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NAIOP's 22nd Annual Awards for Excellence

ADDISON, IL, November 9, 2009 – Associated Material Handling, a leading provider of cost effective material handling equipment, systems and support, headquartered in the Addison, IL, was recently honored with a nomination for an Award of Excellence from the Chicago Chapter of the National Association of Industrial and Office Properties (NAIOP) for the development and construction of their new corporate headquarters at 133 North Swift Road, Addison, IL 60101.



The annual awards recognize exceptional new office, industrial and special purpose projects in the state. Critiqued by a panel of judges representing a cross-section of developers, general contractors, mortgage bankers, brokers, and industry specialists, each entry was toured and judged on the following: site improvements and design, architectural integrity, market feasibility and environmental impact.

As one of the largest material handling dealers in the country, Associated Material Handling teamed with Curran Architecture and Clayco to design and build their new 87,000 s.f. headquarters. This facility is home to the company's corporate offices and all Chicagoland operations that include engineering, sales, service, parts and a training center. The building was developed on a previously occupied industrial site with direct access and exposure to I-355.

NAIOP is the nation's leading trade association for developers, owners, investors and other professionals in industrial, office and mixed-use commercial real estate. Founded in 1967, NAIOP comprises 15,000+ members in 54 chapters throughout North America.

About Associated Material Handling:

Founded in the Chicagoland area in 1960, Associated now serves its customers from six locations covering six states in the upper Midwest. Its 300+ employees proudly represent Raymond Narrow Aisle Lift Trucks and related material handling storage and picking solutions.

Associated's mission is to provide its customers with innovative logistics solutions that create sustainable value within their supply chain. They have become a leader in providing superior, cost effective material handling equipment, systems and support that optimize space, increase customer productivity, enhance safety and reduce costs. Featuring leading edge engineering and fleet management services to complement industry leading parts, sales, service, parts and rentals, Associated has been the recipient of multiple awards in recognition of being a premier organization in the material handling industry.

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