

## Limousine Management Systems joins forces with GroundWidgets™

January 28, 2013 – GroundWidgets (GW), an innovative software and technology development company is pleased to announce the acquisition of Limousine Management Systems (LMS) effective December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2012 to deliver the next wave of automation technology to LMS customers and the limousine and chauffeured transportation industry.

Limousine Management Systems, Inc. (LMS) is a leading provider of back office automation software for the limousine and chauffeured transportation industry. LMS offers a very flexible and cost effective solution to their customers. Their solutions are designed to help a limousine company operate their business by streamlining day to day business processes. LMS has been serving the limousine & ground transportation industry for more than 30 years and is highly regarded within the marketplace.

"Joining forces with GroundWidgets was a logical next step for LMS and its ongoing evolution. Our team has been working with GroundWidgets for several years and was impressed with the innovative and next generation of products they are developing to accelerate automation for the limousine industry. LMS has always focused on delivering great products to its customer base and combining forces with GroundWidgets enables us to expand our portfolio of products as well as add resources for development and support," says Nick Chernin, President of LMS.

"Nick and the LMS team share our core philosophy and approach to serving the ground transportation industry. Over the past year, we realized that our mission, core values and strategic direction were very synergistic and we shared a common philosophy on how to deliver great value and products to the customer base. Combining our resources with LMS will help accelerate the delivery of innovative products to the industry and we are privileged to have an industry veteran like Nick Chernin as part of the GroundWidgets team" says Apurva Patel, Chairman of GroundWidgets.

GroundWidgets and LMS will be integrating their operations and software products in coming months to offer operational excellence and efficiency never before envisioned in the ground transportation industry within a suite of comprehensive and easy to use applications that seamlessly work together. Joining forces enables LMS and GroundWidgets to combine resources and focus on building the next generation of software that streamlines workflow management, develop innovative products like Mobile Apps and GPS solutions that will enable ground transportation companies to achieve higher levels of customer satisfaction and improve profit margins.

GroundWidgets and LMS will be exhibiting and introducing new products in booth #75 at the upcoming LCT Show in Las Vegas from February 5-7<sup>th</sup>, 2013.

## **About Limousine Management Systems:**

With over 30 years of industry experience and leadership, LMS is a pioneer in computerized reservation systems. Through dedicated industry research and input, LMS Gold was created to improve the efficiency, organization and professional image of the ground transportation industry. LMS Gold for Windows is a very simple, easy to use, flexible product that addresses the many facets of operating a ground transportation service. For more information on LMS, visit www.lmsgold.com

## **About GroundWidgets:**

GroundWidgets is an entrepreneurial technology company driven and managed by founding developers and technologists. GroundWidgets is exclusively focused on consulting and development of applications for the ground transportation industry harnessing the collective institutional knowledge of its founders and their experience of over 25 years in the ground transportation industry. For further information you are invited to visit our home at www.groundwidgets.com