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NEW YORK -- September 29, 2016 - Dodge Data & Analytics today reported on August construction starts in the metropolitan statistical area of Chicago-Naperville-Joliet, consisting of Cook, De Kalb, Du Page, Grundy, Jasper, Kane, Kendall, Kenosha, Lake, McHenry, Newton, Porter and Will in Indiana, Wisconsin and Illinois.

According to Dodge Data & Analytics, the latest month's construction activity followed this pattern:

	2016	2015	Percent Change
Nonresidential	\$565,044,000	\$440,260,000	28
Residential	\$1,216,799,000	\$507,805,000	+++
TOTAL BUILDING	\$1,781,843,000	\$948,065,000	88

For the year-to-date on a cumulative basis, the totals are:

	2016	2015	Percent Change
Nonresidential	\$3,761,713,000	\$4,328,356,000	-13
Residential	\$5,477,442,000	\$3,056,224,000	79
TOTAL BUILDING	\$9,239,155,000	\$7,384,580,000	25

-Nonresidential buildings include office, retail, hotels, warehouses, manufacturing, educational, healthcare, religious, government, recreational, and other buildings.

-Residential buildings include single family and multifamily housing.

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About Dodge Data & Analytics:

Dodge Data & Analytics is a technology-driven construction project data, analytics and insights provider. Dodge provides trusted market intelligence that helps construction professionals grow their business, and is redefining and recreating the business tools and processes on which the industry relies. Dodge is creating an integrated platform that unifies and simplifies the design, bid and build process, bringing data on people, projects and products into a single hub for the entire industry, from building product manufacturers to contractors and specialty trades to architects and engineers. The company's products include Dodge Global Network, Dodge SpecShare®, Dodge BuildShare®, Dodge MarketShare™, and the ConstructionPoints and Sweets family of products. To learn more, visit <http://www.construction.com>.