547-sq-ft Fairway Buick GMC dealership at 3222 E Sahara Ave. in Las Vegas. The project included an interior remodel and exterior renovation, plus site utility improvements. The undertaking also entailed a 9,600-sq-ft steel-and-block addition to the existing service department, as well as construction of a new 7,464-sq-ft service canopy with service writers offices. Other work consisted of a new 62,000-sq-ft complex with a parts warehouse, plus a 20,000-sq-ft showroom with business offices as exterior building enhancements. The project was completed within budget and delivered on time.



Las Vegas Paving Completes I-15 South Expansion Project

Las Vegas Paving recently finished a \$252 million, 7-mile makeover of Interstate-15 South from Silverado Ranch Boulevard to Tropicana Avenue. The stretch of roadway, which sees more than 200,000 vehicles a day, received 35 lane miles of new asphalt and concrete roadway, plus three new bridges and three interchange reconfigurations. Other improvements call for 35 retaining walls, storm drainage and 1.5 miles of sound walls, as well as landscaping and an intelligent messaging system. The multifaceted undertaking saw up to 300 craftspeople, 95 designers and 3,500 pages of plan documents. "The widening adds between 30% to 85% more capacity to the project corridor, depending on the segment," says Las Vegas Paving division manager Corey Newcome. "Braiding of the successive on and off ramps will eliminate the severe weaving problems, improving traffic flow and safety."

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▲ Nevada State Contractors Board Chairman Guy Wells

NV Contractors Board Names New Chairman

Guy Wells has been tapped to chair the Nevada State Contractors Board. His board term is effective through Oct. 31, 2014. The board is comprised of seven members, six licensed contractors and one representative of the public. He replaces Kevin Burke of Burke Construction Group as chairman. Although board members are appointed by the governor, the chairman position is elected by board members. Guy Wells is president and chief executive officer of Wells Cargo Inc., and a past chairman of the Nevada Contractors Association. He currently serves on the NCA and AGC boards.