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**MINNESOTA TRUCKING ASSOCIATION PRESENTS JEFF MUSIK
WITH THE 2019 SAFETY PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR AWARD**

BROOKLYN CENTER, MINN. (August 14, 2019) – Jeff Muzik, Safety Director at Brenny Transportation in St. Cloud, Minnesota, was presented the Safety Professional of the Year Award at the annual conference of the Minnesota Trucking Association (MTA) on July 31, 2019.

“Jeff Muzik has transformed and implemented an entirely new culture of safety at Brenny, not only with our drivers, but in our entire office,” said Joyce Brenny, President of Brenny Transportation, when nominating Jeff for the award. “His knowledge and dedication to the transportation industry continually improves our entire team’s safety. Jeff has helped our safety scores improve, and the drivers are inspired by his knowledge and seek out his advice.”

“Jeff is an active member of the Minnesota Safety Council and willingly passes the information he learns on to help others put safety first,” said John Hausladen, MTA President and CEO. “He has become a valuable resource to the MTA as he contributes his knowledge by participating in meetings and conversations. If there is a safety event, Jeff is there learning and encouraging others on.”

Brenny was founded in 1996 because Joyce and Todd Brenny wanted to be part of a company that treated people with respect, a company which honored champion character and made of a team driven to serve.

The MTA Safety Professional of the Year Award recognizes an individual who manages the safety activities of their company, including being responsible for the creation/advancement and administration of the safety program, and has contributed, through personal efforts and company programs, to the advancement of highway safety.

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About MTA: The Minnesota Trucking Association is a non-profit trade association representing roughly 650 member trucking companies and allied firms from across the state. The membership reflects the diversity of the Minnesota trucking industry, including less-than-truckload, truckload, bulk, agricultural, heavy specialized and private trucking operations. For more information, visit www.mntruck.org.