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Holbrook & Manter Acquires Union County Accounting Firm

Holbrook & Manter, a professional services firm, has acquired Conrad, Leibold, Woerner & Company (CLW). CLW was founded by Jesse L. Conrad and has called Marysville, Ohio home from its inception in 1958. As an accounting, tax, and consulting firm, CLW has offered a variety of accounting and tax services to corporations, family and closely held businesses, non-profits, as well as individuals.

Mark Leibold, CPA, President of Conrad, Leibold, Woerner & Company shares, "We are very pleased to be joining forces with Holbrook & Manter to continue to provide quality services to our clients. By doing this we are keeping our business local which is a great benefit to us as well as to our clients and employees. I am looking forward to working for my clients with the additional support of Holbrook & Manter behind us."

John Woerner, CPA, CVA, MT shareholder of Conrad, Leibold, Woerner & Company adds, "I am excited that our firm is joining with Holbrook & Manter. I think it assures that our clients, who have become more than just our clients over the years, will continue to receive the same high level quality services that they have received from us. Holbrook & Manter is local and will be a great partnership going forward for us, for our employees and most importantly for our clients."

Stephen C. Smith, CPA, CGMA, MBA, CVA, an H&M Principal states, "CLW's reputation, outstanding quality, and exceptional customer service is well known in Central Ohio. We are delighted and honored to have Mark, John and the entire CLW team now an important part of Holbrook & Manter."

Brian Ravencraft, CPA, CGMA, H&M President adds, "Throughout our discussions, we found both firms had more in common than originally thought, thus making the acquisition a very smooth process. One of the bonds both firms have in common is culture. Neither firm would have the longevity to be able to serve our communities in central Ohio without this key attribute. We look forward to continuing the excellent service the CLW team has provided its clientele over the years, and we are excited and honored to move forward with having CLW now a part of the H&M family."

Holbrook & Manter, CPAs is an employee-owned professional services firm specializing in family and closely held businesses. For over 103 years, H&M has provided superior accounting, tax, and management consulting advice to both businesses and individuals. With five locations across the Central Ohio region, H&M provides cost effective, high quality technical service combined with sound personal attention. H&M is a member of Allinial Global, an association of legally independent accounting and consulting firms from across the globe who share education, marketing resources and technical knowledge in a wide range of industries.