

# Nashville Area Chamber of Commerce / Partnership 2020

Business Activity  
July 2017 - June 2018

Announcement Date	Company Name	City of Location	County of Location	Expansion or Recruitment	New Jobs Added	Square Footage	Description	P2020 Target Sector	Country Origin
7/1/2017	Confidential Project	La Vergne	Rutherford	Expansion		60,000	No project announcement - per Rutherford County Chamber of Commerce.	Advanced Manufacturing	United States
7/1/2017	Confidential Project	La Vergne	Rutherford	Recruitment		141,960	No project announcement - per Rutherford County Chamber of Commerce.	Advanced Manufacturing	United States
7/6/2017	Care 24/7	Brentwood	Williamson	Recruitment	16		Knoxville-based health care service company Care 24/7 is moving to Nashville to expand operations and help providers make more money by meeting patients' needs. The Nashville office consists of eight employees and is hiring, hoping to reach 16, Nguyen said. The company, which was founded in 2015, has 56 total employees. The Nashville HQ location is located on Isabella Lane.	Health Care	United States
7/14/2017	Activate Health	Nashville	Davidson	Recruitment	6		Activate Health, a health care marketing and public relations firm based in Scottsdale, Arizona, has opened a temporary office in Brentwood while it searches for a permanent office in Nashville.  According to Sarah McLeod, Activate Health vice president of account services, the move prompted the firm to double its workforce by adding five employees to its Nashville team.	Health Care	United States
7/20/2017	CBRE	Nashville	Davidson	Expansion		16,000	CBRE has signed a lease for 16,000 square feet in SoBro's 222 building, named for its address on Second Avenue South. CBRE currently occupies 13,000 square feet in downtown's One Nashville Place.	Corporate Operations	United States
7/26/2017	Maxim Crane Works	Nashville	Davidson	Recruitment	25	30,000	Maxim Crane Works will add 25 jobs and invest \$3 million on a new facility in Davidson County.	Advanced Manufacturing	United States
7/26/2017	Vaco, LLC	Brentwood	Williamson	Expansion		37,000	Vaco will occupy 37,000 square feet in the first of two buildings Highwoods plans for nearly 14 acres at 5501 Virginia Way. The new Virginia Springs I building is targeted for completion in the second quarter of 2019. Vaco would move its headquarters and Nashville-based practice from 23,000 square feet at another Highwoods-owned and managed building at 5410 Maryland Way.	Corporate Operations	United States
8/1/2017	Gateway Packaging	White House	Robertson	Expansion	50		Gateway Packaging officials announced the company will expand its manufacturing operations as well as locate its official headquarters in White House. The packaging manufacturer will invest \$13.2 million and create 50 new jobs in Robertson County. In addition to the 50 new jobs, Gateway will retain 100 jobs from a recently acquired company in White House. Gateway Packaging will be taking over an existing facility in White House to make room for new equipment and will make this the location for its headquarters.	Advanced Manufacturing	United States
8/7/2017	Pedestal Foods	Nashville	Davidson	Recruitment	5		Pedestal Foods, an on-site dining services company that offers customized food programs to K-12 schools and universities, has moved its headquarters from St. Louis to a previously established Nashville office. Three Pedestal employees are relocating from St. Louis to Nashville. The company expects to hire two additional local employees. The new headquarters is located at 2967 Sidco Drive in South Nashville.	Corporate Operations	United States
8/11/2017	LaSalle Network	Nashville	Davidson	Recruitment	15		LaSalle Network, a Chicago-based staffing agency, is expanding to Nashville. The Nashville office, the firm's sixth, will be led by Byron Johnson. LaSalle aims to hire 15 recruiters for the Nashville office over the next month. This is LaSalle's second office outside Illinois; its other such office is in San Francisco. The Nashville office is located at 3200 West End Ave., Suite 562.	Corporate Operations	United States
8/15/2017	U.S. Tsubaki Automotive	Portland	Sumner	Expansion	70	250,000	U.S. Tsubaki Automotive, LLC officials announced today that the auto supplier will undergo a major expansion in Portland. U.S. Tsubaki will invest approximately \$35.8 million and create 70 new jobs over the next five years in Sumner County. U.S. Tsubaki, which manufactures drive trains and other automotive parts, plans to construct a 250,000-square-foot-facility in Portland. Once complete in late 2018, U.S. Tsubaki plans to move its existing Portland operations into the new facility.	Advanced Manufacturing	Japan
8/23/2017	NFI	Smyrna	Rutherford	Expansion	170	622,830	NFI officials announced that the company will invest approximately \$7.2 million to establish a distribution facility in Smyrna. One of North America's largest logistic providers, NFI plans to create nearly 170 new jobs over the next five years in Rutherford County. NFI, headquartered in Cherry Hill, N.J., provides end-to-end supply chain solutions across the United States and Canada. The new Smyrna location will serve as a distribution and fulfillment center for customers throughout the Southeast region.	Supply Chain Management	United States

