

PARRISH TIRE

COMPANY

September 25, 1998

Mr. Mark Farkhan
Inovex Industries, Inc.
45681 Oakbrook Court, Unit 102
Sterling, VA. 20166

Dear Mark:

Parrish Tire Company was founded in 1946. Over the past 50 years, based on a principle of good customer service-rewarded by customer loyalty-we have become the largest independent commercial tire dealer in North Carolina. We serve large fleet operations as well as State and Government customers.

Parrish Tire Company has five commercial locations to service the North Carolina market. Our growth has expanded outside of North Carolina with two locations in Ohio to better serve the wholesale, commercial and retail business in that area. Our subsidiaries, Discount Tire Concepts, operate in high traffic areas and are the most modern retail tire stores in the triad area. Additionally, Parrish Tire's Wholesale Division services tire companies in the 48 contiguous states.

Parrish Tire is the distributor for Continental, General, Bridgestone, Firestone, Yokohama, and Cooper national brands. We have also developed our own exclusive private brand tire lines that include the Parkway, Turnpike, and TreadTech brands.

Parrish Tire is a certified Bandag retreader with two locations that process 80,000 tires annually. We are currently ranked No. 27 in Modern Tire Dealer's ranking of the largest retreaders in the United States.

Parrish Tire has been searching for a Tire Sealant product that could actually measure up to the claims advertised by the products that have been on the market for years. Up to now, we have been unable to locate a product in which we felt enough confidence to introduce to our commercial fleet and government accounts. After receiving numerous inquiries about Ride-On from our customers, we decided to give your product a try.

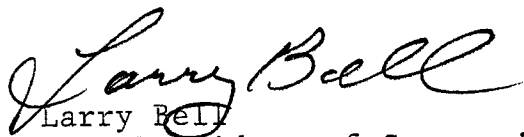
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We thoroughly reviewed Ride-On, and had our retread manager also review your product for compatibility with our Bandag retread process. I have personally called several of your customers and a municipality that I know has been using Ride-On. They also confirmed their satisfaction and success. We then decided to become a Ride-On TPS Distributor.

We are now recommending Ride-On TPS to all of our commercial and wholesale accounts. The commitment by your company to our success with Ride-On TPS is evident by the fact that you and your staff have been in North Carolina four times in the last 30 days for product and sales training to help us launch Ride-On.

We look forward to a long and successful business relationship.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Larry Bell". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name and title.

Larry Bell
Vice President of Commercial Sales

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