

## Distinctive Drywall announces purchase of Vantage Painting September 12, 2016

**Blaine, MN** – Locally owned Distinctive Drywall announced today the purchase of Vantage Painting of St. Paul, MN effective September 2, 2016.

The goal of combining forces is to offer customers a more complete package, and to provide a stress-free and enjoyable experience. There are many advantages to offering both paint and drywall, but simply having two companies under single ownership does not ensure success. Distinctive Drywall is taking a cohesive approach to the acquisition and will continue to streamline operations so that both divisions work seamlessly together. "One of our strengths is having the expertise and experience on both the drywall and painting sides of the business under one roof", said Joe Shimanski, Owner of Distinctive Drywall.

Nate Hopeman, founder of Vantage Painting, will stay on with Distinctive Drywall to lead sales and estimating for the painting division. "I wasn't actively looking to sell my business," said Nate Hopeman, "but the more we talked, the more I felt like this was an opportunity to be a part of something better. We have high aspirations: we aren't simply looking to be successful – we want to be the best."

"Over the last couple of years we've been testing and measuring adding painting as one of our services. I continue to see a lot of opportunity with being able to better control quality and offer our customers more value," said Joe Shimanski. "We've been working with Vantage Painting for about a year and a half. In that time, I've noticed a lot of similarities between our companies. From the quality of work we deliver and how we service our customers to our core values. I'm excited for this opportunity and what we will be able to achieve together."

## **About Distinctive Drywall**

Since 2001, Distinctive Drywall has been in the business of providing exceptional drywall finishes to many of the finest builders and remodelers in the twin cities. Our foundation and culture are based on our company core values: Integrity, Respect, Excellence, Team Work, Attitude, and Gratitude. We are a progressive and innovative company that has a passion for delivering an exceptional customer experience. We are inspired by making a positive impact within our industry and the communities in which we live and work. (http://distinctivedrywallinc.com/)

## **About Vantage Painting**

Vantage Painting is a local painting company who has been providing premium quality painting services to St. Paul, Minneapolis, and the surrounding Twin Cities Metro since 2008. Vantage Painting provides a full line of interior and exterior painting services. Our clients include homeowners, builders, remodelers, property managers, and more. (http://www.vantagepainting.com/)

## **Distinctive Drywall**

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