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Little Rock, Arkansas – Associated Builders and Contractors (ABC) of Arkansas announced that Koontz Electric Co., Inc.'s work on the Little Rock Bridges LED Lighting has earned the company first place in the category of Electrical: Commercial Over \$500,000 in ABC's Excellence in Construction awards. Koontz Electric accepted the award on April 5th during the annual 'Excellence in Construction' celebration at the Austin Convention Hotel & Spa in Hot Springs, AR.

"ABC congratulates Koontz Electric for their outstanding work on the bridge lighting," said Bill Roachell, ABC Arkansas President. "This project is a true example of exceptional craftsmanship and professionalism that define merit shop construction. It is an honor for the association to recognize this project with our top construction excellence award."

ABC Arkansas designed the Excellence in Construction program to recognize excellent performance in the merit shop construction field. The award honors all construction team members, including the contractor, owner, architect and engineer. This year's competition was open to all construction projects completed by ABC member firms during 2013. The winning projects were selected from entries submitted from across the state and were judged on complexity, attractiveness, unique challenges overcome, completion time, workmanship, innovation, safety and cost.

The Owner of the project is Downtown Little Rock Partnership.

A panel from the construction management department of the University of Arkansas at Little Rock served as the competition's judges.

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