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DLZ 2016 Marked DLZ's 100th Year of Service!

For 100 years, DLZ has been providing superior client service, improving our infrastructure and solving nation's design architecture, engineering and challenges. As proud descendents of a long and rich heritage, the firm has grown to be one of the best in the nation. In 2016, DLZ celebrates 100 years of providing architectural and engineering services. While the company's founder, Vikram (Raj) Rajadhyaksha, began to acquire the companies that became DLZ in 1978, several divisions of DLZ have been providing professional services since 1916. Today, DLZ has grown to be a nationally-recognized firm with nearly 600 people in 20 offices across the nation.

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As one of the top consulting firms in the architectural, engineering, and surveying industry, DLZ is ranked by Engineering News Record (ENR) as one of the Top 150 Design Firms in the United States and the 10th largest in the Midwest. DLZ provides complete engineering and architectural services as well as construction services and other specialized services including surveying, right-of-way acquisition, and materials testing. A family- and minority-owned DLZ's multidisciplinary, firm,



collaborative approach allows the company to build and lead successful project teams that are dedicated to providing solutions that save money, improve operations, and solve problems.

As a firm that has been around for 100 years, DLZ's reputation of providing excellent client service remains consistent. DLZ is proud of their record of repeat business. Their client base says it all – 85% of their work is from repeat business. The company views relationships with its clients as a long-term engagement and take the time to invest themselves in developing a professional relationship that will be beneficial to clients and to DLZ throughout the project and on future projects. It's a standard that DLZ is extremely proud of.

DLZ's clients and talented employees have made this 100 year milestone possible. The company has partnered with local governments and agencies for nearly a century to make communities a better place to live. State governments have trusted DLZ's services for decades, and DLZ realizes the impact that the company has made in the communities in which they serve. Their vision is simple: Create successful partnerships with clients that facilitate trust, commitment, and communication. They approach each project realizing that clients' needs and wants are unique and stand behind the work that they do. ENR has consistently recognized DLZ as a Top 100 Firm for Pure Design; Top 50 Program Management Firm; and Top 100 Construction Management for Fee Firm. DLZ has also been recognized by Trenchless Technologies as a Top 50 Trenchless Design Firm and by Roads & Bridges magazine as a Top "Go-To" Design Firm for road and highway, storm water, and mass transit design.

DLZ is pleased to have shaped into a premier architectural and engineering firm. But most importantly, DLZ is proud to have provided solutions to so many of their clients' most complex challenges -- when they needed it most.



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