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WOOD-MIZER SALES CENTER IN NORTH CAROLINA EXPANDS PRODUCT LINE Facility Offering Lastec Mowers and Carraro Tractors in Addition to Portable Sawmills

INDIANAPOLIS, IN – Wood-Mizer’s Authorized Sales Center in Albemarle, North Carolina is expanding their product line to include Lastec Mowers and Carraro Tractors. Since 2004, Wood-Mizer Carolinas has been selling the company’s line of thin-kerf, portable sawmill equipment servicing both North and South Carolina.

The facility is managed by local residents, Joseph Whitley and his son Tyler. Recently the sales center was expanded to better serve their customers and provided an opportunity to offer more products. The showroom is located at 28002 Canton Road in Albemarle.

The Lastec mower line is a division of Wood-Mizer and known for introducing the first-ever, articulating, rotary mowers for uneven terrain. Called “The Articulator,” these mowers are designed for high production in extreme contours and feature articulating decks that follow the shape of the ground in order to deliver a precise cut. Lastec mowers feature cutting widths from 61” to 100” and are powered by 22-36HP gas or diesel engines. They are available in PTO or ZTR units.

Wood-Mizer Carolinas is also offering the complete line of Carraro Tractors, imported from Europe by Lastec. These bi-directional tractors allow the operator seat, steering wheel, and instrument panel to be rotated 180 degrees in less than 30 seconds so the tractor can be driven facing either the forward or reverse direction.

Wood-Mizer Carolinas recently attended the Rusty Pistons Show and had products on display. For demonstrations on any of the products offered at Wood-Mizer Carolinas, call 704-982-1673.

In 2007, Wood-Mizer celebrated their 25th anniversary in the portable sawmill industry and hosted a year-long tour with 17 events and more than 15,000 miles. The first event was held in Albemarle at the Stanly County Agri-Civic center and more than 250 people attended. The company went on to host 16 more throughout the United States and Canada; culminating with a grand finale event in Indianapolis.

Wood-Mizer is the world’s leading manufacturer of portable band sawmills and offers an extensive line covering a wide range of cutting capabilities. The company has sold more than 40,000 sawmills worldwide, spanning more than 110 countries. Wood-Mizer is the only portable sawmill manufacturer to also produce blades. For more information, visit www.woodmizer.com.

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