

Ascension Economic Development Corporation Welcomes \$9 Million RaceTrac Distribution Center to Geismar

The Ascension Economic Development Corporation (AEDC) is proud to announce the development of a nearly \$9 million RaceTrac distribution center in Geismar, a strategic investment that enhances the parish's role in regional supply chain infrastructure while creating quality jobs for local residents.

The new 40,000-square-foot facility, located on Industrial Drive, is equipped with advanced technology to ensure efficient supply to RaceTrac convenience stores across the region. The distribution center will serve as a critical logistics hub, capitalizing on Geismar's access to barge docks, rail service, and major transportation corridors within the Mississippi River industrial corridor.

RaceTrac has confirmed the facility will directly employ approximately 20 individuals in roles spanning warehouse operations, logistics, transportation, and facility management. The company also anticipates the creation of indirect jobs across supporting industries throughout Ascension Parish.

"We are excited to welcome RaceTrac's new distribution center to our industrial community," said Kate MacArthur, President & CEO of AEDC. "Their investment not only underscores the strategic value of Ascension Parish as a logistics hub but also strengthens our local economy through job creation and

infrastructure development.”

AEDC worked with RaceTrac throughout the process, ensuring alignment with the parish’s long-term growth strategy and workforce capabilities.

This development adds to a growing list of companies choosing Ascension Parish for its strategic location, skilled labor force, and business-friendly environment.

About Ascension Economic Development Corporation (AEDC)

The Ascension Economic Development Corporation is dedicated to the long-term economic vitality of Ascension Parish, Louisiana. AEDC facilitates growth by supporting existing businesses, attracting new investment, and fostering job creation throughout the region.