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Zones a Diamond Sponsor at the IoT Global Innovation Forum

With an Established Internet of Things Practice, Zones Leads the Market with Successful Customer Implementations; Shares Expertise at IoT Global Innovation Forum 2015

AUBURN, Wash., April 21, 2015 — Zones, Inc., a global IT solutions provider, is demonstrating its Internet of Things (IoT) expertise and detailing customer successes at the IoT Global Innovation Forum 2015, being held April 21-22 in Dallas. Visit Zones at Table A during the event.

Zones outpaces the market with an established IoT practice that has already executed a number of large-scale building automation and control projects. Learn more about Zones' success with multiple IoT projects here.

The Zones IoT practice is led by a dedicated and experienced team that holds advanced technical certifications, and understands the technologies and best practices that power IoT transformation. Zones has an established partner ecosystem and is one of Cisco's partners of choice in the IoT space.

"While some technology companies and solutions providers are only talking about IoT at a conceptual level, Zones is delivering IoT solutions in multiple vertical markets that are already providing significant return on investment," said Asif Hudani, senior vice president of the Advanced Solutions Group at Zones. "With successful projects already under our belt, we're ready to help other organizations navigate the growing IoT solutions landscape."

Part of the <u>Advanced Solutions Group</u> at Zones, the company's dedicated IoT practice focuses on creating intelligent infrastructures that leverage a core set of technologies including intelligent building management, physical security, access control, fleet management, data analytics, energy management and location tracking. With practice solution specialists and solution engineers who consult, collaborate, and

implement projects based on their specialized knowledge and significant experience in multiple solution areas, Zones is well positioned to recommend and implement a range of IoT solutions today.

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 an eight-time recipient of the Microsoft Excellence in Operations 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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