

## CONSOR ENGINEERS, LLC ANNOUNCES ACQUISITION OF U.S. UNDERWATER

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CONSOR Engineers, LLC is excited to announce the acquisition of U.S. Underwater Services, LLC. This group of talented individuals brings strategic benefits to CONSOR by enhancing our national diving capabilities, expanding our municipal reach, and diversifying us into the energy market.

CONSOR is a North American transportation and water engineering firm providing services including planning and design, structural assessment, and construction services. CONSOR's collective strength builds on combined 144-year legacy with a project portfolio spanning thousands of infrastructure projects across North America. With 45+ offices across the US and Canada, CONSOR is approaching 850 employees including more than 165 professional licensed engineers. In 2020, the firm was ranked #125 on *Engineering News-Record*'s list of the top 500 design firms. CONSOR is also a national leader in underwater inspection, which will be complemented and enhanced by this recent acquisition.

Located in Mansfield, Texas, U.S. Underwater specializes in industrial diving for inspection, repair, and maintenance services for both inland and offshore projects. Their clients represent a broad array of industries including municipalities, oil and gas, shipping, defense, power generation, construction, and marine infrastructure. U.S. Underwater has performed tens of thousands of inland diving projects and has also conducted more oil rig inspections in the Gulf of Mexico than any other diving firms over the last 20 years. The firm has been a member of the Association of Diving Contractors International since 1998 and has an unwavering commitment to employee safety.

"We are extremely pleased to welcome U.S. Underwater to the CONSOR family," commented Sandeep Patil, CEO of CONSOR. "Their underwater experience and location in north Texas provide technical and geographic advantages for our Structural Assessment division's underwater diving capabilities. Their relationship with municipal agencies, reputation in the inland infrastructure and offshore industry, and impeccable safety record make them a perfect addition to CONSOR."

"U.S. Underwater is proud and excited to join the CONSOR team," remarked Bryan Nicholls, President of U.S. Underwater. "This is a partnership between two highly compatible firms, each holding similar values and philosophies for doing business: delivering excellence and value to our clients with an emphasis on quality and safety."

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