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Copy Graphics, Inc. Gets it Done on the Double Wins Pair of WPEO Done Deals™ Awards



New York, NY October 2, 2015 – Copy Graphics, Inc. – also known by the trade name Mrs. Paper – received both the Access New York State and Access New Jersey Awards in the 2015 Women Presidents' Educational Organization (WPEO) Done Deals™ Challenge. The Done Deals™ Challenge recognizes contracts completed between certified Women Business Enterprises (WBEs) and corporate members in the New York region from April 1, 2014 through March 31, 2015, representing a cumulative total of \$403 million dollars in diversity spend.

For 2015, a total of 8 awards were given to 6 recipients in a variety of categories: Corporate Opportunity Award (2), Corporate Champion Award, WBE Connection Award, WBE Done Deals Champion Award, Access New York City Award, Access New York State Award and Access New Jersey Award. Recipients ranged from internationally-known corporations to closely-held WBEs. Copy Graphics was the only entity to receive two awards.

The theme of this year's awards was return on relationships, according to WPEO Board Chair Eliseo Rojas, "Return on relationships represents value that will accrue over time, as the currency of commerce. We need to honor and invest in relationships to achieve business goals in a competitive marketplace." WPEO President and Founder, Dr. Marsha Firestone, added, "The Done Deals™ Challenge enables us to validate the impact that WPEO has had on increasing business opportunities and contracting activity."

"We are so thrilled to receive these awards," said Marion Hindenburg, President of Copy Graphics, Inc., "When I first started selling paper, my sales manager said, "Go out and make friends." I've never forgotten that advice or that approach to selling. It's not as easy to make friends in business as it was 30 years ago, but it's still important to remember that you're building human relationships, not just business relationships."

This is the third time Copy Graphics has received the Done Deals™ Access New York State Award; prior occasions were 2012 and 2009.

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The Women Presidents' Educational Organization (WPEO) is a regional affiliate of the Women's Business Enterprise National Council (WBENC), the nation's premier third-party certification organization for women-owned businesses. WPEO works to create increased access to business opportunities for WBEs through professional development programs, public- and private-sector advocacy, relationship building and certification services.

Copy Graphics, Inc.

Copy Graphics, Inc. (trade name: Mrs. Paper) is a supplier of fine and general office papers and related supplies to a wide variety of public and private sector organizations. The firm is known for its extraordinary attention to detail, highly efficient service and consistent ability to fulfill orders on time. Based in New York City, Copy Graphics provides service throughout the United States.

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