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**AmericInn Hotel Chain Enters Wichita Market**

**Chanhassen, Minn., September 11, 2009** – The national hotel chain AmericInn® announces the opening of the new AmericInn of Wichita South located on 4848 South Laura Street, near Interstate 35 and Interstates 135 and 235. This AmericInn property is the first location in the city of Wichita for the hotel brand. There are currently five AmericInn hotels in the state of Kansas.

Formerly a Holiday Inn Express, the AmericInn of Wichita South will be managed by Frontier Lodging of Aberdeen, S.D. and locally managed by Amanda Ayesh. Many amenities have been enhanced to meet AmericInn's strict standards for quality and guest satisfaction. The hotel has 52 smoke-free guest rooms, a complimentary hot breakfast with eggs, sausage and waffles, free wireless high-speed Internet and an indoor pool and hot tub to offer guests fun and relaxation. A new AmericInn loyalty program is also being introduced at AmericInn of Wichita South to offer local residents and travelers cash incentives for booking their stays.

“AmericInn is thrilled to have a solid presence in the Wichita market,” said Arnold Angeloni, CEO of AmericInn. “This new property, like others in the chain, will offer guests a comfortable, friendly and relaxing hotel experience while on the road.”

Wichita is the largest city in Kansas and is known for its aviation and western heritage. The new AmericInn of Wichita South is located near the Sedgwick County Zoo, Rock River Rapids and Old Town, which is a revitalized warehouse district with turn-of-the-century buildings, brick streets, lights and boardwalks. The area offers visitors shopping, dining and entertainment activities.

***About AmericInn:***

The AmericInn Lodging System is one of the premiere hotel chains in the United States with approximately 230 locations currently open or under development in 22 states, with a large representation in the Upper Midwest. The success and solid growth of the AmericInn Lodging System is due to the chain's commitment to provide friendly service, an affordable stay and a comfortable atmosphere where guests can relax, renew and recharge. AmericInn competes across the mid-scale without food and beverage segment and is franchised by Northcott Hospitality, a Minnesota-based company with headquarters in Chanhassen. For more information or to make a reservation, click on [www.AmericInn.com](http://www.AmericInn.com) or call 1-800-634-3444.



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