



The Flintco Companies, Inc.

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### **The Flintco Companies Recognized as Top National Minority Business**

**TULSA (January 5, 2007)** – DiversityBusiness.com has ranked The Flintco Companies, Inc. as one of the top minority owned businesses in the nation and Oklahoma in the 7<sup>th</sup> annual listing of the Div100.

The list, which represents the Nation's top multicultural earners in sectors ranging from technology to food service, ranked The Flintco Companies as the number two American Indian owned business in the nation, and the number nine for all minority-owned businesses.

The Flintco Companies also ranked high in the state rankings, landing at number two for all minority businesses in Oklahoma. The Flintco Companies is the largest American Indian owned construction company in the United States with annual revenues exceeding half a billion dollars and more than 800 employees nationwide.

Kenton Clarke, CEO of Computer Consulting, the company that built DiversityBusiness.com, said that this list represents a growing force of new leaders in American business.

“Diversity businesses and consumers are a force to be reckoned with,” Clarke said. “This is a whole business segment that can carry its own, that provides jobs, products and services, and generates wealth for their communities.”

Honored companies will be recognized at a special awards ceremony at the Annual Multicultural Business Conference of DiversityBusiness.com, to be held April 2007 in Las Vegas.

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**About The Flintco Companies, Inc.**

The Flintco Companies, Inc. is the parent company of two construction operating divisions: Flintco, Inc. and Oakridge Builders, Inc. Founded in 1908 and in its third generation of private ownership, The Flintco Companies is the largest American Indian-owned construction company and is one of the largest commercial contractors in the nation. The Flintco Companies' operating divisions provide a full range of construction services, including pre-construction, construction management, design/build, program and program management, as well as general contracting from nine offices in: Albuquerque, N.M.; Austin, Tex.; Memphis, Tenn.; Oklahoma City, Okla.; Sacramento, Calif.; Springdale, Ark.; Springfield, Mo.; and two offices in Tulsa, Okla.

With a well-deserved reputation as a provider of "constructive solutions," The Flintco Companies is consistently selected as the contractor of choice by clients with construction needs in the areas of healthcare, corporate, education, office, sports, corrections, hospitality, utilities, governmental, and not-for-profit facilities. For more information, see [www.flintco.com](http://www.flintco.com).