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Boys & Girls Clubs name builder for branch

Indiantown is one step closer to having a new branch of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Martin County now that a contractor has been selected to build the facility in Carter Park, a new neighborhood being planned in Indiantown as a public-private partnership.

The Boys & Girls Clubs' selection committee reviewed four bids submitted by local contractors based on a variety of criteria and qualifications, including familiarity of the local market, experience with the clubs and trust. The committee was unanimous in its decision to select Stuart-based Hooks Construction.

The new center will replace The Boys & Girls Clubs' existing Indiantown location at the Indiantown Non-Profit Housing building, where the clubs currently provide programming for approximately 100 children in 3,500 square feet of space.

With an expected completion date in late 2012, the facility will include a 10,000 square foot gymnasium, a performing arts stage, a technology lab and a kitchen.