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## **Sherwood Systems wins Terrific Teamwork Award from Microsoft**

**PHOENIX, AZ — AUGUST 18, 2005 — Sherwood Systems** and **Neudesic**, a Microsoft Technology partner, recently received the Desert Mountain District **Terrific Teamwork Award** from Microsoft for recognition of outstanding partnership in working together on a customer's needs.

Sherwood Systems had implemented Microsoft Business Solutions-Great Plains at the customer when the need for a customer relationship management system was identified. The customer, a chemical manufacturing and distribution company based in Phoenix, needed to standardize their sales and customer service operations as they move into increasingly complex markets. Sherwood Systems brought Neudesic, an experienced Microsoft CRM integrator, in to implement Microsoft CRM, BizTalk Server and SharePoint Services. Sherwood Systems and Neudesic will continue to work together with the customer to integrate Great Plains with Microsoft CRM.

**“A team effort like this proves once again why Microsoft encourages the partner community to work together,” explained David Mayer, partner account manager at Microsoft. “By truly understanding the customer’s needs and working together to create an optimal solution, Neudesic and Sherwood Systems have demonstrated what it means to put the customer first.”**

Sherwood Systems, a Microsoft Gold Certified Partner, is a provider of business management solutions for small to midsize businesses in the Southwest and the U.S. In business since 1990, their mission is to provide clients with the best solutions for their unique business. Sherwood Systems team members are devoted to systems implementation, training, technical support and development. Sherwood Systems has been a Microsoft Certified Solutions Provider since 1996 and one of approximately 40 Source Code authorized Microsoft Great Plains Solution Developers.

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