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MOTAVO VENTURE GROUP PROVIDES CORPORATE DEVELOPMENT SERVICES TO WELCH PRODUCTS, INC.

DES MOINES, IOWA, August 5, 2005 – Motavo Venture Group, LLC, a professional services and investment firm announced today that it has entered an agreement with Welch Products, Inc. to provide corporate development services to the company.

Under the terms of the agreement, Motavo Venture Group will assist management with producing a new business plan, financial projections, investor presentations and supporting documents.

“Welch Products has an innovative market strategy for taking their quality products from production to application,” said Peter Kopp, founder of Motavo Venture Group. “I am pleased that Welch has chosen Motavo to assist them in aligning their strategy and leading their corporate development efforts.”

Based in Des Moines, Iowa, Welch Products, Inc. has pioneered its innovative method of manufacturing safety surfaces from recycled materials. Welch has established a patented process and formula for creating value-add products from recycled crumb rubber that promote safety, taxpayer savings, and are environmentally responsible.

“Welch provides exceptional value to its customers and its manufacturing process provides a green solution to the ongoing problem of stockpiles of used tires,” added Peter Kopp.

About Motavo Venture Group

Motavo Venture Group is a professional services and investment firm, assisting venture capital firms, angel investors, and entrepreneurs in launching their companies with maximum competitive advantage. For more information about Motavo Venture Group, please visit the Company’s website at www.motavo.com.

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