8/24/2017	Philips	Nashville	Davidson	Recruitment	815	100,000	Philips will locate more than 800 jobs in the Nashville region. Location is TBD	Health Care	Netherlands
8/30/2017	Franke Foodservice Systems	Smyrna	Rutherford	Expansion	67		Franke Foodservice Systems officials announced that the company will expand its operations in Smyrna. The food service industry equipment manufacturer will invest \$11.6 million and create 67 new jobs in Rutherford County. Franke Foodservice Systems, part of the Swiss-based Franke Group, is a leading provider of comprehensive systems and services for the global foodservice industry. It employs more than 1,200 associates worldwide, and manufactures and distributes a wide variety of kitchen equipment and supplies from a number of facilities in the U.S., Europe and Asia.	Advanced Manufacturing	Switzerland
9/5/2017	ServiceSource Corporation	Nashville	Davidson	Expansion	450		ServiceSource will expand downtown, adding 450 jobs and investing \$2.19 million.	Corporate Operations	United States
9/8/2017	Schurman Retail Group	Goodlettsville	Davidson	Recruitment	20		Schurman Retail Group, a California-based retail company focused on paper products like stationary and greeting cards, is moving its headquarters to the Nashville area. According to a news release, Schurman will consolidate its headquarters into its existing Nashville operations. The move will result in about 20 new local jobs. For 15 years, the company has had select departments and a distribution center located in Goodlettsville. Schurman will maintain a satellite office in Northern California, as well as design and production offices in Southern California.	Corporate Operations	United States
9/25/2017	Janney Montgomery Scott	Franklin	Williamson	Recruitment	5		Financial services firm Janney Montgomery Scott has opened its first Tennessee office, setting up shop in Cool Springs with a team of five at their office in Eight Corporate Centre on Carothers Parkway. Janney is a subsidiary of Penn Mutual Life Insurance and runs more than 100 offices.	Corporate Operations	United States
9/26/2017	Industrious	Brentwood	Davidson	Expansion	2	20,000	Industrious, which already has space in the Gulch Crossing office building, is leasing the 19th floor of Bank of America Plaza, which is the penultimate floor of the 20-story building. The space will open in April, according to the company's website. A newly filed building permit values forthcoming renovations at about \$2 million.	Corporate Operations	United States
10/17/2017	Spaces	Nashville	Davidson	Recruitment	2	26,450	Amsterdam-based Spaces will occupy a full floor of the 222 office tower in SoBro. Spaces becomes the seventh co-working company this year along to open or announce a presence in Nashville. Spaces will occupy 26,450 square feet - a full floor of the 222 Building which opened in September 2017.	Corporate Operations	Netherlands
10/26/2017	Dream Systems LLC	Nashville	Davidson	Expansion	28	5,800	Growing Nashville-based communications and information technology company, Dream Systems LLC, has signed a lease to occupy 5,800 square feet of space at the May Hosiery Co-Op complex in the Wedgewood-Houston area. Dream Systems LLC, plans to combine two of its current three Nashville business locations into the new headquarters space at 427 Chestnut St. Chief Executive Terriance Moody said the company will eventually have up to 28 employees working out of the May Hosiery office.	Corporate Operations	United States
10/30/2017	Quore	Franklin	Williamson	Expansion	30		Quore is a software that uses cloud-based technology and intuitive design to allow hotels of any size to manage every aspect of the guest experience — from maintenance to guest complaints. In five years, we've gone from a handful of customers to thousands. Quore has grown to 30 full-time employees over the past 5 years.	Corporate Operations	United States
11/16/2017	Cargill Protein	Nashville	Davidson	Recruitment	100	100,000	Cargill's North America protein business is investing \$146 million to expand the company's Nashville, Tenn., facility. The investment will grow the company's meat crumble offerings for food ingredient, foodservice and retail customers. It will include construction of a state-of-the-art dried sausage production facility and will create more than 100 jobs, which doubles the facility's current employment.	Advanced Manufacturing	United States
12/4/2017	Nissan North America	Smyrna	Rutherford	Expansion			In December 2017, Nissan North America launched production of its new electric LEAF model at the company's Smyrna plant in Rutherford County. Since opening the Smyrna plant in 1983, Nissan has invested \$6.4 billion in the area, with an additional \$110 million spent on the new LEAF model. The Smyrna plant produces the Altima, LEAF, Maxima, Pathfinder, Rogue and the INFINITI QX60.	Advanced Manufacturing	Japan
12/12/2017	Mars Petcare U.S.	Franklin	Williamson	Expansion	200		Mars Petcare officials announced in December 2017 that the global leader in pet care will add 200 jobs over the next 5 years at its U.S. headquarters in Williamson County. The new 224,000 square foot headquarters, which will be located in the Ovation development in Cool Springs, was announced earlier in 2017, Mars has a substantial footprint in the state with more than 2,600 associates, which includes Banfield and Blue Pearl, both part of the Mars Veterinary portfolio, an R&D facility in Thompson's Station, a pet food factory in Lebanon and two Mars Wrigley Confectionary production facilities in Cleveland and Chattanooga.	Corporate Operations	United States

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