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## **RJN Group, Inc. Participates in CANstruction Event to Support Greater Chicago Food Depository**

Wheaton, IL (June 7, 2007) – RJN Group, Inc. built a space shuttle, complete with booster rockets, made entirely out of cans on Thursday, May 31. This design entry was part of a national competition called “CANstruction,” (see [www.canstruction.com](http://www.canstruction.com)), which in 2007 raised over 2 million pounds of canned foods to be distributed to emergency food programs in 76 cities. The Chicago event was hosted by the American Institute of Architects Chicago Chapter and the Museum of Science and Industry. Thirteen leading engineering and architecture firms from the Chicago area designed and built structures entirely out of food products. All proceeds, estimated to be 45,000 cans of food (enough to provide 17,000 meals to the hungry), were donated to the Greater Chicago Food Depository.

RJN’s space shuttle, with a theme of “Blast Off to End Hunger,” contained 3,084 cans of food. The build of the entry took team members 9 hours at the Museum’s campus, according to team captain Jan Miller. “It may have been a competition, but there are no winners or losers when it comes to supporting the cause to end hunger,” said Miller. In addition to the cans of food, RJN Group’s effort was supported by 18 team sponsors (for details see [www.rjn.com](http://www.rjn.com)). All of the CANstruction entries will be exhibited at the MSI between now and June 24.



RJN Group, Inc. provides engineering consulting services for municipal, county, state, and federal infrastructure systems. The firm’s offerings include the study, design, and construction management of wastewater, water, stormwater, roadways, and bridges. GIS and asset management services are also offered by the firm. RJN, established in 1975, is headquartered in Wheaton, Illinois with offices nationwide.