

DAKOTA BUSINESS CENTER Office Design • Technology • Supplies

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Corporate Contacts:

Carolyn Johnson, Vice President Dakota Business Center Work: 605.791.4803

Carter Taylor, CEO Dakota Business Center Work: 605.791.4802

Anne Taylor, President Dakota Business Center Work: 605.791.4801 Jeff Gau, CEO Marco Work: 320.259.3051 Cell: 320.267.9658

Jennifer Mrozek, Executive VP Marco Work: 320.529.1048 Cell: 320.250.9628

May 17, 2017

MARCO PURCHASES DAKOTA BUSINESS CENTER'S COPIER/PRINTER BUSINESS

Marco, a leading technology services provider in the United States, announced today that it has assumed responsibility for the copier/printer sales and service previously provided by Dakota Business Center, a Rapid City, South Dakota based company. The 15 employees that previously supported Dakota's copier/printer solutions have joined the Marco team.

Dakota Business Center will continue to provide its customers with sales and service for their office supplies, office furniture, managed IT and promotional products.

"This purchase allows Marco to further expand its technical expertise and services in the state of South Dakota," said Jeff Gau, Marco CEO. "We look forward to continuing Dakota's commitment to satisfying their copier clients and providing opportunities for their valued employees."

This is the 16th acquisition the company has completed over the past three years. They have six locations throughout South Dakota.

Marco has 1,100 employees and serves more than 31,000 customers from its 47 locations throughout the Midwest and nationally.

"We are excited to sell our copier division to Marco. They have an excellent reputation in the community for their commitment to excellence, outstanding customer service and as a great place to work," said Carter Taylor, CEO of Dakota Business Center. "We are also very eager to focus more fully on our office furniture, design and supply business."

About Marco

Marco is one of the largest technology providers in the country with 47 offices throughout the Midwest and 31,000 customers nationwide. Marco specializes in business IT services, copier/printer solutions and managed and cloud services. Our technology experts break down complex solutions into simple terms to position your business for success. Learn more at **marconet.com**.