Mesa Sprinkler acquires Horizon Turf

TEMPE, Ariz. — Mesa Sprinkler Inc., a full-service irrigation distributor, has acquired Horizon Turf, a Phoenix-based company specializing in the sale and service of turf maintenance products and power equipment.

"By purchasing Horizon Turf, we will be able to provide both companies' existing customers with a broader range of goods and services," said David Lange, president and founder of Mesa Sprinkler. "Additionally, we will be able to package goods and services to provide a complete turf-care solution for golf courses, commercial development and residential properties."

Mesa has 120 employees, does more than $46 million in annual sales, and operates three locations in the metropolitan Phoenix area, two in Las Vegas, one in Tucson and operates five locations in Washington, D.C. and one in Oregon under the name Evergreen Pacific Supply Co. Horizon Turf, with its 45 employees (in Arizona, Nevada and Mexico) brings $15 million in annual sales to the table.

According to Mesa, the acquisition makes Mesa Sprinkler the exclusive distributor of Rain Bird Golf Irrigation systems and Jacobsen turf equipment in Arizona. A name change is planned in the future to reflect the broader range of goods and services now provided by the company.

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The Millcreek "Quick-Ship" program guarantees next day shipping of any Millcreek core aerator, when phone orders are received by 1 p.m. on any business day. Buyers pay no freight charges if Millcreek fails to meet the deadline.

Millcreek features 12 turf aerators, including front-mount versions that attach to commercial up-front mowers, three-point hitch models, and tow-behind models.