



Moscow Covered Bridge Reconstruction Committee

“THE BUILDER”



Bridgeton Covered Bridge

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Following the devastating loss of the Bridgeton Covered Bridge in Parke County, Dan Collom, Owner of Square and Level Construction, stepped forward and offered to take the lead in the rebuilding of the bridge. As a member of the community and an experienced contractor, Collom was confident that a new bridge could be constructed on the site of the original bridge that would closely resemble the grandeur and beauty

of the original bridge. Over the past thirty years, Collom has built a reputation as a craftsman specializing in timber frame construction and on the repair and reconstruction of covered bridge structures. Working closely with community leaders and local volunteers, Collom, his wife, Kathy, and his employees worked tirelessly cutting, notching, assembling and placing the massive timber frame structure for the bridge.

When Dan Collom heard about the tragic loss of the Moscow Covered Bridge, he immediately contacted the Rush County Commissioners to see how he could help.

“I drive by the covered bridge in Bridgeton regularly, and I know how the people in Moscow feel. I know this can be done, and it’s my obligation being an Indiana resident to do what I can,” said Collom.

Currently, Dan Collom is working on the dismantling, relocation and reassembly of the covered bridge at the Indiana State Sanatorium near Rockville.

Recently, he completed the construction of the new covered bridge at the Indiana State Fairgrounds.



Indiana State Sanatorium Bridge

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