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Rich Bowen, NACET Moonshot Mission Control Award Recipient

Kinney Construction Services, Inc. (KCS) is honored to announce that their development arm, Genterra Enterprises's Senior Vice President, Rich Bowen, received the Mission Control Award at the Annual Shoemaker Entrepreneur Awards Dinner on Friday, June 17th. This prestigious event was held at Little America and presented by NACET Moonshot (Northern Arizona Center for Entrepreneurship and Technology).

Moonshot is an organization that helps moonshot thinkers become business pioneers throughout the state of Arizona; they provide office and manufacturing space, education and mentorship, and a community of likeminded entrepreneurs. Their vast network and wealth of knowledge have helped dreamers from across the state thrive as entrepreneurs. The organization knows that not everyone can be an astronaut, but believes we can all be moonshot-thinking innovators. Rich was honored with The Mission Control Award for his dedication and commitment to help develop the 501c3 non-profit organization.

When asked about the award, Rich proclaimed "I was so fortunate to have the opportunity to be involved from the beginning with several great community leaders in creating and building NACET/Moonshot. It is a prime example of what community collaboration can do to create a vision for building an entrepreneurial and startup community. This award reflects the work of many leaders and collaborators."

The Annual Shoemaker Entrepreneur Awards Dinner celebrates go-getting trailblazers, both from Flagstaff and across Arizona. Prescott Bark came out triumphant as the winner of the state-wide AZ Pioneer Pitch Tour, taking home a \$10,000 cash prize provided by APS. Other people and organizations recognized at the 2nd Annual Shoemaker Awards include Restoration Soils as the Innovative Waste & CDR Challenge winner; Katalyst Space Technologies and Grubcan taking home the Moonshot Entrepreneur Award; Kenney Greene, Founder of War2In, receiving the Honorary 2022 Shoemaker Award; and Dr. Robert Kellar receiving the 2022 Shoemaker Award.

"In Flagstaff, the NACET Moonshot 37,000 SF startup business incubator and accelerator space, built over the past 15 years, has been critical to building Flagstaff's fast-growing bioscience, technology, medical products, and software companies that are heading towards becoming major employers. Under the leadership of NACET Moonshot CEO Scott Hathcock, NACET Moonshot has become a statewide force operating incubators and programs in Phoenix, Tucson, Verde Valley, and Winslow. The NACET Moonshot impact has grown wider, reaching other states in Nevada, Washington, and more", Rich stated about the progress and potential opportunity for entrepreneurs across Arizona.

About Genterra Enterprises: Genterra Enterprises is a comprehensive real estate development firm creating excellence through expertise, partnerships, and innovative financing. Genterra Enterprises provides the highest quality of services focused on healthy communities and sustainable growth. Their areas of expertise include Healthcare, Science & Technology, University & Private Research & Development, Single & Multi-Family Housing, Arts & Culture, and Hospitality.

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