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Tri-State Petroleum Announces New Brand Relationship with Marathon Petroleum Company (MPC)

- MPC is Supplying Branded Fuel to All Tri-State Petroleum Locations -

WHEELING, WV, June 22, 2012 – <u>Tri-State Petroleum Corporation</u>, a family-owned convenience store operator and wholesale distributor of motor fuels in Ohio, West Virginia and Pennsylvania, is pleased to announce a new brand relationship with Marathon Petroleum Company (MPC). MPC will be supplying branded fuel to all of Tri-State Petroleum's convenience store locations. Tri-State Petroleum customers can expect to see MPC's name and logo on the canopies and street signs at these locations in the coming weeks and months.

"At Tri-State Petroleum we have always valued the strong relationships we've forged with vendors, suppliers and other business partners," said Colleen C. McGlinn, CEO of Tri-State Petroleum. "That's why we're so pleased to announce a new brand relationship with Marathon Petroleum Company. Partnering with MPC will enable us to offer many benefits to our customers, including quality fuel, competitive fuel prices and new customer loyalty programs."

"This new partnership with Marathon Petroleum Company is just one of many positive changes on the horizon for Tri-State Petroleum this year that will enhance our brand and our customers' experience," added McGlinn.

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For more information about Tri-State Petroleum Corporation, please visit www.fueledbytristate.com.

About Tri-State Petroleum Corporation

Tri-State Petroleum Corporation is a family-owned convenience store operator and wholesale distributor of motor fuels in Ohio, West Virginia and Pennsylvania. Founded in 1974, the company operates convenience stores and services branded accounts and commercial and industrial accounts within the three-state area.