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Hunt Technologies Announces WIN Energy as Site For Alpha Field Test of Bi-directional AMR Technology

PEQUOT LAKES, Minn. – Hunt Technologies, Inc., maker of the innovative Turtle[®] System, is pleased to announce that it has launched an alpha project of a power line carrier based bi-directional broadcast messaging system.

WIN Energy R.E.M.C. in Vincennes, Indiana, will serve as the alpha test site for Hunt's newest endpoint information system technology.

"This project is part of Hunt's continuing effort to develop advanced technologies that help utilities gather endpoint specific information for integration into all areas of utility operation," said Mark Kodet, vice president of engineering at Hunt. "We are glad to be working with WIN Energy on this project. They are dedicated to advancing technology for the benefit of their consumers."

Hardware installation for the project began Feb. 18, and alpha testing is expected to be complete by the end of May.

"This system allows us to inexpensively read individual meters and provides the additional ability to know that an individual account is without power; greatly enhancing WIN Energy's ability to serve its members' needs," said Gregory A. Wolven, P.E., director of engineering at WIN Energy. "We are pleased to have been chosen to participate in this ground-breaking test of new technology."

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WIN Energy is a utility that provides electricity and diversified services to more than 15,800 meters in southwestern Indiana.

Hunt Technologies is a Minnesota-based electronic design firm. The company's flagship product is the Turtle® automated meter-reading System that remotely reads electric and water meters. Hunt is an AMR market leader having more than 2 million Turtle transmitters installed or under contract at 400 projects worldwide. For more information, visit Hunt's Web site: www.turtletech.com.

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