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From: Wisconsin Paper Group, Inc. / WPG Shippers Association

Subject: **Wisconsin Paper Group, Inc. Elects 2017 Board of Directors**

Neenah, WI - The **Wisconsin Paper Group, Inc.**, parent company of **WPG Shippers Association**, held its Annual Meeting on February 15, 2017 at their Corporate Headquarters in Neenah, Wisconsin.

At the Annual Meeting, the WPG membership unanimously approved the Annual Report, Financial Report, Acts of Officers and Directors and the 2017 Board of Directors and Officers of the Board.

Elected as Officers and Directors of the 2017 WPG Board were:

*Chairperson:* **Brian Higgins**, Executive Vice President of Pacon Corporation  
*President:* **Tom Murray**, President & CEO of Wisconsin Paper Group, Inc.  
*Secretary:* **Jeff Strenger**, President of Laminations, Inc.  
*Treasurer:* **Peter Schnabel**, President of Riteco, Inc.  
*Ex-Officio:* **Rick Pyle**, Vice President/Sales of American Paper Converters, Inc.  
*Director:* **Jim Schmitz**, President & CEO of Pacon Corporation  
*Director:* **Al Johnson**, Retired CFO of Wisconsin Film & Bag, Inc.  
*Director:* **Michael Nowak**, Retired CEO of Coating Excellence International  
*Director:* **Tom Eiting**, President of Print Pro, Inc.  
*Director:* **Rich Bierman**, President of Wisconsin Converting, Inc.  
*Director:* **Dan Curtin**, President & CEO of Progressive Converting Inc.  
*Director:* **Doug Osterberg**, President & CEO of Appleton Coating, LLC

The Wisconsin Paper Group was established in 1934, uniquely formed as a not-for-profit shippers association. Now in our ninth decade, WPG continues to offer its members reduced transportation cost, improved service, logistics support, value-added services and the distribution management of various products to points across North America.

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