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LINX Lighting + Controls Announces the Appointment of Industry Visionary David Komonosky, LEED, AP as Principal

January 27, 2026 — Costa Mesa, CA — LINX Lighting + Controls today announced a landmark addition to its executive leadership team with the appointment of **David Komonosky, LEED AP, as Principal**. Widely regarded as one of the most influential and forward-thinking leaders in the architectural lighting and controls industry, Komonosky's move marks a pivotal moment for LINX and the broader Southern California lighting community.

With more than 30 years of industry experience, Komonosky brings a rare combination of technical expertise, entrepreneurial success, and deep-rooted relationships across the specification, contractor, and distribution channels. His reputation for building high-performing teams, elevating partner engagement, and shaping market direction has made him one of the most respected figures in the field.

"David is not just a hire—he is a transformational force," said Matt Sedlock, Principal at LINX. "His leadership, vision, and industry experience will accelerate our trajectory and strengthen our position as a premier lighting and controls agency in Southern California. This is a defining moment for LINX."

A Career Defined by Vision, Leadership, and Market Impact

Komonosky's career began after earning his degree in **Architectural Engineering from Penn State University**, followed by early technical roles including Project Engineer at Syska & Hennessy. He later held key sales leadership positions with several lighting manufacturers before embarking on the entrepreneurial ventures that would cement his legacy.

Over the course of his career, Komonosky founded and built two successful lighting representative agencies from the ground up—both of which continue to thrive today. His approach blends an energizing presence with creative problem-solving, guided by his personal philosophy of "Learn by Doing."

In 2023, Komonosky was honored as the SoCal Illumination Award Honoree by the Illuminating Engineering Society's Los Angeles Section, recognizing his contributions to the region's uniquely sophisticated lighting design community. His reflections at the event underscored his high regard for Southern California's diverse ecosystem of architectural, theatrical, and film/TV lighting professionals—an environment he has helped shape.

A Full-Circle Moment

Joining LINX Lighting + Controls represents a natural evolution in Komonosky's career. As Principal, he will collaborate closely with the leadership team to guide culture, strengthen relationships, expand strategic partnerships, and drive growth across all segments of the business.

"LINX brings together a full range of products, technologies, and expertise that touches every corner of the built environment," said Komonosky. "This is a full-circle moment for me—an opportunity to bring together everything I've learned and everything I'm passionate about. I'm energized by the team, the vision, and the chance to help shape what comes next."

A Leadership Team Built to Last

Komonosky joins LINX at a time of significant momentum following the merger of Western Lighting & Energy Controls and Forman & Associates, forming one of the largest and most comprehensive lighting and controls agencies in Southern California. With offices across Los Angeles, Orange County, and San Diego, LINX represents a powerful portfolio of brands and a commitment to service, integrity, and long-term partnership.

The addition of Komonosky signals LINX's continued investment in building a leadership team designed not only to meet today's demands but to define the future of lighting and controls in the region.

"David brings an energy and expertise that pushes our team—and our goals—even further," said Nick Forman, LINX Principal. "Together, we are building a company that is built to last—one that will set the standard for excellence in Southern California."

About LINX Lighting + Controls

LINX Lighting + Controls is a premier lighting and controls agency serving the Southern California region. LINX represents a comprehensive portfolio of leading lighting, controls, and technology brands. With a commitment to relationships, integrity, service, and expertise, LINX delivers innovative solutions and exceptional support to the specification, contractor, and distribution communities.

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