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To All Lapham-Hickey Partners,

Lapham-Hickey Steel is proud to announce we have acquired SMC Metal Fabricators, located in Oshkosh, Wisconsin. SMC is an industry leading metal fabricator with 115,000 square feet of manufacturing space located next door to Lapham-Hickey's 2 existing Oshkosh facilities. SMC offers a full range of laser cutting, forming, welding, powder coat painting and assembly services.

Brian Hickey, President of Lapham-Hickey commented, "We are extremely excited to have over 70 dedicated team members of SMC join the Lapham-Hickey family. The products and services SMC offers the marketplace will enhance our existing fabrication services in Wisconsin. Our combined production platforms will allow us to better service both Lapham-Hickey and SMC customers throughout the Midwest."

Dan Ruedinger, President and CEO of SMC added, "We are excited to join the Lapham-Hickey family, and believe that this change will allow us to better serve our customers, employees, and the greater Oshkosh community while accelerating our growth in the coming years. To all of the SMC employees over the last 79 years, thank you for all that you have done to create the company that exists today. Finally, we would like to thank the Albright family for their 29 years of stewardship and leadership at SMC."

Lapham-Hickey Steel is a 4th generation family owned and operated full-line carbon service center that was founded in 1926 and is headquartered in Bedford Park, IL. With 12 total locations throughout the Midwest, East Coast and Southeast, Lapham-Hickey is an industry-leading supplier of slit coil, sheet, plate, bars, tubing and fabricated products.

The acquisition will close on September 30th. We thank you all for your continued support!