

Span Tech LLC to open new Sales & Service Center in Waukesha

Who: Span Tech LLC® and the Waukesha County Center for Growth

What: Span Tech LLC® is opening its first facility outside the state of Kentucky in Waukesha

When: Open house will be Wednesday, November 8, 2017 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Ribbon cutting will be at 10:30 a.m.

Where: 1201 Dolphin Ct, Waukesha

Why: This is Span Tech's first location in the Midwest. Span Tech LLC® is a global manufacturer of custom built plastic chain conveyor systems that are easier to clean than others, making its product attractive to food and beverage manufacturers. The company chose to locate in southeast Wisconsin because many of its customers in the food and beverage industry are also located here. The conveyor systems will be showcased during the open house on November 8.

(Waukesha, WI) – Span Tech LLC®, a global manufacturer of custom-built plastic chain conveyor systems based in Kentucky, has opened a new 8,000 square foot Sales & Service Center and testing facility in Waukesha.

The Sales & Service Center will be devoted to capability demonstrations, service training and product testing. Bud Layne, CEO of Span Tech, believes the expansion is very beneficial in creating better partnerships with clients. "This will provide our customers with the opportunity to see our conveyors up close and test products specific to their needs. The goal is to educate current and future partners on the full capabilities of Span Tech conveyors and help them determine which products will best meet their needs," said Layne.

The Waukesha County Center for Growth helped Span Tech find a location in the county that best fit their criteria. "A fifth of all businesses in Waukesha County are manufacturers, and nearly 75 percent of those are small businesses," said Tim Casey, director of economic development for the Waukesha County Center for Growth. "We're trying to build up the supply chain for our key industries in Waukesha County and southeast Wisconsin as a whole, and Span Tech fits very nicely into that. We do whatever we can to help our existing manufacturers and attract new ones to create a more vibrant supply chain in southeast Wisconsin."

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Interview opportunities: Bud Layne, CEO, Span Tech LLC®

Dave Byrnes, Service Sales & Operations Manager, Span Tech LLC®

Dale Casper, Regional Sales Manager, Span Tech LLC®

Tim Casey, Director of Economic Development, Waukesha County Center for Growth

About Span Tech

Renowned for durably-designed plastic chain conveyors and industry-leading innovation in material handling, Span Tech is a recognized global leader in developing unique and customizable technical solutions for processing applications in core industries which include: food & beverage production, manufacturing, packaging, distribution,

cosmetics, pharmaceuticals and e-commerce. Contact us at 877.651.9166, info@spantechllc.com or visit us online at www.spantechconveyors.com.

About the Waukesha County Center for Growth, Inc.

The Waukesha County Center for Growth, Inc. is Waukesha County's economic development organization. Created in 2016 by Waukesha County in partnership with the Waukesha County Business Alliance, the Wisconsin Small Business Development Center and local municipalities, the mission for the Center for Growth is to serve as the central point of contact for businesses looking to grow in Waukesha County. The Center for Growth works to ensure each organization doing business in Waukesha County will reach its fullest potential. For more information, please visit www.waukesha.org/EDO.