

Women In Trucking Names Ellen Voie as President; New officers selected as non-profit organization experiences rapid growth

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Women In Trucking, a non-profit organization created to encourage the employment of women and assist in promoting a more female-friendly environment for those already in the trucking industry, today announced that former Chairwoman, Ellen Voie will now serve as the organization's President. Leigh Foxall, of Internet Truckstop, will now serve as Chairwoman; Debbie Sparks, of Truckload Carriers Association, will serve as Vice Chairwoman and Lenora Hardee, of International Truck and Engine will now serve as Secretary/Treasurer.

"The ability to now hire a President is such a testament to our growth," said Leigh Foxall. "In a year we have grown to 1,000 members, but equally important, we are getting the support from many corporations that believe in our mission."

WIT was officially founded on March 12, 2007 as a means encourage women to consider a career in the trucking industry, but to also provide a platform to voice the successes and struggles of those women already in the male-dominated field. Membership in WIT comes in a variety of forms ranging from corporate to driver and student members.

About WIT:

WIT's mission is to encourage the employment of women in the trucking industry, promote their accomplishments and minimize obstacles to their career growth and development. Corporate members currently include: Adanac Truck Driver Training Ltd., Advanced Transportation Technologies, All-State Career School, American Moving & Storage Association, American Trucking Associations, Inc., Arkansas State University-Newport, Arrow Trucking Company, Avalon Risk Management, Inc., Baylor Trucking, Bolt Express, Celadon Trucking Services, Inc., Central Tech Transportation & Safety Education, Challenger Motor Freight, Cobalt Transport, Commercial Insurance Solutions/Progressive Insurance, Con-way, Inc., Covered Logistics & Transportation LLC, CRST Van Expedited, Dart Transit Company, Dependable Source Corp. of MS, DOT Authority.com, Inc., Driver's First Choice/Russ Darrow Group, Inc., Fikes Truck Line, Frasier Transport, Inc., Freight Systems, Inc., Freightliner Trucks, Frito-Lay, Gilco Trucking Co., Inc., Great West Casualty Company, HNI Risk Services, Inc., Hopefield Trucking, International Trucks, International Trucking School, Inc., Internet Truck Stop, iPee, J.J. Keller & Associates, Inc., Jack Jones Trucking, Inc., John Wood Community College, Kee Management Solutions, Inc., Knight Transportation Services, Inc., KRTS Transportation Specialists Inc., Lancer Insurance Company, Layover.com, Lester R. Summers, Inc., Megatrux, Inc., Midwest Specialized Transportation, Inc., Mobile Awareness, LLC, NAL Insurance Inc., Newport Communications, Northern Academy of Transportation Training, Northstar Foodservice, O&S Trucking, Inc., Ontario Truck Training Academy, Over The Road-Canada, Patriot Lift Company, LLC, Penske Logistics, Pepsi Bottling Group, Pitt Ohio Express, Pottle's Transportation, Precision Pulmonary Diagnostics, Prelipp & Mechler, RAIR Technologies, Randall-Reilly Publishing Co., LLC, Roadranger - Eaton & Dana, Roadway, Rody's Truck Stops, Ruan Transportation, S&E Productions, LLC, SAF-Holland, Inc., SCG The Select Carrier Group L.P., Schneider National, Inc., Scott Logistics Corp., Smith Transport, Society of Recruiting and Retention Professionals, Star Scientific, Inc., Sterling Western Star Trucks Alberta Ltd., The Penray Companies, Inc., The Rosedale Group, TransportFitness.com, Trip Pak Services, Truck Training Schools Association of Ontario, TruckDriver.com, True North Companies LLC, Turbo 3000D, United Truck Driving School, Universe Truck Lines, US Xpress, Inc., Vantage Logistics, Inc., Wal-Mart Transportation, Western Pacific Truck School, Wyoming Trucking Association, Inc., XM Satellite Radio. To learn more about Women In Trucking please go to www.womenintrucking.org.