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Rocket Ventures to Appear at International Air, Trade, and Technology Expo

Toledo, OH - Rocket Ventures is proud to announce an upcoming appearance at the 2009 United States Air, Trade and Technology Expo (USATT), in Dayton, OH, July 14-17. David Miller, Rocket Ventures (RV) Business Development Manager, will be representing RV and promoting the emerging technologies of several RV clients. The 2009 USATT Expo plans to draw over 2000 scientists, engineers, and aerospace experts.

RV will partner with the Ohio Aerospace Institute to promote regional technologies appropriate for the aerospace industry. The USATT Expo represents the first exhibition experience for each of the clients, and Miller is excited. "We're looking forward to promoting Rocket Ventures' clients on an international stage – which will serve to shine an even brighter light on Northwest Ohio as a technology hotspot," he said. Among the clients represented are: Bluetronix, Inc., Ohio Airships, Inc., Third Millennium Metals, LLC, and Genziko, Inc.

Bluetronix, Inc. develops and markets next generation wireless communications devices for wireless sensors and other related wireless communication devices. The devices provide a self-forming, self-healing, ad hoc network without IP addressing or IP tables.

Ohio Airships, Inc. is developing and manufacturing the revolutionary Dynalifter™ aircraft, which allows for unprecedented volumes of cargo to be moved between "unimproved" landing sites.

Third Millennium Metals, LLC is an advanced materials company that has invented a nano-composite process which significantly enhances the physical properties of primary metals without adding significant cost during the manufacturing process.

Genziko manufactures piezoelectric material for micro-actuators and motors, both in industrial and consumer applications.

All of the above are past recipients of Rocket Ventures' Ignite! Grants – which serve to help companies develop and use technology to create new products or improve processes that have an impact on revenues -- and ultimately jobs within the RV footprint.

With an exhibition location only an arm's length from international corporate giants like Lockheed-Martin and Boeing, Miller feels "I have a unique opportunity to highlight our clients' exciting technology, along with the RV name and mission, to leading contractors in both the aerospace and defense industries."

About Rocket Ventures

Rocket Ventures, a division of the Regional Growth Partnership, is a pre-seed, early-stage venture fund for technology-based entities/companies operating within the state of Ohio. It consists of \$15 million in state funding and \$7.5 million in private sector investment.

About The Regional Growth Partnership

The Regional Growth Partnership is a private nonprofit development corporation dedicated to fostering local, national, and international economic growth opportunities for Northwest Ohio.