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MetalX Announces Key Leadership Appointments to Support Strategic Growth

FORT WAYNE, Indiana (April 21, 2025) – MetalX, a leader in aluminum recycling and processing, today announced a series of strategic leadership appointments to strengthen its executive team and support the company’s ongoing growth and vision.

Neal Rifkin, co-founder of MetalX, will maintain his role as President. Neal co-founded the company with his late father, Danny Rifkin, whose vision, passion, and commitment to integrity continue to serve as the foundation of MetalX’s values and culture.

Stan Gish will transition into the role of Chief Executive Officer (CEO). With a strong track record of leadership and strategic insight, Gish will guide MetalX’s long-term growth, market development, and industry positioning. Before joining MetalX, Gish spent over 30 years in various technical and operational roles at Logan Aluminum and Tri-Arrows Aluminum.

Doug Forbes has been appointed Chief Operating Officer (COO). In this role, Forbes will oversee day-to-day operations and ensure MetalX maintains operational efficiency, continues growth in production capacity and team alignment across all business units.

“These leadership changes mark a pivotal moment in our journey,” said Neal Rifkin, President of MetalX. “We are building on a legacy that my dad and I started together, and I know he would be proud of where we are headed. With the right people in the right roles, we’re well-positioned to continue growing and delivering value for our partners, our team, and the communities we serve.”

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About MetalX

MetalX is an independent metals recycling business founded in 2012 by Danny and Neal Rifkin, third and fourth generation members of the Rifkin family, whose history in the industry is well-known. MetalX is engaged in nonferrous scrap processing, consulting & management services, and the application of new technologies for aluminum and copper recycling. The company is headquartered in Fort Wayne, Indiana. For more information, contact Michelle Shakoor at mshakoor@metalx.net or by phone at 260.232.3031.