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Neil Brackin named as president of Weather Modification, Inc.

Fargo, ND, November 18, 2015, **Neil Brackin has been appointed to President of Weather Modification, Inc.** Brackin, who rejoined the team in 2014 as Vice President of Flight Operations at Fargo Jet Center, will continue to build on the foundation of WMI's position as a global leader in modern atmospheric research and cloud seeding as well as new business development in emerging technologies.

"Our opportunity goes beyond the financial measures of success and extends to the significant global impact that our research and water management solutions will increasingly deliver to our clients. We pioneered many of the technologies and delivery in this field and have a world class reputation on which to build and expand," says Brackin

Brackin is an aviation industry leader with extensive experience in all aspects of aircraft operations. He recently served as Director of Air Transportation for General Mills in Minneapolis, was a member of the Aviation Directors Roundtable and has served on both Minnesota and National Business Aviation Associations. Brackin was nominated by the International Business Aviation Council (IBAC) to represent business and general aviation on the Safety Management Panel at the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO).

In addition to being a professional pilot with over 9000 flight hours, he received his Bachelor of Science in Aviation Administration from the University of North Dakota and his Master of Aeronautical Science from Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University.

Weather Modification Inc. (WMI) is the world-leader in atmospheric chemistry, pollution and weather research, weather forecasting and modeling, and weather modification programs. The company is best known for its successful cloud modification projects worldwide to suppress hail and enhance precipitation. WMI also sets the standard in providing sophisticated ground-based weather radar systems and has been active since the early 1960's. WMI has conducted research and implemented weather programs in North America, South America, Europe, India, Asia, the Middle East and Africa, totaling more than 35 countries. WMI is a sister company to Fargo Jet Center and is based at their headquarters in Fargo.

About Fargo Jet Center and associated companies: Fargo Jet Center (FJC), headquartered on Fargo's Hector International Airport (KFAR), is an internationally-recognized leader in the provision of aviation services and is consistently ranked among the top aviation service companies in North America. FJC's facility at KFAR provides fuel and line services, an aircraft maintenance repair station and avionics sales, service and installations. Additionally, FJC at KFAR offers aircraft charter, aircraft management services and operates a Cessna-certified flight school.

FJC also operates Exclusive Aerospace LLC dba Premier Jet Center, based in Eden Prairie, MN (KFCM), a full-service FBO/repair station and upholstery shop; and dba Exclusive Aircraft Sales based in St. Paul, MN (KSTP). Both FJC-operated FBO locations are members of the Avfuel branded FBO Network and the Paragon Aviation Network.

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