NEWS RELEASE

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**Manitowoc and FIMI celebrate 25-year partnership at GIS 2017**

* *FIMI has been a distributor of Manitowoc’s Grove cranes since 1992.*
* *Celebrating with Manitowoc were FIMI owners, Giuseppe Milazzo and Adriano Filesi.*
* *Over the past 25 years FIMI has helped Manitowoc forge a strong footprint in Italy.*

Manitowoc and FIMI have marked 25 years of partnership by celebrating at GIS 2017 in Piacenza, Italy. The dealership, based in San Benedetto del Tronto, central Italy, has supplied Manitowoc products since 1992. FIMI is responsible for the distribution of the Grove range of mobile cranes in the southern parts of Italy and the islands of Sicily and Sardinia. It also manages Manitowoc Crane Care aftersales support in the country.

FIMI owners Giuseppe Milazzo and Adriano Filesi marked the occasion in a small ceremony with Manitowoc during the Italian tradeshow.

“FIMI is the type of dealer that all manufacturers would like to have in their network,” said Davide Camperi, area sales manager for mobile cranes at Manitowoc in Italy. “Its experience of the mobile crane market is vital to our success in the region. Having represented our Grove mobile crane range for a quarter of a century, FIMI has helped Manitowoc create a strong footprint in Italy. We’re here to say a big ‘thank you’ for all the company’s efforts. Here’s to the next 25 years!”

Established in 1983, FIMI is a well-known and seasoned Manitowoc dealer. In addition to Manitowoc cranes, it also offers a range of transportation and construction equipment. Having specialized in cranes, aerial platforms and industrial vehicles for more than three decades, FIMI has the knowledge and expertise to provide the best possible service to customers.

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ABOUT THE MANITOWOC COMPANY, INC.

Founded in 1902, The Manitowoc Company, Inc. is a leading global manufacturer of cranes and lifting solutions with manufacturing, distribution, and service facilities in 20 countries.  Manitowoc is recognized as one of the premier innovators and providers of crawler cranes, tower cranes, and mobile cranes for the heavy construction industry, which are complemented by a slate of industry-leading aftermarket product support services. In 2016, Manitowoc’s net sales totaled $1.6 billion, with over half generated outside the United States.

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