

The Sherwin-Williams Company was founded by Henry Sherwin and Edward Williams in 1866 based on the principle “what is worth doing...is worth doing well.” Today, we are a global leader in the manufacturing, development, distribution and sale of paint, coatings and related products to professional, industrial, commercial and retail customers.

Quick Facts

- The largest paint and coatings company in the world.
- 2019 sales: \$17.9 billion. Products sold in 120 countries by 60,000 associates.
- Company owned paint stores and facilities: 5,000.
We open one new paint store every three days (80-100 a year just in North America).
- In Ohio, we have more than 6,000 associates, 200+ company-owned paint stores and eight R&D/Manufacturing facilities.
- Current global headquarters is located at 101 W. Prospect Avenue in Cleveland, Ohio, which has been our base since 1930. We operate multiple facilities in Northeast Ohio, which are home to approximately 4,400 employees.
- In Cuyahoga County, including Cleveland, Sherwin-Williams has generated more than \$4 billion in employee payroll and \$140 million in tax revenue over the past 10 years.

Sherwin-Williams Products

In addition to exterior/interior paints, our industrial liquid and powder coatings cover a large range of products:

Metal: office buildings, coil-coated steel or aluminum, structural steel, U.S. Navy ships, tractors, power plants, airplanes, oil platforms, storage tanks, wind turbines, repaint and collision repair shops

Wood: cabinets, furniture, Louisville Slugger baseball bats

Plastics: medical devices like MRI scanners; business machines like copiers, appliances

Packaging: coatings for the inside of food and beverage cans that protect taste and freshness

Sherwin-Williams has painted and coated iconic structures from coast to coast, from the White House to the Golden Gate Bridge.

Stadiums:

- Nationals Park (Washington)
- Citi Field (New York)
- Minute Maid Stadium (Houston)
- Coors Field (Denver)
- Nissan Stadium (Nashville)
- Sun Life Stadium (Miami)
- State Farm Stadium (Glendale, Arizona)
- Busch Stadium (St. Louis)

Bridges:

- Golden Gate Bridge (San Francisco)
- Walt Whitman Bridge (Philadelphia)
- Champlain Bridge (Montreal)
- John F. Kennedy Memorial Bridge (Louisville)

- Chesapeake Bay Bridge (Baltimore)
- High Five Interchange (Dallas)

Airports:

- Detroit Metro Airport
- Theme Building at LAX

Other Iconic Structures:

- The Hollywood Sign
- MGM Northfield Park (Ohio)
- George H.W. Bush Presidential Library and Museum
- William J. Clinton Presidential Library and Museum
- The National World War II Museum (New Orleans)
- Rock & Roll Hall of Fame (Cleveland)
- Most of the signs on the Las Vegas Strip use coatings from Sherwin-Williams
- Niagara Falls decks [Thompson's Water Seal]
- Air Force One

Sherwin-Williams Cultural Values

We believe in commitment to our communities. Our Culture of Excellence and Guiding Values include Integrity, People, Service, Quality, Performance, Innovation and Growth.

Sherwin-Williams Community Partnerships

- 100+ employees serve on Northeast Ohio nonprofits Boards of Directors. Our employees support nearly 500 local nonprofits through our annual employee pledge campaign.
- In 2018, the Sherwin-Williams Women's Club raised more than \$130,000 for local community partners including the City Mission's Running with a Mission at the Metroparks Zoo.
- For the last 18 years, hundreds of employees bring the holidays to students at The Halle School of Inquiry, on Cleveland's near-west side. Employees purchase gifts from the students' wish lists, donate critical items like uniforms and personal hygiene supplies, and donate more than \$10,000 each year to support this program.
- More than 800 employees participated in service projects with dozens of Northeast Ohio community partners on behalf of Sherwin-Williams in 2018.
- Launched the nationally recognized HomeWork painters training program.

Sherwin-Williams Community Support

- Velocity Initiative: 2019 MLB All-Star Week, 2022 NBA All-Star Weekend, 2021 NFL Draft, 2024 NCAA Women's Final Four
- Gay Games 2014
- Greater Cleveland Partnership (*Member and Investor*)
- Advance Cleveland Development Fund (*Investor*)
- Say Yes to Education
- Team NEO: focused on accelerating economic growth and job creation throughout 18 counties in Northeast Ohio (*Investor*)
- Cuyahoga Community College Presidential Scholarship Luncheon (*Annual Supporter*)
- Engage! Cleveland: attract, engage and retain young, diverse talent by connecting young professionals to people, jobs, organizations and events (*Funder and Employer Member*)
- Engage! Cleveland's Next Generation of Women event (*Presenting Sponsor since its inception*)
- St. Martin de Porres High School (*Supporter and Employer Host*)
- Active in helping promote the Cleveland Metropolitan School District levy initiative