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HEBL MEETS WITH UNIVERSAL SILENCER EXECUTIVES TO DISCUSS JOB TRAINING

STOUGHTON - State Representative Gary Hebl (D-Sun Prairie) met with executives from Universal Silencer earlier this month to discuss the importance of creating jobs in emerging markets and offering incentives to companies that provide job training right here in Wisconsin.

“Universal Silencer is a great company that has tapped into an important area of the global marketplace,” Hebl said after meeting with executives from the Stoughton-based company. “I was pleased to meet with the leadership of a great company such as Universal Silencer to discuss ways the state can work with them to bring about economic development.

Universal Silencer is a premiere global designer and manufacturer of acoustic and emissions systems. Universal Silencer is an independently owned company that has 300 employees worldwide.

Hebl met with Randy Olson, Vice President of American Markets and Gordon Matz, Business Development Manager, of Universal Silencer. During the presentation, Olson and Matz briefed Rep. Hebl on the company’s markets, client base, growth potential and some of the ways in which Wisconsin State Government can play a role in assisting with the development of their business.

Olson and Matz emphasized the importance of having a highly trained workforce to design, market and manufacture systems Universal Silencer produces for companies such as Solar Turbines, Man Diesel and General Electric.

“We need to be on the forefront of attracting growth industries and emerging markets to our state and our region,” Hebl said. “The generation of family supporting ‘green-color’ jobs that Universal Silencer provides in Dane County is just the type of economic development we need to have here in Wisconsin.”

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