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## **Snap-on Raises Dividend 15.9% Quarterly Dividend Increases to \$0.95 per Share**

KENOSHA, Wis. — November 8, 2018 — Snap-on Incorporated (NYSE: SNA) announced that its Board of Directors has declared a quarterly common stock dividend of \$0.95 per share payable December 10, 2018 to shareholders of record on November 20, 2018. This represents an increase of \$0.13 per share, or 15.9%, over Snap-on's previous quarterly dividend of \$0.82 per share.

"This ninth consecutive annual dividend increase reflects our strong financial position and cash generation which enables us to both return capital to our shareholders and continue to strategically invest along our defined runways for growth and improvement," said Nick Pinchuk, Snap-on chairman and chief executive officer. "Snap-on's dividend is a core component of our capital allocation strategy, as demonstrated by our payment of consecutive quarterly cash dividends, without interruption or reduction, since 1939."

## **About Snap-on**

Snap-on Incorporated is a leading global innovator, manufacturer and marketer of tools, equipment, diagnostics, repair information and systems solutions for professional users performing critical tasks. Products and services include hand and power tools, tool storage, diagnostics software, information and management systems, shop equipment and other solutions for vehicle dealerships and repair centers, as well as for customers in industries, including aviation and aerospace, agriculture, construction, government and military, mining, natural resources, power generation and technical education. Snap-on also derives income from various financing programs to facilitate the sales of its products and support its franchise business. Products and services are sold through the company's franchisee, company-direct, distributor and internet channels. Founded in 1920, Snap-on is a \$3.7 billion, S&P 500 company headquartered in Kenosha, Wisconsin.

## **Forward-looking Statements**

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Exchange Commission, including the information under the "Safe Harbor" and "Risk Factors" headings in its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 30, 2017, which are incorporated herein by reference. Snap-on disclaims any responsibility to update any forward-looking statement provided in this news release, except as required by law.

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