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2016 "TOP 5" AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE

Expansion Solutions announces the 2016 award winners in Advanced Manufacturing, Aviation & Aerospace, Food Production and Processing, Inland Ports, Logistics, Ports, and Warehouse & Distribution

Hoover, AL, December 5, 2016– The Top Five Awards of Excellence recognize economic development organizations that have shown exceptional progress in development. The locations were chosen because of the support system offered to businesses, as well as recent activity and potential growth that can be created in each area. Strategic locations, pro-business climates, investments made in improving infrastructure and the availability of buildings and sites were among the top deciding factors in choosing these locations.

PORTS

Georgia Ports Authority - Savannah, Georgia

Port Corpus Christi - Corpus Christi, Texas

Port of Virginia - Norfolk, Virginia

Port Arthur Economic Development Corporation - Port Arthur, Texas

Port of Brownsville - Brownsville, Texas

AVIATION/AEROSPACE

Metro Orlando Economic Development Corporation - Orlando, Florida

NETWORKS – Sullivan Partnership - Sullivan and Hawkins Counties, Tennessee

City of Goodyear - Goodyear, Arizona

Charlotte County Economic Development - Charlotte, Florida

Clinton County - Wilmington Air Park - Clinton County, Ohio

ADVANCED MANUFACTURING

Economic Development Corporation of Wayne County - Richmond, Indiana

Newberry County Economic Development - Newberry, South Carolina

Douglas County Economic Development Authority - Douglasville, Georgia

City of West Plains, Missouri State University – West Plains and West Plains Schools - West Plains, Missouri

City of Clovis Economic Development - Clovis, California

LOGISTICS

Georgia Ports Authority - Savannah, Georgia
Dayton Economic Development Corporation - Dayton, Texas

Fort Chaffee Redevelopment Authority - Fort Smith, Arkansas

Palestine Economic Development Corporation - Palestine, Texas

Port of South Louisiana - LaPlace, Louisiana

WAREHOUSE/DISTRIBUTION

City of Ontario - Ontario, California

Port of Montana - Silver Bow, Montana

Gainesville Economic Development Corporation - Gainesville, Texas

Union County Development Board - Union, South Carolina

The Village of Hoffman Estates - Hoffman Estates, Illinois

INLAND PORTS

Ports of Indiana - Indianapolis, Indiana

Port of Ranier - Ranier, Minnesota

Port of Stockton - Stockton, California

Kaskaskia Regional Port District - Red Bud, Illinois

Inland Port Greer - Greer, South Carolina

FOOD PRODUCTION & PROCESSING

Southern Idaho Economic Development Organization - Jerome, Idaho

WindsorEssex Economic Development Corporation - Windsor, ON, Canada

City of Vineland - Vineland, New Jersey

AK-Chin – Community Santa Cruz Commerce Center - Maricopa, Arizona

Operation Oswego County - Oswego, New York

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