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## World CNG announces new Chicago facility

*New facility was integral in deploying 50th CNG taxi vehicle in the Chicago area*

Chicago, Illinois, February 2, 2012 – World CNG, a Kent, Washington based company that specializes in alternative fuel packaging and applications, today announced the opening of its new Chicago, Illinois facility, located in the heart of Chicago’s South Loop neighborhood. The wholly owned, full service facility is also home to one of Chicago’s fast fill compressed natural gas (CNG) stations. The capabilities of the new facility mirror that of World CNG’s headquarters in Washington State, including vehicle conversions, maintenance of CNG vehicles, warranty part inventory, troubleshooting, and diagnostics. The CNG conversion throughput capacity of the Chicago facility is greater than 100 vehicles per month.

“After putting hundreds of alternative fuel vehicles on the roads throughout Western Washington, Las Vegas, Dallas, and Denver we are pleased to announce our expansion into the Chicago Metro Area. Chicago’s skilled workforce, enthusiasm for alternative fuel vehicles, and large taxi market is a natural fit for our company. In addition, the location better positions us to service our customers all across the Midwest and East Coast. The additional production capacity afforded by our Chicago facility is a critical component of our objective to rapidly deliver large quantities of converted vehicles all across the country,” said Garret Alpers, President of World CNG.

The new facility began effective operations more than 60 days ago and has been integral in the deployment of more than 50 CNG taxis in Chicago. It is located at 540 W Grenshaw Street in Chicago.

About World CNG:

Aggressively motivated to clean the environment and reduce American dependence on foreign oil, World CNG produces and installs quality natural gas fueling systems for automotive use. All World CNG conversions are certified by the Environmental Protection Agency and installed by certified automotive technicians. Tax breaks for businesses, rising fuel costs, and government mandates are giving individuals and businesses incentives to adopt a greener approach. World CNG supports this transition with superior product design, unparalleled service, and a thirst for change.

Compressed natural gas offers to the transportation market a safe and less costly fuel that is readily available, plentiful, and easy to use. Especially in urban areas, CNG is seen as the best alternative to polluting oil-based fuels, burning 70-90% cleaner than gasoline or diesel.

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