

**Meridian Construction & Development Named in Top 5,000**

*-- Study Places Fort Myers Based Company Among Fastest Growing Private Companies --*

Fort Myers, FL: (August 29, 2008) . . . Meridian Construction & Development, located in Fort Myers, under the leadership of C.E.O. Lynn Murtagh, has earned a ranking in the 2008 Inc. 5000 study as one of the fastest growing private companies in America. Murtagh says that he and his team are pleased with the results. He also states, "The future of development in Florida continues to look brighter day by day!"



Inc. 5000, located in New York, has been around for more than 27 years. According to the website, <http://www.inc.com/inc5000>, Inc. 5000 "has served as a benchmark for the most innovative, dynamic, and successful companies in the nation". Some of the previous Inc. 5000 alumni include companies such as Microsoft and Oracle.