

CMX News

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CMX PLAYS KEY ROLE ON TEAM DESIGNING AND OVERSEEING CONSTRUCTION OF NEW PHILLIPSBURG HIGH SCHOOL

MANALAPAN, NJ – OCTOBER 21, 2009 – CMX is playing a key role providing civil engineering, site development, permitting services as well as construction administration services for the new \$174 million Phillipsburg High School, which received funding from the New Jersey Schools Development Authority (SDA). Utilizing modern designs and the latest technologies, the new high school, when completed in 2013, will accommodate more than 2,200 students and approximately 200 staff members in 320,000 square-feet of academic space.

Construction shall occur in two phases, and CMX shall provide construction administration services for the duration of the project. The first phase is the early site preparation and earthwork, which includes rock removal and preparation of the site grades for building construction. The second is the building phase that includes construction of the high school as well as installing a domestic-water and fire-water booster pump station, parking areas for approximately 615 parking spaces, storm drainage systems, retaining walls, landscaping and site lighting.

In addition, CMX is providing highway and traffic signal design and permitting services for offsite construction including roadway improvements to Upper Belvidere Road (Warren County Route 646) and Roseberry Street consisting of a new traffic signal, storm drainage systems and road widening at the school's entrance.



Pictured: (left to right) Francis W. Mullan, PE, principal project engineer of CMX Engineering; Jeffrey D. Venezia, principal project architect, Design Ideas Group, AIA; Kris Kolluri, CEO, NJ Schools Development Authority and Mark B. Miller, superintendent, Phillipsburg School District.

In an earlier phase CMX previously provided permitting services for the presently constructed paved access roads and parking areas, athletic fields and sports facilities, drainage culverts and storm water management systems, and upgraded site utilities.

In October, CMX representatives joined Governor Jon S. Corzine, Phillipsburg School officials, faculty and students, the SDA, the Mayors of Phillipsburg and Lopatcong and the project architect in the formal groundbreaking ceremony for the new high school.