

## Wayside Technology Group, Inc. Announces Appointment of John McCarthy to Board of Directors

EATONTOWN, N.J., June 03, 2019 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Wayside Technology Group, Inc. (NASDAQ: WSTG) (the "Company") today announced the appointment of John McCarthy to the Board of Directors effective June 6, 2019.

Mr. McCarthy has extensive experience in leading successful organizations with a particular focus in the technology industry. He currently serves as President and Chief Executive Officer of Mainline Information Systems, a nationally recognized technology solution provider he joined in April 2009. Prior to that, Mr. McCarthy served in executive management positions with EMC, StorageApps, CNT, McData and Virtual Iron. Mr. McCarthy is currently a member of the Board of Directors for Nasuni Corporation, a member of the Operating Board for Stripes Group, and a member of the Board of Trustees for Providence College.

"John brings substantial industry and executive leadership experience. He has a proven record of driving innovation while managing organic growth and acquisition integration. We believe both his executive and operational experience will be of great value to our Board and the company. We look forward to having his added insight and perspective as we continue to execute our strategic growth plan," said Jeffrey Geygan, Chairman of the Board.

"I am excited to join the Board of Wayside Technology Group and contribute to the ongoing success of the organization," said Mr. McCarthy.

## About Wayside Technology Group, Inc.

Wayside Technology Group, Inc. (NASDAQ: WSTG) is an IT channel company providing innovative sales and distribution solutions to technology vendors, resellers and system integrators since 1982. Wayside operates Lifeboat Distribution, a value-added distributor for virtualization/cloud computing, security, application and network infrastructure, business continuity/disaster recovery, database infrastructure and management, application lifecycle management, science/engineering, and other technically sophisticated products. The company helps vendors recruit and build multinational solution provider networks, power their networks, and drive incremental sales revenues that complement existing sales channels. Lifeboat Distribution services thousands of solution providers, VARs, systems integrators, corporate resellers, and consultants worldwide, helping them power a rich opportunity stream and build profitable product and service businesses. The Company also offers specialty solutions to end user customers through its TechXtend business.

Additional information can be found by visiting <u>www.waysidetechnology.com</u>

This press release and oral statements made from time to time by representatives of the Company contain certain "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Forward-looking statements include statements regarding, among other things, our current expectations about the Company's future results and financial condition, revenues, employee reductions, margins, expenses and earnings and are indicated by words or phrases such as "anticipate," "estimate," "expect," "project," "we believe" and similar words or phrases. These forward-looking statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors which may cause actual results, performance or achievements to be materially different from the future results, performance or achievements expressed in or implied by such forward-looking statements. Forwardlooking statements are based largely on the Company's expectations and judgments and are subject to a number of risks and uncertainties, many of which are unforeseeable and beyond our control. The factors that could cause actual results to materially differ include, among others: the loss of key personnel, or other changes in our executive and senior management team or to our operating structure, and our ability to effectively transfer knowledge during periods of transition; our ability to successfully implement our long-term growth strategy, the continued acceptance of the Company's distribution channel by vendors and customers, the timely availability and acceptance of new products, product mix, market conditions, contribution of key vendor relationships and support programs, as well as factors that affect the software industry in general and other factors. The forward-looking statements contained herein are also subject generally to other risks and uncertainties that are described from time to time in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Except as otherwise required by law, the Company undertakes no obligation to update or revise these forward-looking statements.

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