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**Coyne American Institute to Open New Career Training Locations in Downtown  
Chicago**

*Move represents Coyne's commitment to growth of student body and  
course offerings*

CHICAGO, July, 26, 2004 -- Coyne American Institute, one of the nation's oldest career training and technical schools, today announced the opening of two new locations -- 230 West Monroe and 330 North Green Street.

The new locations will enable Coyne to increase enrollment capacity and expand course offerings for new high-demand technical fields. In addition, students and faculty will have access to more spacious and superior learning facilities, including industry leading high-tech equipment labs for hands-on training, and will have easy access to the locations via public transportation and improved parking options.

"For many years, the Mayor's Office of Workforce Development has partnered with Coyne American Institute to provide quality job training to the people of Chicago," said Mayor Richard M. Daley. "We congratulate them on their expansion, and through this successful relationship we look forward to ongoing efforts to help Chicagoans prepare for, and find, good jobs. "

Coyne was founded in 1899 as a premier electrical training school for Chicago and the surrounding region. Since then, Coyne has expanded course offerings to meet industry demand for skilled workers in technical careers. Coyne has graduated and placed thousands of students in industries including electrical maintenance, electronics, computer repair, television service and repair, air conditioning, refrigeration and heating, and office administration.

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“As a second generation president-owner, I feel a strong responsibility to continue to take Coyne to the next level while staying true to the principles and traditions upon which the school was built,” said Russell T. Freeman, president of Coyne American Institute. “The combination of a more conducive learning environment with top-notch quality program offerings will solidify Coyne’s position as the premier technical training institute.”

Coyne is currently enrolling students at the Monroe facility and will begin enrollment at the Green facility, currently under construction, in December 2004. The school’s current location at 1235 West Fullerton will close once the Green facility is open for learning.

**About Coyne American Institute**

Coyne American Institute, founded in 1899, is one of the nation’s oldest technical training schools. Coyne employs a full array of educational techniques and tools to prepare well-rounded employees to work in high-demand fields such as electrical maintenance, air conditioning, refrigeration, heating, construction, computer repair and office administration. Coyne is accredited by the Accrediting Commission of Career Schools and Colleges of Technology, is licensed and approved for training by the Illinois State Board of Education and is approved for veteran's training by the state-approving agency for veteran's education. For more information visit [www.coyneamerican.edu](http://www.coyneamerican.edu)

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