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Armor Express Receives Michigan Works! Award

TRAVERSE CITY, MI –Armor Express of Central Lake received an Outstanding Business Award from Northwest Michigan Works!. The company was recognized for its success as an employer and Michigan Works! partner.

Armor Express has hired over 30 new entry-level employees in the last year. Through a series of Northwest Michigan Works job postings and employment fairs, the company has also hired a number of professional and technical positions which include: ballistic engineer, quality manager, and an international sales administrator.

Armor Express received the award at a September 27 open house at the Career Café located inside the Traverse City Michigan Works! Service Center. The award was presented by Senator Howard Walker and Representative Greg MacMaster. Awards were also presented to several other northwest Michigan businesses.

More information about Northwest Michigan Works! Business Services is available at: nwm.org/business-services

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NOTE to Media: Images are oftentimes available upon request by e-mailing Tom White at tomwhite@nwm.cog.mi.us and stating preferences for resolution (300 dpi?), file format (.tif? .jpg?) and file size (1MB or less?). Or, phone (231) 929-5044. Check our online Media Room at: nwm.org/media

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NWMCOG's member counties are: Antrim, Benzie, Charlevoix, Emmet, Grand Traverse, Kalkaska, Leelanau, Manistee, Missaukee, and Wexford.