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Companies making news: Presbyterian Villages, Alro Steel

SENIOR SERVICES

• Presbyterian Villages of Michigan has received a \$3,900 grant from the Metro Health Foundation to help support PVM's programming in three of PVM's Detroit senior living communities. This program is designed to increase the health and fitness of 150 older adults living at the Village of Harmony Manor, the Village of Bethany Manor and the Village of St. Martha's, along with residents living in the neighborhoods. Programs are designed to prevent the most common health issues facing older adults -- balance, fitness and chronic diseases.

CONSULTING

• **Performant Systems Group**, a business performance management consulting and services company with primary expertise in business intelligence and enterprise data management solutions, has moved its headquarters into new offices on Meadowbrook Road in Novi. In addition to providing much-needed square footage, the move has allowed Performant's Agile BI software factory to gain momentum in providing project delivery services to its clients.

MANUFACTURING

• Jackson-based **Airo Steel** announced the acquisition of certain assets of Anderson Metals' three metals service center facilities. The facilities are in York, Pa., Huntingdon Valley, Pa. and Greensboro, N.C. Anderson Metals has been a key distributor in eastern Pennsylvania and northern North Carolina for many years. The addition of Airo's product range and processing capabilities will benefit Anderson Metals' customers.

INSURANCE

• Pennsylvania-based Donegal Group announced that it had completed the acquisition of **Michigan Insurance Co.**, which was a majority-owned subsidiary of West Bend Mutual Insurance Co. Donegal Group estimates that the purchase price will be about \$40 million. Michigan Insurance Co. writes various lines of property and casualty insurance.

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