

Meramec Electrical Products **HONORED WITH MISSOURI IMPACT! AWARD, SENATE AND HOUSE RESOLUTIONS**

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Meramec Electrical Products was honored at the 2011 Business Program Development Celebration: Stars of Innovation and Entrepreneurship with the “Missouri impact! Award For Continuous Improvement in Manufacturing Excellence, Exceptional Innovation and Growth Strategies.” President/CEO Nick Sanazaro was in the state capitol to receive the award, which is presented by Missouri Enterprise, an ISO Certified Hollings Manufacturing Extension Partnership Center and part of the largest consulting organization focused on small



President/CEO Nick Sanazaro receives a copy of the House of Representatives Resolution from Rep. Jason Smith (District 150).



President/CEO Nick Sanazaro (left) accepts the Missouri impact! Award from Missouri Enterprise's Brad Armstrong.

and medium-sized manufacturers in the United States. “Meramec Electrical Products is truly setting an example for other Missouri companies to follow on the journey to world class status,” Missouri Enterprise CEO Dusty Cruise wrote, “[The] company has been selected as a result of the superb job in developing and implementing manufacturing processes, growth strategies, and the contributions to economic development in our state.”

Additionally, Meramec Electrical Products was recognized by the Missouri State Legislature for their outstanding performance with Resolutions passed in both the House of Representatives and the Senate that coincided with the award ceremony. Representative Jason Smith (District 150) presented Mr. Sanazaro with the House document, while Senator Dan Brown (16th District) was on hand to present the Senate variant. “I am very pleased to accept this award on behalf of the company, our employees who work tirelessly to ensure our success, and the Board of Directors,” Sanazaro said. “This honor is a testament to the fact that our efforts to develop Meramec Electrical Products into a global leader in CT manufacturing have been successful, and reaffirms our commitment to excellence as we continue to grow our business in the future.”

Meramec Electrical Products was founded in 1969 by Andrew Sanazaro, Sr., and has since grown to be the largest manufacturer of bushing current transformers in the Western Hemisphere.