

## **Press Release**

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Re: Runza® Opens New Location in St. Paul

LINCOLN, NE—

Today, the 82<sup>nd</sup> location in the Runza® Restaurant chain will open in St. Paul, Nebraska.

Jason and Karla Ritterbush of Ord are the franchisees of the store. This is their second Runza® franchise. Their first location, in Albion, opened in August of 2006.

Private, pre-opening parties were held September 30<sup>th</sup> for business vendors, employees, civic leaders, family and friends. Approximately 130 guests enjoyed their favorite Runza® Restaurant menu items at the opening parties. The St. Paul Chamber of Commerce and the St. Paul Development Corporation conducted ribbon cuttings.

The store employs 28 staff members.

Renee Sjulín, Vice President of Runza® National, commented on the great local support represented at the event. “Runza® Restaurants strive to be good neighbors. With this impressive turnout, I am confident Runza® will quickly find its niche in the community.”

“We are very excited to get this location off the ground and look forward to providing great food and service to our customers,” said Jason Ritterbush.

Runza® Restaurants – famous for the Runza® Sandwich with its delicious blend of ground beef, cabbage, onions and secret spices baked inside homemade bread; made-to-order hamburgers; and homemade onion rings – operates and franchises 81 restaurants in Nebraska, Colorado, Iowa and Kansas.

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