



## THE HILLER COMPANIES, LLC ACQUIRES NEVADA FIRE PROTECTION SERVICE BUSINESS

*Nevada Fire Protection will retain its installation and retrofit business while Hiller expands its geographical footprint for services in the Las Vegas area.*

**Mobile, Alabama – April 12, 2023** – The Hiller Companies, a leading provider of fire and life safety services, today announced it has acquired the service business of Nevada Fire Protection (NFP) based in Las Vegas, NV.

The acquisition strengthens Hiller's service capabilities, expands its presence on the west coast, and provides the ability to serve our customers in the Las Vegas area. This acquisition is 100% service-based, and capabilities include sprinklers, fire alarms and a proprietary monitoring network. Going forward, Hiller will provide inspections, testing, monitoring, repair and maintenance to customers in the Las Vegas Metro Area, while NFP will continue to operate its installation and retrofit business as they have historically done.

Established in 1919 and headquartered in Mobile, AL, Hiller is a leading national provider in the fire and life safety services industry, offering customers a full range of installation and recurring services through a network of over 30 locations across the United States. Nevada Fire Protection was founded by Don Blunt in 1996 in Reno, NV, and over the past 27 years, has earned a reputation as a leader in the fire protection industry by making an impact throughout the western region of the United States.

Hiller CEO Santiago Perez is pleased to welcome NFP's Las Vegas service team and customers to Hiller.

"This is an exciting time for Hiller, as we expand our service offerings across the country. This acquisition allows us a greater presence in Nevada and strengthens our capabilities to deliver world-class services to an expanded customer base," Perez said. "Nevada Fire Protection's presence in the region will enable us to fulfill our strong commitment and track record of providing superior service to our customers."

Now known as "Hiller Las Vegas," the new location will be led by General Manager Keith Carter. Carter added, "I am excited to dive into the Las Vegas market and build on the foundation of NFP. This is a great opportunity for Hiller to grow our service offering and expand our reach."

Don Blunt, Nevada Fire Protection Founder and Chief Executive Officer said, "I believe we share common culture and values with Hiller, and a commitment to providing the best experience to our customers and employees. I trust that each customer and our employees are in good hands and look forward to partnering with Hiller in the future to ensure we are providing the same world class service that our customers have come to expect."

### About The Hiller Companies

Hiller offers fire protection and life safety products and services that are preserving lives and property all around the world. Headquartered in Mobile, Alabama, Hiller extends its reach globally as well as in domestic markets with offices across the United States. For more than 100 years, we have been laser-focused on one goal – making the world a safer place. We are proud to be on the forefront of technology and innovation by creating adaptable safety solutions. As we continue to grow and expand our life safety footprint, we pledge to keep our customers top of mind while striving to design, install and service the most compliant, reliable systems available. For more

information about Hiller, please visit [hillerfire.com](http://hillerfire.com).

**About Nevada Fire Protection**

Nevada Fire Protection was founded by Don Blunt in 1996 in Reno, NV. Over the past 27 years, NFP-SFP has earned a reputation as a leader in the fire protection industry by making an impact throughout the western region of the United States. Today, our corporate headquarters is in Las Vegas, and we have additional offices in California, Colorado, and Reno, Nevada. Each office is fully staffed with all departments playing an important role in every project, no matter the size. We believe the success of any project is directly related to the depth of management, scope of knowledge and the willingness to succeed.

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