

## **Superior Industries Honored With 2006 World Excellence Award By Ford Motor Company**

VAN NUYS, CALIFORNIA -- April 20, 2007 -- **Superior Industries International, Inc. (NYSE:SUP)** announced today that it has been awarded Ford Motor Company's highest supplier honor, the World Excellence Gold Award for 2006, at ceremonies on April 17, 2007 at the Henry Ford Museum in Dearborn, Michigan.

"We appreciate the contributions Superior has made to Ford Motor Company, and applaud them for their hard work and dedication," said Tony (Thomas K.) Brown, senior vice president, Global Purchasing. "Superior's efforts have had a positive impact on customer satisfaction. This Gold Award recognizes their accomplishment."

Steven Borick, President and Chief Executive Officer of Superior, said, "We are pleased to receive the World Excellence Gold Award from Ford Motor Company, one of our most important customers for over thirty years. We are committed to continuing to meet Ford Motor Company's quality, price and delivery requirements and helping them deliver satisfaction to their customers for years to come."

### **Ford Motor Company World Excellence Award**

The Ford Motor Company World Excellence Award, now in its ninth year, is given to suppliers that excel in quality, cost and delivery. There are three levels of World Excellence Awards – Gold, Silver and Recognition of Achievement. This year, there were 15 Gold Awards, 34 Silver Awards and 6 Recognition of Achievement Awards.

### **About Superior Industries**

Superior supplies aluminum wheels to Ford, General Motors, DaimlerChrysler, Audi, BMW, Isuzu, Jaguar, Land Rover, Mazda, MG Rover, Mitsubishi, Nissan, Subaru, Toyota, and Volkswagen. For additional information, visit [www.supind.com](http://www.supind.com).

### **Forward-Looking Statements**

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