

Greencore receives RoSPA Award for health and safety achievements

Greencore, based on the Moulton Park Industrial Estate in Northampton, is celebrating after landing an internationally recognised award for demonstrating the highest health and safety standards.

Greencore has received a **RoSPA Highly Commended in the Food & Drink Manufacturing Industry Sector Health and Safety Award** for working hard to ensure its colleagues and contractors get home safely to their families at the end of every working day.

Organisations receiving a RoSPA Award are recognised as being world-leaders in health and safety practice. Every year, nearly 2,000 entrants vie to achieve the highest possible accolade in what is the UK's longest-running H&S industry awards.

Lee Hazlewood, Safety, Health & Environment Business Partner at Greencore Northampton said: "This is fantastic news. We have a long and proud track record at the awards and this year we have gone even further in achieving the Highly Commended status. I am very proud of the work of my team and the effort that everyone at Greencore puts into ensuring we have the highest safety standards."

Tim Jackson, Site Director at Greencore Northampton said: "This result is a credit to all involved. Everyone has made a huge effort in creating and maintaining a strong, safe working culture at the site. As a major employer in Northampton, we take this responsibility seriously. We have exciting plans for future growth and as we continue to recruit new colleagues, we want them to feel reassured that we provide a great, safe environment and culture."

Julia Small, RoSPA's Achievements Director, said: "This is a fantastic and well-deserved accomplishment. All our award entrants demonstrate their unwavering commitment and passion for keeping people safe at work. By receiving this recognition Greencore sit alongside like-minded businesses and organisations worldwide, who represent the very best in their approach to Health and Safety. I would like to add my personal thanks for all the work that it has taken to secure this well-deserved award – congratulations to all those involved, who champion and drive up Health and Safety standards every day. You are a fantastic example to others in your sector."

For more information about the RoSPA Awards visit www.rospace.com/awards

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NOTES TO EDITORS

- The RoSPA Awards scheme is the longest running of its kind in the UK, and receives entries from organisations across the globe, making it one of the most sought-after achievement awards for health and safety worldwide.
- Currently, around 7million people are directly impacted by the RoSPA Awards, but the scheme's global influence is even wider – with nearly 2,000 organisations from 50 countries represented this year.

- The majority of awards are non-competitive and mark achievement at merit, bronze, silver and gold levels. Gold medals, president's awards, orders of distinction and the Patron's Award are presented to organisations sustaining the high standards of the gold level over consecutive years.
- Competitive awards go to the best entries in 31 industry sectors including construction, healthcare, transport and logistics, engineering, manufacturing and education.
- There are specialist awards for health at work, environmental management, safety delivered outside of the workplace, leisure safety and fleet safety, and excellence trophies for the best international organisation, new entry, workforce involvement and organisation operating or based in Scotland. RoSPA's top accolade is the Sir George Earle Trophy.

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