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Jack Cooper Transport, LLC Is Officially Certified as a Woman-Owned Business

KANSAS CITY, Mo – On December 17, 2020, Jack Cooper Transport, LLC was officially certified as a Women’s Business Enterprise by the Women's Business Enterprise National Council.

The prestigious WBE Certification validates that the business is at least 51 percent owned, controlled, operated and managed by a woman or women. The certification is rigorous and includes formal documentation and a site visit, which was conducted virtually due to COVID-19 restrictions.

Sarah Riggs Amico, Jack Cooper’s Executive Chairperson, said, “We are the second largest motor vehicle carrier and the largest carrier with a unionized workforce. It is an honor to be recognized by the Women’s Business Enterprise National Council and it’s especially meaningful in this industry, where we are still far from reaching gender parity in leadership or workforce representation. Our successful restructuring in 2019 that saved thousands of jobs and our ability to mitigate the negative impacts of the 2020 pandemic are a testament to the value of and the need for a participatory leadership style that women-leaders embrace.”

About WBENC

The Women’s Business Enterprise National Council (WBENC) is the largest certifier of women-owned businesses in the U.S. and a leading advocate for women business owners and entrepreneurs. WBENC provides the most relied upon certification standard for women-owned businesses as well as tools to help them succeed.

About Jack Cooper

In 1928, Jack Cooper founded a carrier for General Motors in Kansas City, Missouri. Since then, Jack Cooper Holdings grew to include several businesses and a full range of automotive transportation and logistics services spanning the United States, Mexico, and Canada. It has one of the largest fleets of finished vehicle carriers in North America.

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