



Kato Roofing, Inc. Earns the 2014 Firestone Building Products Partner in Quality Award

Local Roofing Firm Receives Annual Award for Excellence

MANKATO, Minn. – Firestone Building Products Company, LLC, a leading manufacturer and supplier of a comprehensive “Roots to Rooftops” product portfolio, presented Kato Roofing, Inc. with the 2014 Partner in Quality Award. The local Mankato firm is one of only 189 Firestone Building Products Red Shield™ Licensed Roofing Contractors throughout the United States, Canada and Mexico that were honored for excellence in roofing system installation.

Firestone Building Products Red Shield Licensed Roofing Contractors are required to complete extensive product installation training. As a testament to their level of expertise, projects are backed by the Firestone Building Products Red Shield™ Warranty. Depending on the commercial roofing system, terms of the warranty can range from five years to 30 years.

Winners were required to meet the following parameters:

- Install four warranted Firestone Building Products roofs in each of the past five years.
- Maintain at least 1 million square feet of Firestone Building Products roofs under warranty.
- Achieve an annual Quality Incidence Rating (QIR) of 1.5 or less (QIR measures each contractor’s performance based on warranty repair incidences per million square feet under warranty).

“The Firestone Building Products Red Shield Licensed Roofing Contractors are some of the top roofing professionals in the industry. This is evident when looking at the number of warranted jobs the firm has completed in the last calendar year, but more importantly, the superior level of craftsmanship demonstrated in each project. We’re pleased to recognize the quality of work with our Partner in Quality Award,” said Tim Dunn, president of Firestone Building Products.

For additional information regarding Kato Roofing, Inc., please contact Tammy Knudtson at 507-388-4112 or via email at tammy@katoroofing.com. You may also visit the company’s website at www.katoroofing.com.

About Firestone Building Products Company, LLC (www.firestonebpco.com):

Firestone Building Products Company, LLC is a leading manufacturer and supplier of a comprehensive “Roots to Rooftops” product portfolio for commercial building performance solutions. By taking the entire building envelope into consideration, Firestone Building Products meets individual customer and project needs for roofing, wall, landscape and lining solutions. Headquartered in Indianapolis, Ind., the company also offers outstanding technical services, an international network of roofing contractors, distributors and field sales representatives, and superior warranty protection. Products include: commercial roofing systems, roofing accessories, green roofing systems, photovoltaic and daylighting systems, vegetative roofing systems, metal wall panels, insulation, cavity wall construction, pond liners and geomembranes.

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