**Thoughts from Our Project Team**

**Project Manager & Owner’s Representative**

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“PLC Management has had the honor of overseeing the development of numerous projects across the region, but we always have exceptional pride when we are a part of developing a project in Louisville. When APH approached us about managing the modernization of their facilities and the creation of the Dot Experience, we knew this project would be special, but we had no idea how amazing this journey would be. Leading a project is always an honor for us, but leading a project with such admirable aspirations uniquely distinguishes this project for us. We are humbled and honored to participate in APH’s commitment to advancing inclusiveness and demystifying blindness through the Dot Experience, and we look forward to the conversations and changes it will spark across the globe,” said Chris Carmicle, PLC Management.

**Architect and Renderings**

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“KNBA has a long history of collaboration with businesses and not-for-profits that do good work in our community, engaging both locally, and in APH’s case, to a larger international audience. The American Printing House/The Dot Experience project requires a deft touch, both in how the building fabric is renovated and new additions are integrated with the existing architecture. APH’s leadership has driven the design team to produce their best work in pursuit of a common goal – a stated desire to push the boundaries of inclusivity and access to all.”

**Construction Manager**

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“Over the past several decades Bosse Construction has been involved with many amazing projects. It is without a doubt that American Printing House for the Blind’s Dot Experience will be ranked as one of the most extraordinary projects in our city’s history. Louisville prides itself as a city of inclusion and compassion and The Dot Experience by APH will further solidify that position. Bosse Construction is honored to be working with APH, PLC, and KNBA as a member of the project team,” said Daniel Lawson, Vice President.

**Interior Design**

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“Swope Design Group is honored to work with APH and their design team on the interior renovation of the Louisville campus building and new museum addition. The interior environment of the facility will be enhanced to make the spaces comfortable and functional for blind, low visioned and sighted people alike. Interior finishes with varying textures and light contrast were selected to assist employees and visitors with navigation. Special Braille wallcovering will be employed throughout the facility using the 6 Dot system to spell out inspirational words such as: equality, empathy, courage, trust, hope and happiness - *happiness, is a particularly favorite word of Helen Keller*.”

**Exhibit Design**

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“We are honored to partner with the American Printing House for the Blind with the joint goal of designing the world’s most accessible museum,” says Cynthia Torp, Owner and CEO of Solid Light. “From the galleries to the re-imagined manufacturing tour, this new, inclusive visitor experience will elevate the standard for access in the museum industry and beyond.”

**Accessibility Consulting**

**Prime Access Consulting Inc.**3038 Fred Dell Ln.Cary, NC 27511

“Museums traditionally have been structured and designed so that disabled visitors like me are not only excluded, but even when accessibility accommodations exist, the result is basic access, not inclusion,” said Sina Bahram, President of PAC. “The team and I are deeply excited to collaborate with APH and the other partners in designing and building an inclusive museum experience that meaningfully welcomes the widest possible audience.”

**Civil Engineer**

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Planner

Civil Engineer

Landscape Architect

Surveyor

“SWL has been a local site planning leader in Louisville for the last 50 years and we take great pride in our partnerships with local non-for-profit groups and the positive impact they have on our community. The American Printing Houses “The Dot Experience” project is just another great example of a Louisville-based company having a major impact not only locally but internationally as well for those who are blind or with low vision. SWL accepted the APHs challenge to provide an experience that is inclusive and accessible for all by creating a site experience that preserves existing trees & historical features of the site, while providing the much-needed inclusivity and access promoted by this project.”

**Mechanical/Electrical Engineer**

**Kerr-Greulich Engineers Inc.**

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“Kerr-Greulich Engineers is honored by the opportunity to aid in the mission of the American Printing House through our engineering services. The work that the American Printing House does is meaningful to many people on a global scale, and we take great pride in being a part of such an impactful project. Our goal is to minimize the impact of Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing, and Fire Protection systems on the building architecture and usage as well as reducing the energy use and maintenance requirements. Our efforts are to design systems to accentuate and complement the American Printing House Dot Experience so the organization can focus on its mission and enjoy the space.”

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“Structural Services is honored to be included on the team for this important project. This progressive design serves as a bridge between APH’s past work to platforms that are currently evolving and some that are yet to be determined.”

**Foodservice Design**

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