



# HISTORICAL MUSEUM SITE IMPROVEMENT

**PROJECT LOCATION:** A. Quinn Jones Museum & Cultural Center - Gainesville, FL  
**EXPERIENCE OF:** Mitchell Gulledge Engineering, Inc  
**ROLE IN PROJECT:** Electrical Design Sub-Consultant

**CONSTRUCTION COST**  
\$300,000

**COMPLETION DATE**  
March 2021

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## PROJECT SUMMARY:

This historical site improvement project consisted of renovating the A. Quinn Jones Museum & Cultural Center located in the heart of Gainesville, FL. Housed in the former Jones Family home built in 1925, the A. Quinn Jones Museum & Cultural Center serves as a tribute to one of the most influential educators and leaders in Alachua County. Sponsored by the City of Gainesville Parks, Recreation, & Cultural Affairs Department (PRCA) and the Wild Spaces & Public Places program, this renovation project included a new courtyard for hosting heritage events, a new parking lot with ADA accessibility, site lighting, and other hardscaping and landscaping improvements. The Mitchell Gulledge Engineering team is proud to have served as this project’s design engineer for the site electrical and photometrics. Using our advance photometric lighting design and modeling software, our electrical engineers were able to calculate point-by-point site lighting levels. We used these analytics during our design in a primary effort to keep the new courtyard and parking lot illuminated and our community safe. In addition to our design efforts, we provided construction administration services including submittal reviews and site inspections.

Mitchell Gulledge Engineering is proud to work with the community, consult with the City, and participate in the design effort for this renovation at the historic A. Quinn Jones Museum & Cultural Center. It is essential that one of the major focuses of a historical renovation and improvement project is preservation of the historical features and embodied energy of the facility and site. We gave special consideration to the preservation plan and met with City officials to ensure all new site elements were in alignment with the historical context and vision.

