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**Palmer Electric Company Makes Donation to
Seminole Community College Foundation**

WINTER PARK, Fla., November 30, 2007 – Palmer Electric Company announced today the donation of \$50,000 to the Seminole Community College Foundation for the Wharton-Smith Center for Construction. The donation, which is eligible for a state matching fund of \$33,500, will be used to enhance and expand the College's newly launched Construction Management Program at the Center for Economic Development in Heathrow.

“Having a local construction management program of this caliber is critical to our industry in Central Florida,” said Tom G. Beard, president, Palmer Electric Company. “We are pleased to support the efforts of Seminole Community College to make this program a success and a continued benefit to our community.”

For more than a decade, Seminole Community College (SCC) has been training future leaders in the construction industry with its Architecture and Construction Management Program. In January, the program will expand its curriculum to offer a separate degree in Construction Management.

“Our construction industry partners have a long tradition of supporting SCC and helping to build our construction programs,” said SCC, President, Dr. E. Ann McGee. “This gift from Palmer Electric Company is another example of this innovative partnership.”