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## MAYOR THRILLED BY LOCAL FIRM'S SUCCESS

CLEVELAND, OH – As a result of the community outreach of last week's Open House, Mayor Frank Jackson was at Conveyer & Caster – Equipment for Industry, a third generation, family-owned Cleveland material handling firm on Thursday, October 1. According to Chris Warren, Chief Economic Development Director, "The Mayor was interested in Conveyer & Caster – Equipment for Industry, as they have managed to navigate these tough times without layoffs or service problems."

Mayor Jackson, along with Warren toured the facility and met with the ownership of the firm. Jeff Stohr, President of Conveyer & Caster – Equipment for Industry, said "We were delighted that the Mayor was able to take the time out of his schedule to learn about our business, meet our staff, and provide us his insight into the market at large."

According to Jackson, "[Conveyer & Caster – Equipment for Industry's] ability to maintain employment in this crisis is significant. Many other companies are reducing costs by cutting people, and that just doesn't help the city." Jeff Stohr reiterated that the responsibility of the leadership is not only to the bottom line, but to the people who make the business successful. Trevor Stohr, Vice President of Conveyer & Caster – Equipment for Industry, agreed, "We're proud of the fact we've been able to keep all of our employees on board. Without them, I doubt we would have been able to maintain the high level of service our customers have come to expect."

The Mayor has stated before that he is a proponent of Cleveland businesses doing business with other Cleveland businesses, as it will only help the region grow. Mayor Jackson was impressed by the impact of Conveyer & Caster – Equipment for Industry on the region at large. Focusing their efforts through regional sales offices and the internet, the firm is able to generate business both locally and nationwide.

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From Left: Trevor Stohr, Albert Stohr, Mayor Jackson, Rick Andrews, and Jeff Stohr  
In the lobby of Conveyer & Caster - Equipment for Industry. Photo: Brian Harrington



From Left: Drew Jenkins, Detrick Payne, Terrell Williams, John Staley, Mayor Jackson,  
and Tyrone Williams outside of the Conveyer & Caster - Equipment for Industry Warehouse  
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