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MEDIA EVENT: Pipeline Plastics Cuts Ribbon on New Rupert Manufacturing Facility

Expanding capacity, creating jobs, and powering America's infrastructure future

Rupert, Idaho – October 24, 2025 – Pipeline Plastics proudly announces the grand opening of its newest manufacturing facility in Rupert, Idaho, marked by an official Ribbon Cutting Ceremony on Tuesday, October 28, 2025.

This multimillion-dollar investment represents a major step in Pipeline Plastics' continued expansion, strengthening its coast-to-coast manufacturing network while creating new jobs and advancing sustainable infrastructure for communities nationwide.

The event will feature remarks from Idaho State Senator Kelly Anthon, City of Rupert Mayor Tammy Jones, and the Pipeline Plastics leadership team.

Their attendance underscores the strong public-private partnership driving economic growth in the region. Senate Pro Tempore Kelly Anthon and Mayor Tammy Jones will join company and community leaders in celebrating this milestone for both the city and the state — one that highlights Rupert's growing role as a hub for innovation, industry, and opportunity.

"This grand opening represents more than a facility — it represents our commitment to innovation, community, and the future of infrastructure," says Mike Leathers, CEO of Pipeline Plastics. "We are proud to celebrate with the people of Rupert and excited to provide high-quality jobs while strengthening the backbone of America's water and energy networks."

The Rupert facility is one of the most advanced HDPE pipe manufacturing plants in North America, capable of producing pressure pipe up to 65 inches in diameter for water, energy, and industrial applications. Designed for sustainability, it features energy-efficient operations, advanced automation, and waste-reduction technologies, reflecting the company's dedication to *Advancing What Matters* — safely, responsibly, and with integrity.

"This milestone shows the impact we intend to make — not only within our industry, but in the communities where we live and work," adds Jordan Latham, VP of Production. "Our Rupert facility showcases state-of-the-art manufacturing capabilities that will drive growth and performance for years to come."

The new facility is expected to create over 50 direct jobs, supporting local families and generating lasting economic benefit for Rupert, ID and the surrounding region.

Following the ceremony, guests will enjoy guided tours of the new facility and a community reception hosted by Pipeline Plastics and local partners.

For more information or to register to attend the event, please contact:

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