

Sherwin-Williams Celebrates the Opening of the Morikis Global Technology Center, Accelerating Innovation, Leadership and Differentiated Solutions for Customers Worldwide

CLEVELAND, July 7, 2026 – The Sherwin-Williams Company (NYSE: SHW) is pleased to announce today that it hosted a ceremonial ribbon-cutting celebrating the grand opening of the Company’s new Morikis Global Technology Center. Located in Brecksville, Ohio, the new facility is one of the largest global technology hubs in Northeast Ohio.

“This grand opening marks a bold step forward in how the Company innovates, performs and leads on the global stage and it’s located in our own backyard,” said Heidi G. Petz, Sherwin-Williams Chair, President and Chief Executive Officer. “Named in honor of our former CEO, John G. Morikis, this Technology Center is where the future of coatings comes to life. It brings together chemists, engineers, technicians and support teams in a world-class environment built to accelerate discovery, strengthen collaboration, drive productivity and solve real problems for our global customers.”

The new 600,000-square-foot campus, part of the Company’s Building Our Future project, brings nearly 900 employees and more than 8,000 years of combined expertise together in a purpose-built environment designed to accelerate product development, coatings research, color technology and process engineering. With multiple lab wings, modular research areas, work cafés, training spaces and room to grow, this customer-centric hub is built to advance innovation inside and outside of the paint can while maximizing customer productivity and profitability.

"Sherwin-Williams has been part of Ohio's story for generations, and this new Technology Center is another investment in our people and future," said Ohio Lt. Governor Jim Tressel. "This investment in Northeast Ohio creates opportunities for Ohioans, strengthens our workforce and reinforces why our state is a great place to live, work and innovate."

Alongside our new Global Headquarters in downtown Cleveland, the Morikis Global Technology Center establishes two world-class Sherwin-Williams campuses in Northeast Ohio. Together, they strengthen how the Company operates, collaborates and serves customers. The Technology Center is designed to advance science, accelerate innovation and enable the breakthrough thinking that will shape the Company’s future.

“The investment by Sherwin-Williams in the Morikis Global Technology Center has been a catalyst for economic development and an important contributor to Brecksville’s continued momentum as a strong and growing community,” said Brecksville Mayor Daryl Kingston. “This collaboration has been transformational, elevating the city’s profile and expanding its economic potential.”

Besides Lieutenant Governor Tressel, Sherwin-Williams was honored to have additional public dignitaries provide remarks in person or via video at the ceremony. They included U.S. Senator Jon Husted, U.S. Representative Max Miller, Ohio State Senator Jerry Cirino, Ohio State Representative Phil Robinson, Cuyahoga County Executive Chris Ronayne and Brecksville City Council President Dominic Caruso.

To download images of the new Sherwin-Williams Morikis Global Technology Center and the grand opening ceremony, please view [here](#).

For additional information on the Building Our Future project, please visit buildingourfuture.com.

ABOUT THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS COMPANY

Founded in 1866, The Sherwin-Williams Company is a global leader in the manufacture, development, distribution, and sale of paint, coatings and related products to professional, industrial, commercial and retail customers. The Company manufactures products under well-known brands such as Sherwin-Williams®, Valspar®, HGTV HOME® by Sherwin-Williams, Dutch Boy®, Krylon®, Minwax®, Thompson's® WaterSeal®, Cabot®, Suviniil® and many more. With global headquarters in Cleveland, Ohio, Sherwin-Williams® branded products are sold exclusively through more than 5,400 Company-operated stores and branches, while the Company's other brands are sold through leading mass merchandisers, home centers, independent paint dealers, hardware stores, automotive retailers and industrial distributors. The Sherwin-Williams Performance Coatings Group supplies a broad range of highly-engineered solutions for the construction, industrial, packaging and transportation markets in more than 120 countries around the world. Sherwin-Williams shares are traded on the New York Stock Exchange (symbol: SHW). For more information, visit www.sherwin.com.

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