

# Wayside Technology Group, Inc. Reports 2007 Second Quarter Results

# Sales Increase 6%, Net Income Increases 23%, Increases Quarterly Dividend, Engages Investment Banker

SHREWSBURY, N.J.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--

Wayside Technology Group, Inc. (NASDAQ: WSTG)

Second Quarter 2007 results

- -- Sales: \$44.0 million, up 6% year-over-year
- -- Gross profit: \$4.3 million, up 7% year-over-year
- -- Income from operations: \$1.3 million, up 18% year-over-year
- -- Net income: \$1.0 million, up 23% year-over-year

The results will be discussed in a conference call to be held on Friday, July 27, 2007 at 10:00 AM Eastern time. The dial-in telephone number is (866) 835-8825 and the pass code is "WSTG".

This conference call will be available via live webcast - in listen-mode only - at <u>www.earnings.com</u>. A replay will be available on our website at <u>www.waysidetechnology.com</u>.

"We successfully continued to execute our strategic business plan in the second quarter. Our net income showed continued excellent growth," said Simon F. Nynens, chairman and chief executive officer. "In accordance with our business plan, we consciously decided not to pursue ultra-low margin revenues. We have, and will continue to focus on growing our business in a profitable way."

On July 25, 2007, the Board of Directors declared a quarterly dividend of \$.15 per share of its common stock payable August 20, 2007 to shareholders of record on August 6, 2007. This represents a 7% increase in dividend, from \$.14 per share to \$.15 per share.

Wayside Technology Group, Inc. furthermore announced today that it has engaged an investment banker to assist in identifying and exploring potential acquisition opportunities.

Net sales for the second quarter of 2007 increased 6% or \$2.6 million to \$44.0 million compared to \$41.4 million for the same period in 2006. Total sales for the second quarter of 2007 for our Lifeboat segment were \$33.7 million compared to \$29.0 million in the second quarter of 2006, representing a 16% increase. Total sales for the second quarter of 2007 for

our Programmer's Paradise segment were \$10.4 million compared to \$12.5 million in the second quarter of 2006, representing a 17% decrease.

Gross Profit for the quarter ending June 30, 2007 was \$4.3 million compared to \$4.1 million in the second quarter of 2006, a 7% increase. Total gross profit for our Lifeboat segment was \$3.0 million compared to \$2.3 million in the second quarter of 2006, representing a 29% increase. Total gross profit for our Programmer's Paradise segment was \$1.3 million compared to \$1.7 million in the second quarter of 2006, representing a 23% decrease.

Gross profit margin, as a percentage of net sales, for the quarter ending June 30, 2007 was 9.8% unchanged compared to the second quarter of 2006. Gross profit margin for our Programmer's Paradise segment was 12.9% compared to 13.9% in the second quarter of 2006. Gross profit margin for our Lifeboat segment was 8.9% compared to 8.0% in the second quarter of 2006.

Total selling, general, and administrative ("SG&A") expenses for the second quarter of 2007 were \$3.0 million, up slightly compared to \$2.9 million in the second quarter of 2006, despite \$0.2 million of compensation expenses in the second quarter of 2007 related to the implementation of FAS 123(R) for stock based compensation. As a percentage of net sales, SG&A expenses for the second quarter of 2007 were 6.8% compared to 7.1% in the second quarter of 2006.

Net income for the second quarter of 2007 increased 23% or \$0.2 million to \$1 million compared to \$0.8 million for the same period in 2006.

About Wayside Technology Group, Inc.

Wayside Technology Group, Inc. (NASDAQ: WSTG) was founded in 1982 and is a unified and integrated technology company providing products and solutions for corporate resellers, VARs, and developers, as well as business, government and educational entities. The company generated sales of \$182 million in 2006, and was ranked No. 8 on BusinessWeek's list of hot growth companies in June 2006. The company offers technology products from software publishers and manufacturers such as Microsoft, CA, IBM, VMware, Borland, Quest Software, Compuware, Infragistics, ComponentOne, Macrovision, and Adobe.

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

The statements in this release concerning the Company's future prospects are forwardlooking statements that involve certain risks and uncertainties. Such risks and uncertainties include the continued acceptance of the Company's distribution channel by vendors and customers, the timely availability and acceptance of new products, and contribution of key vendor relationships and support programs. 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.

> WAYSIDE TECHNOLOGY GROUP, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (In thousands, except share and per share amounts)

June 30,	December	31,
2007	2006	

## (Unaudited)

#### ASSETS

Current assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	11,029	\$	13 <b>,</b> 832
Marketable securities		9,414		7,032
Accounts receivable, net		21,497		28,045
Inventory - finished goods		1,636		1,265
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		638		607
Deferred income taxes		1,103		1,632
Total current assets		45 <b>,</b> 317		52,413
Equipment and leasehold improvements, net		641		488
Other assets		2,408		2,927
Deferred income taxes		1,214		1,453
Total assets	\$ ===	49,580	\$ ===	57,281

### LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

Current liabilities Accounts payable and accrued expenses Dividend payable	\$ 25,482	\$ 35,304 638
Total current liabilities	 25,482	 35,942
Other liabilities	28	41
Total liabilities	 25,510	 35,983
Commitments and contingencies		
Stockholders' equity Common stock, \$.01 par value; authorized, 10,000,000 shares; issued 5,284,500		
shares Additional paid-in capital	53 29,686	53 29 <b>,</b> 252
Treasury stock, at cost, 584,751 shares and 687,879 shares, respectively Accumulated deficit Accumulated other comprehensive income		(1,905) (6,302) 200
Total stockholders' equity	 24,070	 21,298
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	49,580	•

WAYSIDE TECHNOLOGY GROUP, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME AND COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (Unaudited) (In thousands, except per share data)

Six months	Three months
ended	ended

	2007	30, 2006	2007	2006
Net Sales Cost of sales	\$90,962 82,170	\$76,800 68,897	\$44,040 39,703	\$41,438 37,379
Gross profit Selling, general and administrative expenses	8,792	7,903 5,891	4,337	4,059
Income from operations Interest income, net Realized foreign exchange gain	_	2,012 279 2	1	1
Income before income tax provision Provision for income taxes	3,247 1,298	2,293 921	1,596 637	1,302 521
Net income	\$ 1,949	\$ 1,372	\$ 959	\$ 781
Net income per common share - Basic	\$ 0.44	\$ 0.33	\$ 0.22	\$ 0.19
Net income per common share - Diluted	\$ 0.42	\$ 0.31	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.17
Weighted average common shares outstanding - Basic	-	4,137	-	-
Weighted average common shares outstanding - Diluted		4,474		
Reconciliation to comprehensive income	:			
Net income Other comprehensive income, net of tax:	\$ 1,949	\$ 1 <b>,</b> 372	\$ 959	\$ 781
Unrealized gain on marketable securities Foreign currency translation	-	15	-	8
adjustments	162	58	143	47
Total comprehensive income		\$ 1,445 ======		\$ 836 =====

Source: Wayside Technology Group, Inc.