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## News from The Warranty Group

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### **Tom Murray Named President/COO Resource Automotive**

CHICAGO, November 20, 2008 - Resource Automotive, a unit of The Warranty Group, Inc., the world's leading provider of extended service plans, today announced the appointment of Tom Murray, previously President COO of Resource Dealer Group, as President COO responsible for all North American automotive operations.

“Since joining our company, Tom has continually demonstrated the ability to make a positive impact on our clients’ bottom lines and on the productivity of our sales organization. His leadership has been and will continue to be critical to the success of our growth initiative in North America,” said Mark Mishler, President COO of The Warranty Group, Inc.

Murray began his career in the retail automotive sector in 1983, joining Resource Dealer Group in 2000 and successfully holding the positions of district manager, area manager, account vice president, regional vice president and executive VP/national sales director.

“Murray’s past contributions to our automotive clients and our company have continually received praise, and there is no doubt that Resource Automotive will continue to be the leader in North America under his leadership and direction,” said David L. Cole, Chairman CEO of The Warranty Group, Inc.

#### **About The Warranty Group**

The Warranty Group is the world’s premier provider of extended service plans and related benefits, with operations in 33 countries and 2300 employees. By providing underwriting, claims administration, compliance and marketing expertise, The Warranty Group is a single-source solution for manufacturers, distributors and retailers of consumer goods including autos, homes, consumer electronics, furniture and appliances as well as financial institutions and the travel/leisure industry. [www.TheWG.com](http://www.TheWG.com)

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