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**MILL CREEK SYSTEMS, INC. ANNOUNCES THAT CONSUMERS ENERGY
CHOOSES RASTER/HYBRID EDITING SOFTWARE, RAS/EDIT, FOR
MICROSTATION AS ITS CORPORATE-WIDE STANDARD**

(Arlington Heights, IL, December 26, 2002) Mill Creek Systems, Inc. announced the acquisition of a new customer, Consumers Energy, for its low cost RAS/Edit raster hybrid editing software for MicroStation. RAS/Edit provides a complete, low cost hybrid editing solution for MicroStation.

Consumers Energy is one of the nation's largest combination utilities. It provides electric and natural gas service to more than 1.7 million residences and businesses, in all 68 counties of Michigan's Lower Peninsula. Consumers Energy is the principal subsidiary of CMS Energy, an international corporation, which is a leader in energy infrastructure businesses.

Consumers Energy maintains thousands of hybrid drawings of 8,000 square miles at outside plant facilities throughout the state of Michigan. They were looking for a cost effective raster-editing package to deploy company-wide throughout their mapping centers.

"It's great to see large companies such as Consumers Energy switch to RAS/Edit. When one considers that the raster editing requirements are very nominal (mostly deleting raster areas) and cost benefits of this program are substantial, choosing it over I/RAS B or DESCARTES is a logical and simple next step in making one's company more time and cost effective," says Warren Newhauser, President, Mill Creek Systems, Inc., Arlington Heights, IL.

RAS/Edit's low annual maintenance costs can provide significant savings per year over legacy raster editing programs. "The Consumers Energy Electric Distribution Records Department uses the RAS/Edit program to maintain all of the company's electric overhead and underground raster facility maps. RAS/Edit has given us a cost effective way to manage our raster files," says Terry A. Parker, Sr., Consumers Energy, Jackson, MI.

For more information on RAS/Edit or for a free 30-day evaluation, please contact Mill Creek Systems, Inc. toll free 1-866-MILLCREEK, via email at info@millcreeksystems.com or visit them on the web at www.millcreeksystems.com.

Since 1992, Mill Creek Systems, Inc. has been dedicated to providing strategic results to its customers through CAD/GIS shrink-wrap as well as custom-solution software products. The company developed the popular RAS/Edit hybrid editing software and TimeTracker utility that tracks time spent in CAD drawings.