

MAHR INC. SEES MEASURABLE RESULTS FROM RELATIONSHIP WITH POLARIS MEP

COMPANY PROFILE

Mahr Inc. is a leader in modern metrology, manufacturing innovative measuring tools and technologies from its US headquarters in Providence and at production facilities around the world.

Parent company Mahr has a history that dates back to 1861. Rhode Island's Federal Products Co. was founded in 1918. They merged in 1999 to become Mahr Inc.

Mahr's staff is key to its success and growth. Skilled applications engineers, production specialists, customer service pros and more work together to provide precision measurement solutions on a global scale. Industries served include automotive and aerospace,



SITUATION

Mahr Inc. has experienced consistently strong growth in the last years. They needed help finding new quality candidates to meet production rates. The company also was looking for some specific upskilling as well as leadership training to enhance the skills of current team members and assist in employee retention.

SOLUTION

Mahr employees initially sought resources from Polaris MEP, Rhode Island's Manufacturing Extension Partnership Center, based on the MEP's staff expertise and industry knowledge.

Over the years, the relationship has grown along with Mahr.

Polaris MEP team members have supported Mahr's HR teams with recruiting. The client has interviewed and hired candidates from Polaris MEP's Fast Track to CNC Manufacturing program. This training program is funded by the state Department of Labor & Training and produces quality candidates for skilled production careers.

IMPACTS



2 jobs retained or added



Investments of \$50,000 in workforce practices and employee skills



Cost savings of \$30,000 in both direct savings and by avoiding unnecessary investments

To learn more, read the full Success Story at:

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Mahr



"I personally view Polaris MEP as the best alternative to apprenticeship programs that no longer exist"

Don Foisy

Director of Operations



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