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EnCAP-IT, Beneficial Soil Solutions, and Hilltop Enterprises Announce Strategic Partnership

RICHMOND, Va., November 16, 2017 – EnCAP-IT, Beneficial Soil Solutions and Hilltop Enterprises today announced a strategic partnership, which was formed to deliver *safeBERM*[®] solutions to various landfills, industrial sites, land developers and other sites that require environmental protection readiness throughout the Northeast. The entity will operate as Berm Material Management.

“For the last seven years, EnCAP-IT has combined innovation, technology and leadership to provide services and solutions that are highly valued by our clients,” said John Swenson, EnCAP-IT’s Managing Partner. *“This partnership allows the *safeBERM*[®] solutions to reach all clients that require innovative ways to meet and exceed their environmental challenges.”*



“Partnering with EnCAP-IT and Beneficial Soil Solutions is truly unique opportunity for Hilltop to deliver exactly the type of challenging yet important projects we are committed to developing and providing.” said Albert Silkroski, Hilltop’s founder and President. *“We are excited to be working with clear industry leaders in their respective field.”*

“Working together, EnCAP-IT, Hilltop and Beneficial Soil Solutions will be able to combine their expertise, experiences and mutual contacts to bring valuable solutions to their clients. We are dedicated to solving today’s environmental challenges – creating a brighter future for our clients and communities.” said Rick O’Brien, BSS’s founder and President.

EnCAP-IT *safeBERM*[®] solutions are **Proven, Rapid, Reliable and Sustainable** options compared to traditional methods. Unlike constructing traditional berms, structural fills, or impoundment closures the *safeBERM*[®] solutions have an internal geomembrane envelope that completely encapsulates the fill material.

Advantageously, this encapsulation enables the use of beneficial reuse material as construction fill to construct berms, structural fills, or perform closures at a cost generally less than traditional methods while dramatically increasing safety features.

The company continues to develop **safeBERM**[®] solutions; providing clients methods that ensure proper, long-term environmental stewardship for the communities in which they serve.

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EnCAP-IT is a privately held company founded in 2009 and based in Glen Allen, Virginia, which licenses its technology and services to the waste management and power industries, among others. EnCAP-IT's proprietary methods of macroencapsulation for coal combustion residuals and other production byproducts are environmentally beneficial and highly cost-effective.

The company's corporate website is <http://www.mseberms.com>.

Hilltop Enterprises is a full-service Transportation & Disposal, Ash Management and On-Site Treatment Services Company headquartered in West Chester, Pennsylvania. Since 1999, they have been committed to be the most responsive, safety-oriented service provider that is dedicated to coordinating a multi-disciplinary solution to fit your goals and objectives.

The company's corporate website is <http://hilltopenterprises.com>.

Beneficial Soil Solutions has over twenty years in the industry, their customers benefit from the vast experiences of our founders, who have industry specific experience in facility ownership, technology development and material end use development. In addition, BSS continually evaluates emerging technologies dedicated to the beneficial reuse of waste materials, to ensure that their customers have the latest, most effective and most efficient options available.

The company's corporate website is <http://www.beneficialsoil.com>.

