

AUTOMATION ALLEY

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The "Oakland On The Move" series of special sections published each Sunday in March. In addition to today's focus on Automation Alley, each edition featured a specific topic:

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Jim Carlton, left, and Glenn Charest, co-owners of Paravis/Flight Components, a veteran-owned company, watch a prototype aircraft manifold being machined at its Auburn Hills facility.

Paravis one of nation's best machine shops

AUBURN HILLS — Since 1979, Paravis-Monroe has worked to maintain its commitment as a quality supplier to a wide range of industries. With state-of-the-art C.N.C. equipment and processes to meet the demands of today's global market, Paravis employs 35 people and had annual sales over \$4.6 million.

By combining the latest C.N.C. technologies, highly skilled machinists, responsive customer service and creative innovation, the company delivers world-class products to an ever-changing range of customer requirements. And in doing so, was voted as one of the Ten Best Machine Shops by Machine Shops magazine in November 2007.

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.005 inch, Paravis-Monroe Products apply the same level of care and workmanship. Its technically advanced C.N.C. equipment is ideally suited to produce repetitive quality for precision components. Paravis also has a full complement of C.N.C. enhanced tool room equipment enabling them to respond quickly with the delivery of prototype quantities.

Automated tracking systems monitor and ensure process adherence and timely deliveries. The Paravis-

Monroe principle of suitable improvement means constant enhancements in products, processes and customer support.

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