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VETERAN STEEL PRODUCTION MANAGER JOINS MOBIL STEEL

HOUSTON (March 13, 2014) - Mobil Steel International, Inc. announced today that Mike Wamsley joined the local steel fabricator as production manager. Wamsley brings 35 years experience in the structural steel industry to Mobil Steel, most as production or plant manager in AISC quality certified fabrication shops. He has experience building industrial plants which will help as he manages an abundance of projects Mobil Steel is fabricating as a result of a refining and petrochemical renaissance.

Wamsley joins Mobil Steel after serving as production manager for Southland Steel Co.'s Greensburg, La., plant since 2009. Before taking the job with Southland, Wamsley worked as plant superintendent for IKON Steel LLC in Arizona. He also worked for Schuff Steel Co. in Las Vegas and Phoenix. While at Schuff, Wamsley managed and scheduled sub-fabricators on a more than 50,000 ton project in Las Vegas at the top-ranked luxury hotel and entertainment facility, Palazzo.

Wamsley returns to Houston where he worked as plant superintendent for Trinity Industries. Wamsley managed fabrication and scheduling for the 150-person steel bridge fabricator. He has experience managing steel fabrication projects in various industries, bridges, high-rise structural, storage tanks, oil platforms, commercial buildings, and industrial plants. (more)

New Production Manager to help Mobil Steel Deliver Quality Customer Service

From managing fabrication shops to daily plant operations at multiple facilities and job sites, Wamsley has demonstrated he can lead teams to produce quality results. "I take great pride in building better teams and I look forward to working with the talented, quality-certified work group at Mobil Steel," Wamsley said. The graduate of the Academy of Welding Technology in San Francisco said he is pleased to lead a busy steel fabrication shop and introduce techniques that add to the customer service reputation of Mobil Steel. "Mobil Steel has great equipment, people and production processes already in place. My role will be to help enhance our commitment to quality and customer service through the application of our employees' skills each day."

"We are securing contracts directly from the oil and gas and petrochemical industry, and getting calls from engineering and construction companies that need our help to supplement work they have underway in that industry," Bedell added. "Mike's experience in industrial steel fabrication and his knowledge of AISC, U.S. and Canadian standards in all fabrication disciplines will be a great benefit to Mobil Steel and our customers."

"Mobil Steel has demonstrated that we can meet the production needs of customers, and we are doing it with quality and on-time delivery," Bedell said. "It is great to have a production manager who has lived that culture every day."

About Mobil Steel International, Inc.

Mobil Steel International, Inc. fabricates steel used in some of the world's essential industries: chemical, manufacturing, petroleum, communication, clean fuels, and power utilities, as well as commercial construction. Mobil Steel, which has been at its South Wayside Drive facility in Houston for 44 years, has a production capacity of more than 1,000 tons per month in its 80,000 square feet of plant and office facilities under roof, providing flexibility to manage multiple projects. The 8.5-acre site is located within major freeway access to the refining and petrochemical complex in the Gulf Coast region. Mobil Steel is quality certified by the <u>American Institute of Steel Construction</u> (AISC). Mobil Steel is active in <u>Associated Builders and Contractors, Associated General Contractors, Association of Chemical Industry of Texas, and American Welding Society</u>. The company is a sponsoring member of <u>Economic Alliance Houston Port Region</u> and a member of the <u>Pasadena Chamber of Commerce</u>. Mobil Steel is a registered small business with the Small Business Administration. For information about Mobil Steel visit <u>www.mobilsteel.com</u>.