

## **Spark Ops Metalworks Breaks Ground on New Manufacturing Facility, Driving Growth and Economic Impact in Fond du Lac**

**Fond du Lac, Wisconsin** – Spark Ops Metalworks proudly celebrated the groundbreaking of its new manufacturing facility on March 17, 2026, at 3:00 PM at the Aeronautical Industrial Park in Fond du Lac.

The new 200 x 780 ft facility marks a significant milestone in the company’s continued growth and represents Phase 1 of a long-term vision to scale operations, strengthen capabilities, and invest in the future of manufacturing in the region.

“This is more than a building—it’s a statement,” said Bryan Perl, Founder of Spark Ops Metalworks. “We are building a company designed for speed, efficiency, and growth. This investment allows us to operate at a higher level while creating meaningful opportunities for people and contributing to the economic strength of our community.”

Currently operating across five locations in Fond du Lac, Spark Ops will consolidate its manufacturing operations into one centralized facility—unlocking efficiencies, improving collaboration, and significantly increasing production capacity.

The economic impact of this Phase 1 investment is both immediate and long-term. The new facility is expected to:

- Increase operational efficiency and output
- Create new skilled manufacturing jobs
- Strengthen local partnerships and supply chains
- Support continued industrial growth in the region

This milestone follows Spark Ops Metalworks’ recent recognition as a recipient of the Manufacturer of the Year Spotlight Award for Excellence in Product & Process Innovation—highlighting the company’s leadership in modern, forward-thinking manufacturing.

Spark Ops extends its sincere appreciation to community leaders and partners who joined in celebrating this milestone, including Fond du Lac County Executive Sam Kaufman, representatives from the Town of Fond du Lac David Washkoviak, members of Envision Greater Fond du Lac Sadie Howell and Lisa McArthur, Sally Cole on behalf of Congressman Glenn Grothman as well as business partners, friends, and family.

The project is being led by Pinno Construction, with site development by JGX Excavating—bringing together strong local expertise to deliver this transformative project.

Construction is now underway, marking the beginning of an exciting new chapter for Spark Ops Metalworks as it continues to invest in innovation, job creation, and long-term economic impact in Fond du Lac. At Spark Ops we are “Shaping the world for the better”