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### **IT Solutions Provider Zones Opens Houston Office**

*Zones Continues Rapid Growth; Launches Demo Lab in Houston's "Energy Corridor"*

HOUSTON, July 16, 2014 — [Zones, Inc.](#), today announced the opening of a sales and consulting office in Houston, near the city's famed "[Energy Corridor](#)."

Located in the Community Bank Building, the Zones Houston office houses an advanced technology lab where customers can experience demonstration systems and proof-of-concept configurations built on the latest data center technologies, including storage, networking, cybersecurity and smart grid, as well as physical security, video surveillance and access control technologies.

The new location extends the global IT solution provider's presence across the U.S., with [corporate offices](#) now located across the country in Auburn, Wash., Chicago, Dallas, Denver, Houston, the Los Angeles area and Portland, Ore. With global supply chain capabilities in 180 countries, Zones provides IT solutions for customers around the globe.

"Houston is a great city and Zones is proud to become part of it," said Tom Ducatelli, executive vice president of sales and business development at Zones. "Being close to our Energy Corridor customers is important, as we can now give them a real-world look at the latest data center technology. As one of the market's fastest growing IT solutions providers, we look forward to future growth in Houston, the U.S. and globally."

The Zones Houston office will hold an open house today for customers and partners.

Zones provides a full range of IT hardware, software and services to support technology solutions from the data center to the desktop. With more than 25 years of experience, global supply chain capabilities and a partner ecosystem of more than 2,000 hardware and software companies, Zones helps customers around the world tackle their most pressing IT challenges.

### **About Zones**

Zones, Inc., supports business, healthcare, the public sector and specialty markets by applying innovative technology solutions across a variety of specializations including networking, security, software, storage, mobility, data center and virtualization. Zones holds the highest levels of technical certification from every key solution provider we represent, including Cisco Gold, EMC Velocity Premier, Dell Server and Storage Technical, IBM System and Storage Technical, HP Enterprise Networking and VMware Infrastructure, among others. Zones is a seven-time recipient of the Microsoft Operational Excellence award and was also recognized as the 2013 Microsoft Partner of the Year for Volume Licensing. Incorporated in 1988, Zones is headquartered in Auburn, Wash. and is a certified MBE company.

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