

**People Can Tell ...**  
**When You**  
**AUTOBELL® car wash**  
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We are grateful for your desire to learn more about Autobell® Car Wash Inc. It's a story I have lived and gladly told for four decades, and I'm always proud and honored to share it.

- ◆ Autobell was founded in Charlotte, NC, in 1969 by Charles Howard, my father.
- ◆ We are still a privately held, family-owned business for which my three adult children also work.
- ◆ We currently have 63 full-service car washes spread throughout 28 North Carolina, 2 South Carolina, 5 Georgia, and 4 Virginia cities and towns. We continually have units under construction and/or sites pending.
- ◆ We are a neighborhood business, and our car washes are designed and built with respect to neighborhood applications.
- ◆ At every unit, we hire employees – often your children – from nearby neighborhoods.
- ◆ We operate our car washes daily during regular retail hours only.
- ◆ We have stringent hiring guidelines and strict uniform policies. We are a drug-free workplace that pre-screens all employees and randomly tests managers.
- ◆ Annually, Autobell awards educational scholarships to numerous qualifying applicants from its employee ranks. Since its inception in 2000, our program has awarded over \$407,000 in college scholarships to deserving employees.
- ◆ Autobell is very civic-minded, with involvement in such programs as Little League sponsorships, Adopt-A-Stream cleanups, Make-a-Wish fundraisers, and a unique Charity Car Wash Program that benefits local charities and helps the environment by discouraging wasteful and polluting parking lot car washes.
- ◆ Autobell treats 100% of all water used and recycles up to 100%. Our environmentally conscientious operations and efforts have been repeatedly noticed and awarded by state and city governments, utilities, and the media.
- ◆ None of our car washes has ever gone out of business or been sold to another operator.

Our community involvement and reputation are paramount to our success. Plus, we provide a great car wash. Thank you for your interest in our company. We look forward to becoming an integral part of your community soon.

Sincerely,

*Chuck Howard*

President, CEO and Owner