

EARTHBEND CONTINUES TO EXPAND ITS INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS BY ACQUIRING INTEGRATED BUSINESS SOLUTIONS.

SIOUX FALLS, SOUTH DAKOTA – August 31st 2015 – [EarthBend](#), a leading provider of information technology solutions in the US & Canada, announced today that it has acquired the assets and intellectual property owned by Integrated Business Solutions. Integrated Business Solutions, founded in 2003 and located in Brookings, SD specializes in designing, supporting, integrating, and implementing information systems for a wide range of organizations.

"I'm looking forward to adding Integrated Business Solutions products and services to EarthBend's comprehensive offerings. The IBS team lead by Joe Portz, will further enhance our technical expertise and service offerings. Their knowledge, experience, and commitment to the Brookings community since 2003 made this acquisition an easy fit for both companies." said Rob Beyer, CEO at EarthBend.

In April of this year EarthBend opened its new location in Brookings to help support their existing customers and provide local support to area businesses. This acquisition will further support [EarthBend's](#) ongoing mission while also adding experienced resources and leadership. Joe Portz will continue to lead the Brookings based company and joins the EarthBend leadership team. EarthBend continues to create and provide new and emerging solutions to its clients in support of their information [technology needs](#).

"I was very impressed with EarthBend and quickly understood how Integrated Business Solutions would complement and support their strategy and direction. Our partnership of engineering expertise and dedication to delivering value will be a powerful combination for the Brookings community and surrounding areas." Said Joe Portz, Owner of Integrated Business Solutions

About EarthBend

EarthBend has been a trusted information technology provider across the US & Canada for over 32 years. Locally owned and operated in Sioux Falls, SD and employing 67 technology professionals who support customers in the Midwest and across the United States. EarthBend provides leading edge technologies, local engineers for on-site consulting and support, and competitive pricing through its national reach. Their experienced team can provide businesses with IT computing, data storage, business phones and networking. With three decades of experience, EarthBend's proven methodologies and full suite of consulting, support, and managed services can support your organization whether big or small. Every EarthBend account executive and engineer commits to ongoing education, certification and training in order to provide the best consultation, design, implementation and support for businesses.

About Integrated Business Solutions

Integrated Business Solutions, Inc. is an industry leader in technology consulting, sales, and services. They are headquartered in Brookings, South Dakota and specialize in designing, supporting, integrating, and implementing information systems for small, medium, and large organizations. IBS was started in 2003 and has grown into a reliable and understanding IT company that it is today.

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