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The H-J Family of Companies Invests in the Future with New Manufacturing Facility in Guanajuato, Mexico and Expansion in Missouri, USA.



High Ridge, MO — On June 18, 2026, The H-J Family of Companies, a global leader in manufacturing high-quality products and solutions for the electrical industry, commemorated the opening of its new manufacturing facility in León, Guanajuato, Mexico. The investment expands the company's manufacturing capacity and strengthens its global footprint across North American and international markets.

The new facility spans 108,000 square feet of dedicated manufacturing and distribution space. The plant will produce insulators, epoxy and porcelain bushings, conductors, and other critical components for the transformer and switchgear industries, as well as additional sectors that play an essential role in supporting a reliable electrical grid.

Alongside the new facility in León, H-J is building an additional manufacturing facility at its headquarters in High Ridge, Missouri, USA, adding approximately 90,500 square feet as part of its ongoing expansion. This additional facility in Missouri increases epoxy production and enables warehouse automation through ten new presses and new investments in capital equipment.



The global demand for dependable electrical components continues to grow as industries invest in grid modernization and expansion. The facility in León and the additional facility in High Ridge position H-J to meet the energy sector's growing needs through increased production capacity and supply chain responsiveness across domestic and international markets.

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From left to right: **Jason Shekelton** *(Supply Chain Manager),* **Jay Shekelton** *(CEO & President),* **Claudia Cristina Villaseñor Aguilar** *(Secretary of Economy of Guanajuato),* **Cristhian Duque** *(General Manager Mexico),* **Tim Kelly** *(Vice President Operations)*

The H-J Family of Companies commemorated the official León opening with a ribbon-cutting ceremony attended by company leadership, employees, community partners, strategic clients and local officials, including Claudia Cristina Villaseñor Aguilar, Secretary of Economy of Guanajuato. The event celebrated the company's investment in the León community and recognized the team that brought the project to life.

"In 2019, we started manufacturing operations in Mexico with a clear vision: to offer our customers the same level of quality, service, and commitment that has distinguished H-J for more than 50 years. Today, we have 150 employees in facilities spanning almost 108,000 square feet, enabling us to serve customers more efficiently, strengthen our supply chain, expand production capacity, and respond with greater agility to the needs of an evolving global market," said Cristhian Duque, H-J Mexico General Manager.



Employees, community partners, strategic customers, and local officials attend the grand opening ceremony for H-J's new manufacturing facility in León, Mexico.



H-J leadership and the H-J Mexico team.

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About The H-J Family of Companies
The H-J Family of Companies is a global manufacturer and provider of high-quality products for the electrical industry. Since 1969, H-J has serviced transformer, switchgear, circuit breaker, and transmission and distribution equipment manufacturers with reliable components for electrical infrastructure worldwide. Its extensive portfolio and partnerships include bushings, connectors, insulators, fuses, switches, tap changers, valves, and other essential electrical components.

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