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Blue Marble Energy Corp. Announces Successful Close of Series A Financing

SEATTLE – Blue Marble Energy Corp. announced today that it had closed its series A financing round. The infusion of capital assures the company of the resources to continue its ground-breaking development of technology that converts a wide variety of cellulosic biomass materials (such as algae, invasive plants and food waste) into a sustainable source of valuable biochemicals and natural gas.

As part of the agreement, the lead investor has joined the board of Blue Marble Energy.

Kelly Ogilvie, co-founder and CEO of Blue Marble Energy, said he was particularly pleased given the extreme pressure on capital markets. “With the tightness in the financing markets, it is very gratifying to see the faith that the market is placing in our vision of the future of biochemicals and renewable energy from flexible waste biomass feedstocks,” Ogilvie said.

Blue Marble Energy is in the final stages of building out its integrated demonstration facility in Seattle. Learn more at bluemarbleenergy.net.

Blue Marble Energy Nominated for World Technology Award

NEW YORK - The World Technology Network (WTN) announced that Blue Marble Energy Corp. has been selected as nominee for a 2009 WTN Award, eligible to win in the category of Energy. The WTN Summit and Awards gala will be presented by the World Technology Network in association with TIME magazine, Fortune magazine, and Science magazine, among others.

Winners will be announced on July 16, 2009 at the World Technology Awards gala ceremony held in the historic TIME & Life Building in New York City, after a two-day World Technology Summit. The awards honor individuals and corporations from 20 technology-related sectors viewed by their peers as being the most innovative and doing the work of the greatest long-term significance. Award categories range from biotechnology, space and energy through to ethics, design and entertainment.

“We are delighted to have been nominated for the Energy category of the 2009 World Technology Awards. Recognition from our peers is a great honor and hugely gratifying to BME.” – Kelly Ogilvie, CEO Blue Marble Energy

The nominees are identified over a period of several months and in 60 countries by current WTN members (primarily elected WTN Fellows from previous Awards cycles). After the initial nomination, the WTN gathers further information regarding nominees and individual WTN members vote for their choice within their relevant category. The top five selections in each

category are announced from the podium on stage at the Awards ceremony, and inducted into the WTN as Corporate Members. The Winner of each category receives an Award on stage and has a moment to comment on their innovative work to those assembled.

A brief selection of those WTN members in the 20 different award categories who were nominated in recent years includes:

- Osamu Chisaki, Executive Director, Japan Bioindustry Association
- Tim Berners-Lee, Director, World Wide Web Consortium (W3c)
- Niklas Zennstrom, CEO & Founder, Skype
- Gordon Moore, Co-Founder, Intel
- Hal Harvey, Environment Program Director, William & Flora Hewlett Foundation; Former President, The Energy Foundation
- Richard Marks, Manager, Special Projects, Sony Computer Entertainment
- Itsuo Sakane, Emeritus President, International Academy Of Media Arts And Sciences (Iamas)
- Mark Chopplet, President, Adebio (French Association Of Biotechnology)
- Kristine Pearson, President, The Freeplay Foundation
- Elon Musk, Chairman & CEO, SpaceX
- Don Peppers, Co-Founder, Peppers & Rogers Group; Author “One To One Future”
- Fred Von Lohmann, Senior Intellectual Property Attorney, Electronic Frontier Foundation
- Sir Martin Sweeting, Chief Executive, Surrey Satellite Technology Ltd
- Jim Fruchterman, President & CEO, The Benetech Initiative
- Peter Singer, Ira W. Decamp Professor Of Bioethics, Princeton University
- Amory Lovins, Co-Founder & CEO, Rocky Mountain Institute

About The World Technology Network

The World Technology Network is a New York-headquartered organization that was created to "encourage serendipity" - happy accidents - amongst those individuals and companies deemed by their peers to be the most innovative in the science and technology world. The WTN's areas of interest range from IT and communications to biotech, energy, materials, space, as well as related fields such as finance, marketing, policy, law, design, and ethics. Each year, WTN members are brought together through an ongoing global series of regional roundtables, global Summits, and other events. The WTN has also convened the World Energy Technologies Summit at UNESCO headquarters in Paris. The central events in the WTN calendar include the annual World Technology Summit and World Technology Awards - the culmination of a global judging program through which new members are nominated and selected and by which the network grows and is refreshed.

About Blue Marble Energy

Blue Marble Energy (BME) is a Seattle based company generating biomethane and biochemicals from organic waste biomass such as algae, invasive species, agricultural waste, and food waste.

BME is developing the technology for distributed energy production that has military, local and regional government, and industrial applications.

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