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Connected Platforms, Inc. Expands into Montana with its' Acquisition of Emery Computer Center, Inc.

Vancouver, WA, March 1, 2010 – Connected Platforms, Inc. announced today the acquisition of Emery Computer Center in Missoula, Montana. This acquisition is in line with Connected Platform's growth strategy to provide best in class information technology services to clients across the Northwest. With this acquisition it strengthens its ability to service small to medium-sized companies, as well as public agencies and local school districts, with the management of their information technology needs.

President Ken DeCosta from Emery Computer Center, states "When considering retirement, one of my major concerns was what would happen to our excellent customers and employees. Would customer satisfaction be the ultimate goal of the new management? Would the welfare of our dedicated employees, who are core of the company, be protected? After meeting with the principals of Connected Platforms and reviewing their structure, I soon determined that the future of both our customers and employees would be in very good hands." Ken is excited about the transition of Emery into the Connected Platforms' team. Emery will provide an additional level of depth and experience to Connected Platforms. The addition of Emery Computer Center will be the cornerstone of the new division located in Missoula, Montana as Connected Platforms' expansion throughout the Northwest continues. The focus of this expansion is to provide "best in class" IT service offerings while providing local service with local autonomy to address the wide range of technology needs of the local market.

Since 1984, Emery Computer's team has been providing computer support, hardware, software and managed IT services for a large number of small to mid-sized businesses, both private and public, in the Missoula and surrounding area. Focusing on hardware configuration and purchasing, Emery Computer has built a client base of hundreds companies providing these clients with hardware integration, technical support and on-going maintenance.

"The addition of Emery Computer Center to the Connected Platforms' family provides a solid foundation for our expansion into Montana and adds significantly to our technical, service and management capabilities." said Walter Yeaw, Group Vice President of Connected Platforms. "We are very pleased to add their expertise and experience to our team and to be entering the Missoula, Montana marketplace. This provides an opportunity to bring our services offering into Montana."

For additional information on this acquisition, contact Walter Yeaw, Group Vice President or visit www.connectedplatforms.com.

ABOUT CONNECTED PLATFORMS, INC. – Since 1992, Connected Platforms, Inc., headquartered in Vancouver, Washington, has been providing information technology services to a diverse client base. The organizational structure is designed to accommodate this significant growth with a complete line of IT support and managed services across the States of Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana. With the additional of the new Missoula Division, joining the existing Portland/Vancouver Division, the company is preparing for additional divisions in the near future. Connected Platforms, Inc. (connectedplatforms.com) is a trusted technology adviser and major provider of managed IT services for small and mid-sized businesses in Oregon and Washington. They support and manage network servers, desktops, network devices and phone systems, as well as providing custom web application development. With offices in Portland/Vancouver and Missoula, the company has helped hundreds of organizations providing Information technology peace of mind by allowing them to focus on their business goals while entrusting their technology needs to Connected Platforms to insure affordable, safe and efficient technology services. Connected Platforms now serves over 700 companies in the Northwest.

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