



# Hill International

## Ho-Chunk Nation Selects Hill International to Provide Management Services for the Delivery of New Beloit, Wisconsin Gaming Destination

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**PHILADELPHIA, PA and BELOIT, WI – April 24, 2019** – Hill International (NYSE:HIL), the global leader in managing construction risk, announced today it has been awarded a contract to provide owner's management support to assist with pre-construction and design activities for a proposed new, \$405 million hotel resort and casino located in Beloit, Wisconsin. The new hotel resort and casino would be located near the Wisconsin-Illinois border on a 75-acre site directly across from the Wisconsin Welcome Center.

David Greendeer, Executive Director of Business at Ho-Chunk Nation, said of the project, "The compact we have with the State of Wisconsin provides for an additional casino. We are extremely excited about the opportunity to create an entertainment destination while creating thousands of local jobs."

"Our trust and familiarity with Hill International speaks volumes," Greendeer continues, "as we worked with the Hill team on three recently completed, separate gaming expansion projects [known as Project Forward] across Wisconsin. Each project generated significant economic impact for the Ho-Chunk Nation, and each was delivered as-planned. Given Hill's track record on the Black River Falls project specifically, where they helped realize an early completion for us, we felt it was the smart choice to bring them back on-board for our new Beloit project."

The hotel resort and casino will include the latest in guest amenities, dining, lodging, and a gaming experience encompassing slot machines and table games in a friendly, welcoming atmosphere. The Beloit project also calls for a water park and conference center. Pending state and federal approvals, Ho-Chunk officials plan to begin construction in 2020, with a grand opening anticipated in 2022.

Hill International Senior Program Manager Harry Corken said of Hill's selection, "Our track record with the Ho-Chunk Nation covers several successful casino and resort projects, so we can leverage this experience on the new hotel resort and casino. Ideally, we will realize numerous project efficiencies and cost savings. Similar to our work on Project Forward, I expect this project to be a success for everyone involved."

### **About Hill International**

Hill International, with approximately 2,700 professionals in more than 50 offices worldwide, provides program management, project management, construction management, and other consulting services to clients in a variety of market sectors. *Engineering News-Record* magazine recently ranked Hill as the eighth-largest construction management firm in the United States. For more information on Hill, please visit our website at [www.hillintl.com](http://www.hillintl.com).

### **Forward Looking Statements**

Certain statements contained herein may be considered "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, and it is our intent that any such statements be protected by the safe harbor created thereby. Except for historical information, the matters set forth herein including, but not limited to, any statements of belief or intent, any statements concerning our plans, strategies, and objectives for future operations; and any statements regarding our intent to file late periodic reports or relisting on a national securities exchange, are forward-looking statements. These forward-looking statements are based on our current expectations, estimates and assumptions and are subject to certain

risks and uncertainties. Although we believe that the expectations, estimates, and assumptions reflected in our forward-looking statements are reasonable, actual results could differ materially from those projected or assumed in any of our forward-looking statements. Important factors that could cause our actual results to differ materially from estimates or projections contained in our forward-looking statements are set forth in the Risk Factors section and elsewhere in the reports we have filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including the preparation of and the audit or review, as applicable, of filings may take longer than currently anticipated. We do not intend, and undertake no obligation, to update any forward-looking statement.

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