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Union Metal Corporation Selected as a “2007 Manny Award Winner”

Union Metal Corporation has been chosen to receive one of the 2007 Manny Awards given annually for manufacturing excellence in Northeast Ohio by Inside Business Magazine, in partnership with the Ohio Manufacturers Association.

Union Metal joins Summitville Tiles Inc. and FDC Machine Repair Inc., as one of this year’s award winners in the category of the Biggest Breakthrough, for the engineering of its business turnaround. UMC was nominated for this award by Kent State University, and will be presented it's recognition at a dinner May 22nd in Cleveland.

“Whenever you’re in a business turnaround such as Union Metal, your ability to affect positive change is ultimately tied to employees believing in and embracing the Vision and Strategies necessary for success. The employees of UMC have rallied around our vision, become more competitive minded, and are more driven to succeed. They certainly deserve this industry recognition for their collective efforts over these past few years,” according to Darryl Dillenback, President and CEO of the company.

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