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SarPoint Engineering Prepares for Collection of Updated Street-side Imagery to Assist Fort McMurray Residents in Assessing Neighbourhoods

SarPoint Engineering Ltd. is preparing for a volunteer initiative to collect 360-degree panoramic photography within Fort McMurray neighbourhoods to allow displaced residents to virtually visit their homes via the sitevisit360.com web-based app. It is hoped that this will help evacuees better understand the situation within their neighbourhoods and begin planning for rebuilding.

"There is a lot of anxiety around not knowing the condition of your house or neighbourhood," explains Robert Radovanovic, CEO of SarPoint Engineering, "and at the same time, it could be a considerable period of time before people can return to the area. We felt that this would provide a safe, effective way for people to be able to virtually return, which will relieve some of tensions surrounding this phase of dealing with the fire"

SarPoint plans to deploy its truck-mounted mobile scanning system to collect high-quality panoramic imagery and three-dimensional scan data throughout the affected areas. In addition, imagery and mapping will be provided for free via the SiteVisit360° platform, which is typically used to allow project managers to virtually tour oilfield and construction sites.

"We've got our people on standby, ready to deploy to Fort McMurray as soon as it's safe to do so'" continues Chris Tucker, President, "We are currently contacting the appropriate agencies to determine exactly when we can get clearance to enter the area and to ensure we coordinate correctly."

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About SarPoint

SarPoint is a leader in the collection of 3D laser scan data for as-built and asset management purposes. This high-accuracy, high-density data collection saves considerable costs in completing piping, structural and topographic as-builts, while at the same time reducing risks associated with surveyors working in operating areas.

Resource and construction organizations face challenges unique to their industries. SarPoint Engineering Ltd. is an owner-managed, Alberta-based engineering company that provides innovative solutions to those challenges, channeling our experience and knowledge into tailoring our services to each project.

We have over ten years' experience providing practical, cutting-edge services to the Canadian energy and construction industries. An industry leader in full-service geomatics engineering, land surveying and environmental assessment, SarPoint provides unique precise measurement and monitoring solutions, as well as helping our clients meet their regulatory project requirements.

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