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**AGRSS Validation Webinar Set for September 23;
Dow Automotive to Sponsor Event**

The AGRSS Council Inc. has announced that it will hold its second industry-wide webinar on Wednesday, September 23.

“We have an exciting agenda to support the purpose and scope of the validation process and we are delighted to speak firsthand to our industry constituents,” says Joel Timmons, chair of the AGRSS Marketing Committee. “We are proud of the many AGRSS-registered companies and are committed to provide them as much information as possible to make their validation experience a positive.”

This webinar is made possible through the sponsorship of Dow Automotive, an AGRSS affiliate member.

In announcing Dow Automotive’s sponsorship, Phil Jentoft, commercial manager – aftermarket, says, “AGRSS is on an important mission to improve consumer safety and raise the quality standards of the automotive glass replacement industry. We have been a proud member of the Standards Committee since inception and we are committed to the successful implementation of AGRSS throughout our industry. We are happy to share our resources with the AGRSS Council Inc. during this historical launch of the validation process.”

“We are pleased that a member of the auto glass community has stepped forward to cover the costs for this webinar,” says AGRSS Council president Debra Levy. “We are grateful to Dow Automotive for its support of AGRSS Council Inc. Their generosity allows us to use this powerful communication platform while allocating our members’ money for the marketing and promotion of the AGRSS Standard.”

The agenda for the September 23 webinar includes an overview of how the validation process will take place along with helpful information on possible outcome scenarios. There will be useful instruction on how to prepare your company as well as some tips to develop an infrastructure for success. The webinar will begin at 12 p.m. EDT (9 a.m. PDT). Further information will be posted on www.agrss.com closer to the actual event.

The Auto Glass Replacement Safety Standards (AGRSS) Council Inc. is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to the safe replacement of auto glass. AGRSS was founded and is supported by companies in the auto glass replacement industry that keeps safe installation as their primary goal. The Council is also accredited by the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) – a standard development organization – and has developed North America’s only auto glass replacement standard, the AGRSS Standard (ANSI/AGRSS 002-2002). The AGRSS Standard addresses procedures, education and product performance.

Note to editors: Photos are available.