

Electri-Comm Inc.

Patrick Heenan, Chief Executive Officer

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Move Illinois has changed the way Electri-Comm does business, said Chief Executive Officer Pat Heenan.

Before starting its first project with the Illinois Tollway, the Manteno-based firm focused on supplying and delivering electrical equipment such as power generators and communications infrastructure.

After signing its first contract with the Tollway in 2012, Electri-Comm expanded to include managing installation and testing electrical equipment.

By taking advantage of the Illinois Tollway's Small Business Set-Aside Program, Electri-Comm secured a

multi-year, \$400,000 contract to perform maintenance, inspection and testing of electronic equipment at toll plazas on the Jane Addams Memorial Tollway (I-90), Tri-State Tollway (I-94/I-294/I-80) and Veterans Memorial Tollway (I-355).

Electri-Comm obtained certification as a service-disabled veteran-owned small business in 2007. Heenan is a service-disabled Army veteran who volunteers with several organizations to mentor and promote veteran-owned

small business start-ups. His goals for the future include helping fellow veterans learn how to participate in *Move Illinois* projects and to make other small businesses like Electri-Comm aware of the opportunity to participate in the largest capital program in Illinois Tollway history.

"Move Illinois has given us the chance to prove ourselves as a prime contractor in an industry that was new to us and grow our business in a new direction."



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Patrick Heenan inspects Electri-Comm's work at the Waukegan Toll Plaza, one of several equipment installations his company is providing systemwide through Move Illinois.

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