

New/Expanding Motor Vehicle-Related Facilities Announced/Reported In Kentucky

January - December, 2009

Excluding locations and expansions known to have been cancelled

New Manufacturing Firms

County	City	Facility	Investment	New Full-time Emp.		Product/Service
				Beg.	Full	
Warren	Bowling Green	TMS Automotive LLC	\$2,505,000	35	35	Distribution, warehousing, parts/dunnage-washing, freight management, trucking
* Whitley		Sirius Energies Corporation dba Global Green Cars Inc	\$33,350,000	350	500	Manufacture electric vehicles
Totals:		2	\$35,855,000		535	

Expanding Manufacturing Firms

County	City	Facility	Investment	New Full-time Emp.		Product/Service
				Beg.	Full	
Adair	Columbia	IMO Pump	\$1,100,000	13	13	Hydraulic pumps, fuel system pumps
† Bourbon	Paris	Kentucky Smelting Technology (KST)	\$150,000			Aluminum smelting
Butler	Morgantown	Casco Products Corp	\$1,700,000	70	70	Automobile cigarette lighters and power outlets for automobiles
Christian	Hopkinsville	Bed Wood and Parts LLC	\$350,000	23	23	Manufacture bed wood for pickup trucks
* Christian	Hopkinsville	Emhart Teknologies	\$250,000	1	1	Blind rivet fasteners
Crittenden	Marion	Harminie Enterprises Inc	\$250,000	15	15	Plastic injection molding, lighting assembly
* Daviess	Owensboro	Dana Corporation	\$3,300,000			Steel pickup truck frames (Tundra and Sequoia)
* Fayette	Lexington	Crest Products LLC	\$435,000			Metal stampings, self locking metal fasteners & washers

†	Fayette	Lexington	Webasto Sunroofs Inc	\$3,500,000	0	0	Automotive sunroofs
†	Franklin	Frankfort	Montoplast of North America	\$8,950,000	64	64	Plastic injection molding automotive wheel covers, center caps, and intake manifolds
	Laurel	London	Highland Diversified Services Inc	\$266,587	33	33	Automotive - metal stampings, welded sub-assemblies, and powder coated parts and assemblies
*	Logan	Russellville	General Products Corporation	\$300,000			Machining and assembly of cast iron and alum castings
	Madison	Richmond	Sherwin-Williams Automotive Finishes Corp	\$2,330,000	27	27	Automotive coatings & finishes
*†	Mercer	Harrodsburg	Hitachi Automotive Products USA	\$20,294,132	101	101	Automobile electric & electronic components, high pressure fuel pump
†	Montgomery	Mt. Sterling	Kyosan DENSO Manufacturing Kentucky LLC (KDMK)	\$4,000,000			Assembles automotive fuel systems and fuel pump modules
†	Taylor	Campbellsville	INFAC North America INC	\$530,000	20	20	Manufacture control cables for the automotive industry
†	Warren	Bowling Green	Bando USA Inc	\$250,000			Automotive power transmission & industrial V-belts
*†	Warren	Bowling Green	Bendix Spicer Foundation Brake LLC	\$500,000	2	2	Design, develop, manufacture & distribute products used in air brake systems for commercial vehicles
	Warren	Bowling Green	C G S Machine & Tool Inc	\$100,000	10	10	Specialty machinery, tool & die, spare parts, production runs
†	Woodford	Versailles	Y H America Inc/Div 1	\$1,300,000			Automobile air conditioning & power steering hoses, fittings & assemblies; fluid conveying products.

Totals: 20 \$49,855,719 379

Expanding Supportive/Service Firms

New Full-time Emp.

County	City	Facility	Investment	Beg.	Full	Product/Service
* Boone	Hebron	ITT Koni America LLC	\$500,000	3	3	Auto parts distribution

Jefferson	Louisville	Industrial Services of America Inc	\$5,000,000	20	20	Headquarters, scrap metal & paper recycling, solid waste management services	
† Jefferson	Louisville	Westport Axle Corp	\$10,104,000	18	18	Axle module assembly, knuckling operation, warehousing and line sequencing	
Madison	Richmond	Sherwin-Williams Automotive Finishes Corp	\$1,100,000	6	6	Distribution of automotive coatings	
Totals:				4		\$16,704,000	47
Grand Totals:				26		\$102,414,719	961

* Announced/Reported during the final month of the reporting period

† Wholly or partially foreign-owned

Kentucky

New and Expanding Industries Report

Introduction and Methodology

The Kentucky new and expanding industries reports provide a measure of economic development based on qualified industrial activity in the Commonwealth announced or reported during the year. The reports are compiled from data provided by companies, local and industrial development contacts, newspaper announcements, and Cabinet programs designed to locate and retain industry.

The reports include estimated number of jobs, estimated capital investments, and product/service descriptions. Activities are reported in the year the announcements are made, even though full employment announced may not be realized until future years.

If investment or employment exceeds the original announced figures, the additional investment or jobs are included as an expansion in a later report. If actual employment figures are less than those reported, future employment expansion are not reported until after the projected figure has been reached. Efforts are made to eliminate duplications and overestimates of jobs and investments.

New industries are defined as companies locating in a Kentucky community for the first time, companies locating an additional facility in a community with new product line, or the reopening of a facility after an announced permanent shutdown of operations. Expansions are defined as companies increasing employment, capital investment or square footage to physical facilities. Replacement of machinery is included only if it results in greater productivity or product improvement. Expansions announced after January 1, 2003, are included only if they are expected to increase employment or involve at least \$100,000 in investment. As of January 2009, the Investment figure includes (when applicable) rental/lease costs associated with a project. Prior to this, the figure is limited to capital investment. Announced locations/expansions are removed from the report if it is known that the location will not or the expansion did not take place.

The supportive industry section includes new and expanding warehouses, packaging and distribution facilities, corporate headquarters, and services.

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