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## HONOR AWARD

### Architecture Plus

*Flory Industries*

Architectural Firm: Architecture Plus, Inc.  
Principal In Charge/ Designer: Joseph L. Smith  
Consultants: Pelton Engineering-Structural;  
Knox LA-Landscape Architect; Conceptual  
Designs-Interior Finishes/Furniture  
Builder: J.A. Grover Construction  
Photographer: Timothy S. Fisher  
Owner: Flory Industries

An international farm implement firm wished to expand its corporate headquarters and warehouse. Architect Joseph Smith selected the barn/silo paradigm for the basic building geometry. The detailing is symbolic of farm hardware. Many building elements were produced by Flory Industries. The exterior, interior plan, and interior design were designed by Joseph Smith and the Architecture Plus staff. The farm theme is carried from first vision to final details.

### JURY COMMENTS

The project represents good expression of architectural forms with playful and well-detailed elements. An excellent solution to a difficult construction type. The interior included warm/vibrant material clusters.

