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Back In the Family: Ray Hamilton Company Acquired

Cincinnati, Ohio –

One of Cincinnati’s oldest companies, Ray Hamilton Company was recently purchased by the grandsons of the company’s namesake, Ray Hamilton, Jr. Andy Black, who will serve as President and Jim Wyenandt, who will serve as Managing Partner, closed on the specialized transportation and logistics business in December. With the acquisition, Black and Wyenandt turned into reality something both had considered a long-term goal in life since working as summer laborers during breaks from high school and college.

“Jim & I greatly admired Grandpa Hamilton (Ray Hamilton, Jr.) as not only the patriarch of our family, but as an influential & respected man in this community.” Black added, “He was a man, who with a firm handshake, would do what he said and lead by example – no matter what – and we plan to carry on his legacy by focusing on delivering exceptional customer service.”

Ray Hamilton Company was founded in 1892 as Frank Hamilton Storage by Andy & Jim’s great-great grandfather, Frank Hamilton who had a single-horse drawn cart and small warehouse on 4th Street in downtown Cincinnati. Frank’s son, Ray Hamilton, Sr. worked alongside his father and eventually took over the business until 1965 when Ray Hamilton, Jr. assumed control. Ray, Jr. expanded the warehousing business into commercial moving and was responsible for establishing the company as Cincinnati’s “premier office moving company”.

Black and Wyenandt purchased a business that has grown beyond commercial moving and warehousing and into a nationwide asset-backed specialized transportation & logistics provider. Managing Partner, Jim Wyenandt who bring over 20 years of industry experience stated, “We are committed to expanding our Nationwide over-the-road trailer liftgate service, ‘white-glove’ and local services into freight brokerage services, while also re-establishing Ray Hamilton Company as a best-in-class commercial moving & warehousing supplier.”

Ray Hamilton Company is located at 4817 Section Avenue in Norwood. To learn more about Ray Hamilton Company you can visit RayHamilton.com.

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