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## DAVID WINGERT JOINS RYKO SOLUTIONS AS SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT OF SALES AND MARKETING

**GRIMES**, **IA** (August 14, 2013) – Ryko Solutions, Inc., North America's largest provider of car wash equipment, cleaning solutions, and technical services, announced today that David Wingert has joined the organization in the new role of Senior Vice President, Sales and Marketing. He will be tasked with sustaining the Company's double-digit revenue growth and continuing to deliver Ryko's business partners with exceptional customer satisfaction.

Mr. Wingert brings to Ryko a successful 15-year track record in sales and marketing leadership, including seven years at PDQ Manufacturing, Inc. following its acquisition by Dover Corporation. Most recently, as Vice President of Sales for Lustra Professional Car Care Products, Mr. Wingert worked diligently to both expand the company's distribution footprint and to bring new and innovative solutions to market, including the introduction of the company's ultra-concentrated chemical program and the formation and launch of its Solution Applications Division. In joining Ryko, he returns to Iowa where he had had a successful career with Pella Corporation, a leading supplier of home improvement products.

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"David is a deeply knowledgeable and well-respected leader in the car care industry. He adds diverse industry expertise and a highly valued 'voice of customer' at Ryko," explained Steven A. L'Heureux, Chief Executive Officer, Ryko Solutions, Inc. "As a key member of our senior leadership team, he'll play a critical strategic role in helping Ryko not merely respond to market trends, but enable us to shape and lead the future direction of the car care industry."

"What I see in Ryko is a company that has taken a bold look at the car care industry and identified what the end customer needs to get to profitability," commented Wingert. "They have added the right people in key management and tactical positions; made the right investments where needed in the factory, in the field and in engineering development; and completely supported research and development and embraced the right level of new technology. At the end of the day, this is a company that is living up to its name as a true and complete solutions provider."

Ryko Solutions, Inc. is the largest provider of managed car wash systems in North America, offering an integrated, end-to-end clean vehicle solution consisting of equipment, cleaning solutions, a nationwide technical services organization and consumer marketing programs. The company's primary focus is creating maximum profitability in car wash operations for gas/convenience stores, independent car wash owners, land developers and auto dealers. Headquartered in Grimes, Iowa, the company has been in operation since 1973 and employs approximately 500 people throughout North America.

For additional information about Ryko, please visit www.ryko.com or call 515/986-3700.