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Talbert Manufacturing Announces 2023 Dealer Award Winners

RENSSELAER, Ind. (June 11, 2024) — <u>Talbert Manufacturing</u>, a North American leader in specialized heavy-haul solutions, names <u>Hale Trailer Brake & Wheel</u>, headquartered in Voorhees, New Jersey, as its top dealer for 2023. Hale has remained Talbert's top dealer for 16 consecutive years. The company has also been named the dealer with the most parts sales in 2023.

"Hale continues to exceed our expectations. We are grateful for the Hale team and their continued partnership and commitment," said Troy Geisler, Talbert Manufacturing's vice president of sales and marketing.

Hale Trailer Brake & Wheel is a full-service dealership with 15 locations ranging from Maine to Florida as well as Arkansas and Iowa. They provide customers with various new and used trailers and related equipment. In addition, Hale offers customers full service and repair, a complete stock of parts and accessories and trailer rental services.

"We would also like to thank all of our outstanding dealers as a whole for their continued commitment to representing Talbert's core values and being a true partner to Talbert's customers," said Geisler.

Talbert recognizes the success and partnership of its remaining top dealers, which are selected based on 2023 sales and listed in alphabetical order below.

<u>Blackburn Truck Equipment</u> of Lilburn, Georgia, celebrates 25 years since the start of their company and service to the towing and recovery industry. The company specializes in repairs, service and installation of towing and recovery equipment, with installations of carriers and small wreckers performed on-site.

<u>Columbus Equipment Company</u> of Columbus, Ohio is a leading heavy equipment distributor that serves the construction, mining, aggregate, lifting, paving, forestry, biomass, waste recycling, compost and landscaping industries. Columbus Equipment Company includes 10 locations across Ohio.

<u>Freightliner of Grand Rapids</u> of Kalamazoo and Grand Rapids, Michigan is no stranger to Talbert's top dealer list. Both Freightliner locations offer trailers for the construction, material hauling and agricultural sectors. Since 1978, the company has provided customers with one of the most expansive and diverse used truck inventories in the United States.



<u>Leslie Equipment Company</u>, a consistent top Talbert dealer, supplies equipment for forestry, mining, oil and gas pipeline applications. Having provided this service for more than 45 years, the company continues to be recognized as an innovative sales and product support leader. Leslie Equipment operates 8 locations, serving customers in Kentucky, Ohio and West Virginia.

<u>Lucky's Trailer Sales</u> of Vermont features a variety of Talbert trailer options, a large, well-stocked parts department and a full-service repair facility. Its history as a family-owned business and expansion to multiple locations throughout Vermont, New Hampshire and New York, makes Lucky's Trailer Sales a frequent flyer on the top Talbert dealer list.

<u>Lynch Chicago</u> of Alsip, Illinois, is a loyal Talbert dealer, offering a wide range of both new and used tow trucks, wreckers, rollbacks, carriers and heavy-duty tow truck units and equipment for sale. Lynch's vast equipment offering provides options suited for any size fleet.

<u>Remorques Lewis</u> of La Présentation, Quebec, Canada provides customers with top-notch service in selling or renting specialized heavy-haul trailers and premium semitrailers. For more than 20 years, the company has delivered innovative solutions to meet the unique needs of its customers.

Royal Truck & Utility Trailer carries a wide selection of new and used trailers. The company also offers wheel reconditioning, service and fabrication and has one of the largest parts departments in the industry. Royal Truck & Utility Trailer has 7 locations covering northern and eastern Michigan.

<u>West Side Tractor</u> of Lisle, Illinois specializes in full-service construction and forestry equipment. They provide standard and custom heavy-haul trailers. The company operates in 11 locations across Northern Illinois, Southern Michigan and Indiana.

"The work our dealers put in does not go unnoticed. We will continue to do what we can to support them and our end customers," Geisler said.

Talbert's newly implemented parts ordering system, Parts 1 2 3, is an example of how they continue to support their dealers and customers. This new ordering system makes it easier for dealers to order parts and provide their customers with accurate timelines for service or spare parts, and delivery.

Talbert partners with more than 80 dealerships across North America. To find a dealer near you, use Talbert's online <u>dealer locator</u> or visit <u>www.talbertmfg.com</u> to learn more about their heavy-haul trailers and specialized transportation equipment selection.

About Talbert Manufacturing

Talbert has been building world-class heavy-haul and specialized trailers to rigorous customer specifications since 1938. The company offers complete lines of heavy-haul trailers and specialized transportation equipment for the commercial, industrial, military and government sectors. Its trailers and equipment are used in applications as diverse as renewable energy, aerospace, heavy construction, in-plant material handling, manufacturing and processing systems



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