



ERF Wireless Names Mike Jones Chief Technology Officer

New CTO to File Additional Oil and Gas and CryptoVue Patents

LEAGUE CITY, Texas, Apr 21, 2009 (BUSINESS WIRE) -- ERF Wireless (OTCBB:ERFW), a leading provider of enterprise-class wireless broadband products and services, announced today that Mike Jones, a member of ERF Wireless' Board of Directors, has accepted a full-time position with the company as its Chief Technology Officer (CTO). A 30-year veteran of the telecommunications industry, Jones joined the ERF Wireless Board of Directors in February of 2008. In addition to providing ERF Wireless guidance for the past year as a member of the board, Jones has also served as a consultant to the company on a number of technology and management issues. As the chief architect for the development and implementation of the company's technology, one of his primary responsibilities will be providing technical guidance as the company implements WiMAX wireless solutions throughout its existing networks as well as new networks that are acquired or constructed.

"As the former CTO of Broadwing, a leading telecommunications company acquired by Level 3 Communications, Mike's successful track record of managing large, nationwide projects gives our company the in-depth experience and leadership we'll need to take full advantage of the explosive growth we anticipate over the next few years which includes our recently announced penetration into the oil- and gas-rich Permian Basin through our exclusive Schlumberger contract," said Dr. H. Dean Cubley, Chairman and CEO of ERF Wireless.

"In addition to managing our overall systems and technology architecture, I'm in the process of filing patents that will further advance our technology leadership in the oil and gas industry," said Jones. "I'm also filing additional patents for the ERF Wireless CryptoVue^(R) Network Security Appliance which, to date, has been deployed primarily in the banking industry. However, we anticipate in the near future a number of our other emerging markets in rural America will be the beneficiaries of our proprietary security appliance, including oil and gas operations, healthcare facilities, educational institutions and law enforcement departments, since all are potential recipients of increased funding for secure, state-of-the-art communications systems to protect highly confidential data."

About ERF Wireless

ERF Wireless Inc. is a fully reporting public corporation located in League City, Texas, and is the parent company of ERF Oil & Gas Services, ERF Enterprise Network Services, ERF Bundled Wireless Services, ERF Wireless Messaging Services, and ERF Network Services. The company specializes in providing wireless and broadband product and service solutions to enterprise, commercial and residential clients on a regional, national and international basis. Its principals have been in the wireless broadband, network integration, triple-play FTTH, IPTV and content delivery business for more than 40 years. For more information, please visit our websites at www.erfwireless.com and www.erfwireless.net or call 281-538-2101. (ERFWG)

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