

CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CHATHAM-KENT CERTIFICATE OF RECOGNITION

FEATURE INDUSTRY

Zimmer Controls and Contracting Limited

WHEREAS the Mayor and Council of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent recognize the contribution that corporate citizens have made and are making to enhance the economic health of this community;

Zimmer Controls and Contracting Limited, located east of Chatham, Ontario, opened in September 1992 and originally began as a garage-based business. Owners Chris Zimmer and Dan Deneau now operate out of a 4,100 square foot facility on Longwoods Road where they program, design, assemble, and install electrical automation systems for manufacturing machines. They also provide services as electrical contractors for the industrial and commercial marketplace.

Zimmer Controls and Contracting Limited is a premier source of quality industrial controls and electrical contracting amongst the industrial manufacturers and machine building industry of South-Western Ontario.

With a highly skilled workforce of control technologists and industrial electricians, Zimmer Controls and Contracting Limited employ a staff of 13 with plans to increase their workforce to meet demands.

Zimmer Controls and Contracting Limited believe in the philosophy of doing one thing and doing it well. Their vision is that by being passionate about what they do, it enables them to be the best at what they do. They also believe the most important philosophy for success is treating their staff with the same respect that they treat their customers.

The company is very active with local high school co-op programs, often investing in our community by mentoring four students each year and hiring successful candidates that chose to pursue a career with Zimmer Controls and Contracting Limited.

NOW THEREFORE I, Randy Hope, Mayor and CEO of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent, proclaim that Zimmer Controls and Contracting Limited is hereby designated as the "Feature Industry" for the month of February 2014.

PROCLAIMED at Chatham-Kent, Ontario this 20th day of February 2014.

Randy R. Hope Mayor/CEO, Municipality of Chatham-Kent

> On Behalf of Chatham-Kent Council: Michael Bondy, Jim Brown, Marjorie Crew, Joe Faas, Bryon Fluker, Anne Gilbert, Karen Herman, Leon Leclair, Bob Myers, Sheldon Parsons, Steve Pinsonneault, Derek Robertson, Art Stirling, Doug Sulman, Frank Vercouteren, Jeff Wesley