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## **NetApp Honors Partners at U.S. Public Sector Partner Summit**

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W.Va., Dec. 06, 2017 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- NetApp (NASDAQ:NTAP) today announced the winners of its annual U.S. Public Sector (USPS) Partner Awards at the NetApp USPS Partner Summit. The Lifetime Achievement Award is given based on the partner's number of successful years in selling NetApp® products. The Innovation Award is granted based on a partner's truly innovative approach to selling the NetApp portfolio. The Revenue Awards are earned based on partners' total revenue for the previous four fiscal guarters.

The 2017 Lifetime Achievement Award winner is:

FCN Inc.

The 2017 Innovation Award winner is:

ViON Corporation

The 2017 Revenue Award winners are:

- Top Civilian VAR Partner of the Year: StorageHawk
- Top DoD VAR Partner of the Year: World Wide Technology Inc.
- Top Intelligence VAR Partner of the Year: ClearShark LLC
- Top SLED VAR Partner of the Year: CDW Holdings LLC
- FSI Partner of the Year: General Dynamics Information Technology and General Dynamics Mission Systems

"Our partner ecosystem is central to NetApp's growth and allows our customers to realize maximum value from their data," said Robert Stein, vice president, U.S. Public Sector, NetApp. "The U.S. Public Sector Partner Award winners exemplify a commitment to excellence that continues to drive market share gains for NetApp and positive business outcomes for our customers."

The NetApp USPS Partner Summit is an invitation-only event for NetApp strategic partners that covers federal, state, and local government and education markets.

## **Additional Resources**

Learn more about NetApp USPS and the products that help drive business and enable data visionaries:

- NetApp USPS contact information
- NetApp All Flash FAS systems
- NetApp EF-Series systems
- FlexPod® data center solution from NetApp and Cisco
- NetApp HCI
- NetApp SolidFire® all-flash storage
- NetApp cloud solutions

## About NetApp

NetApp is the data authority for hybrid cloud. We provide a full range of hybrid cloud data services that simplify management of applications and data across cloud and on-premises environments to accelerate digital transformation. Together with our partners, we empower global organizations to unleash the full potential of their data to expand customer touchpoints, foster greater innovation and optimize their operations. For more information, visit <a href="www.netapp.com">www.netapp.com</a>. #DataDriven

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