

Minnesota Cattlemen's Association presents award to FUI's Artex Manufacturing

Artex Manufacturing in Redwood Falls knows being a farmer is tough, so those who design, build, market and deliver its products do it with those farmers in mind.



Artex is one of several divisions of Farmers Union Industries, which is a premier provider of agricultural products, offering services to its members and customers, and as one of the company's entities strives to put out the best product on the market.

Artex was recognized recently for its efforts by an organization whose members utilize its products in their operations. In December the

Minnesota State Cattlemen's Association presented the 2015 Beef Service Industry Award to Artex. The award was presented to Artex for its demonstration of outstanding leadership while making positive and lasting professional contributions to the cattle community in Minnesota.

"Since purchasing Artex in 2008, it has been an extraordinary journey to watch all of our employees come together to produce some of the toughest farm equipment in the industry," said Duane Anderson, Farmers Union Industries president and CEO. "We are extremely grateful for the award that the Minnesota Cattlemen's Association has presented us with, and we would not be the business we are today without their support and encouragement.

Artex Manufacturing is the strongest little business in the greatest little town. For more than 40 years, Artex has manufactured the world's toughest line of manure spreaders, silage trailers and truck boxes, and everything, from start to finish, is handled in Redwood Falls. That includes research and development, engineering drawings, forming, welding, metal finishing and final assembly.

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