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# MGP Ingredients Selects Lambert, Edwards & Associates as IR Firm of Record

**GRAND RAPIDS, Michigan, March 13, 2015** – Lambert, Edwards & Associates (LE&A), a nationally-recognized investor relations and public relations firm and 2013 Financial Agency of the Year (Bulldog), announced that it will be providing investor relations counsel and services to MGP Ingredients, Inc. (NASDAQ:MGPI), a leading producer of ingredients and distillery products. MGP processes value-added protein and starch ingredients, premium beverage alcohol and high quality food grade industrial alcohol in Atchison, Kansas, and premium beverage alcohol at its facility in Lawrenceburg, Ind.

LE&A will develop and implement strategies to elevate MGP's profile and support its investor outreach objectives as the company moves forward under new leadership. The firm will provide a wide array of services, including market intelligence, program development, outreach, and other means of delivering MGP's story to the investment community and other shareholder audiences.

"LE&A's team brings decades of experience with small-cap and mid-cap public companies, which makes our firm a great partner for MGP," said Jeff Lambert, president of Lambert, Edwards & Associates. "MGP is a leader in the premium beverage industry, yet underfollowed by Wall Street, and we look forward to telling their story to analysts, investors and media alike."

### **About MGP Ingredients, Inc.**

MGP is a leading independent supplier of premium spirits, offering flavor innovations and custom distillery blends to the beverage alcohol industry. The company also produces high quality food grade industrial alcohol and formulates grain-based starches and proteins into nutritional and highly functional ingredients for the branded consumer packaged goods industry. The company is headquartered in Atchison, Kansas, where a variety of distilled alcohol products and food ingredients are manufactured. Distilled spirits are also produced at company facilities in Lawrenceburg, Indiana. See more at [www.mgpingredients.com](http://www.mgpingredients.com).

### **About Lambert, Edwards & Associates**

LE&A ([www.lambert-edwards.com](http://www.lambert-edwards.com)) is a top-15 investor relations firm nationally and a top-10 Midwest-based PR firm with clients based in 20 states and five countries. Named the 2013 Financial Agency of the Year by Bulldog Reporter, LE&A has won numerous awards for its integrated investor relations and public relations, including the Silver Anvil for Small-Cap IR Campaign of the Year and the Bulldog "Best Integration of PR and IR." LE&A serves middle-market companies and national brands in five primary practice areas: Automotive, Consumer, Financial Communications, Health Care and Public Affairs. Follow us on [Facebook](#) or Twitter [@LambertEdwards](#), or public company news [@news\\_cap](#).

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