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### **Automated Packaging Systems Receives Global Business Leadership Award**

July 17, 2018 - STREETSBORO, OH – Automated Packaging Systems, the world leader in high-reliability bagging systems, was honored by the Rotary Club of Cleveland and the Cleveland State University (CSU) Monte Ahuja College of Business with its 2018 Global Business Leadership Award.

The Business Leadership Award Program recognizes companies and individuals who have proven to be outstanding in five key areas of business, including Training, Service, Entrepreneurship, Community Service and Global Business. This 22<sup>nd</sup> annual event, held in May 2018, was sponsored in cooperation with the CSU Paul J. Everson Real Estate Center (REC), the Manufacturing Advocacy & Growth Network (MAGNET), the Council of Smaller Enterprises (COSE), the International Business Network (IBN), and the CSU Sustainable Business Center (SBC).

“Every machine we sell worldwide is manufactured in Northeast Ohio,” said Cliff Brehm, President of Automated Packaging Systems. “We are very pleased to be recognized by the Rotary Club of Cleveland and CSU for the opportunities our global expansion has presented to our customers and employees abroad and right here at home,” he added.

Headquartered in Streetsboro, Ohio, Automated Packaging Systems is a global packaging supplier with manufacturing, sales, service and distribution offices located throughout North America, Europe, Latin America, Asia and Australia.

### **About Automated Packaging Systems**

Automated Packaging Systems has been designing and manufacturing original Autobag®, AirPouch® and SidePouch® systems and products for over 50 years. With more than 30,000 packaging systems in operation and a worldwide service organization, Automated Packaging Systems has the experience and support to deliver the ultimate in customer satisfaction. Automated Packaging Systems offers a complete line of baggers, void-fill and protective packaging systems, stretch sleeve labels, thermal transfer imprinters, counters, scales, and specialty packaging materials. Complete information is available at the company's website, [www.autobag.com](http://www.autobag.com).

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The Automated Packaging Systems International Team accepts the 2018 Global Business Leadership Award

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