

CRE demand grows in St. Tammany Parish Architect Online

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Stirling Properties plans to build six new office buildings in St. Tammany Parish, La. Rebecca Mowbray reports that the 600,000-square-foot project, on which the first phase of construction will start in the spring, will increase the area's office space by 40 percent. "We used to live in the commuter world where people wanted to live in the suburbs and work in the Central Business District. Now people want to live and work nearby," says Stirling Properties vice president for development Townsend Underhill. "It's part of a natural progression for St. Tammany Parish. We're projected to grow for the next 15 to 20 years, as we see companies over there expanding, and companies from outside moving in," says St. Tammany Economic Development Foundation executive director Brenda Reine-Bertus.