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Paragon Expands Asset Valuation Services to Kansas City Area

Company hires Richard Gilbert to manage new office, providing asset valuation services, cost segregation studies, and fixed asset depreciation strategies.

Kansas City, KS – November 18, 2009 – Paragon Valuation Group (www.paragonvaluation.com) has announced the opening of a new office based in Kansas City, Kansas, led by 25-year industry veteran Richard Gilbert. Increased demand for asset valuation services, cost segregation studies, and fixed asset depreciation strategies has fueled unprecedented growth for the company. The expansion provides a regional base for serving the Paragon Valuation Group's existing Central U.S. clients and for prospective new clients interested in improving cash flow through accurate and independent [asset valuation](#) strategies.

A division of Paragon International, Paragon Valuation Group helps clients reduce taxes and increase cash flow through expert asset valuation and cost segregation studies. By providing independent, impartial, and accurate asset appraisals, Paragon consultants help their clients identify opportunities to maximize depreciation, reduce taxes, minimize asset insurance costs, and make sound decisions related to risk management. The company also performs valuations of businesses, real estate, and machinery and equipment for insurance and financing purposes.

While the economy has been challenging for some businesses, Paragon Valuation remains in high-growth mode according to company president and CEO Richard Swarts who notes, "Fortunately, Paragon Valuation Group is having a banner year. In this tough environment, our clients are looking for creative strategies to generate cash flow. We help them accomplish that objective through our cost segregation studies and asset valuation services which remain in high demand."

On the heels of having opened a new office in Oregon earlier this year, the addition of Richard Gilbert and the new Kansas City office is another step in the Paragon International, Inc. growth strategy. Swarts comments on the expansion into Kansas City saying, "We're really excited to have Richard onboard and will continue to look for opportunities to expand our company presence nationwide by adding the right people with the right experience at the right time."

In addition to exceptional relationships with businesses throughout the area, Gilbert brings unique insight to Paragon clientele based on over 25 years experience and deep understanding of asset valuation concepts and methodologies.

To learn more about Paragon Valuation Group, visit www.paragonvaluation.com. Or to contact Richard Gilbert directly, call Toll Free (877) 824-6834.

About Paragon Valuation Group

Paragon Valuation Group, a Division of Paragon International, Inc. provides independent, impartial and accurate appraisals to assist in and support decisions related to taxes, risk management, investment, financing, and corporate planning. Paragon consultants have extensive industry experience and offer a unique combination of irreplaceable human resources and advanced technology. Paragon specialists are experienced in valuing closely-held securities, patents and other intangible assets, business enterprises, buildings, equipment, and real estate.

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