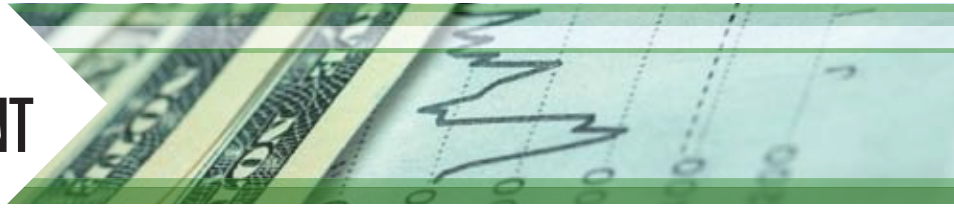




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Alliance Cost Containment Generates Savings for Great Stops Convenience Store Chain

Louisville, KY – December 29, 2009 – Alliance Cost Containment (ACC), a provider of cost control consulting services for all types of businesses, today announced the completion of a cost control and savings audit for Great Stops, a regional chain of convenience stores, restaurants and laundromats located in North Carolina.

Controlling costs and cutting budgets is of paramount importance during these economic times. With ACC, companies are able to realize savings that CEOs never thought possible. For instance, ACC worked with Great Stops and conducted an operations audit of all eight locations, ultimately yielding savings in excess of \$65,000 per year.

The most significant savings were achieved in the following areas:

- \$18,000 in washing machine replacement parts & detergents;
- \$11,600 on office supplies;
- \$14,000 on armored car service;
- \$8,000 in waste disposal;
- \$4,800 in overnight mail and small package delivery.

According to Frank Sutton, CEO of Great Stops, "Alliance Cost Containment located savings that I never thought possible. Their great attention to detail and experience in supplier aggregation helped us cut costs without cutting people."

"ACC's proven methodology has saved significant dollars for not-for-profit organizations and institutions throughout the United States, just as it has for our many for-profit clients. We work hard to provide a transparent process, consistent implementation follow-through and detailed data tracking to clearly document our results, results organizations can count on, too," said Miles Lee, CEO of Alliance Cost Containment.

About Alliance Cost Containment

Miles Lee is President of Alliance Cost Containment (ACC), a national procurement services firm that specializes in cost reduction, group purchasing and vendor management for middle market companies. For more information on ACC, visit ACC's website at www.alliancecost.com or call 866-364-2824.

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