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Sutera USA, LLC Opening New Greenville Facility

Company investing \$2,000,000 to establish first facility in Greenville County

GREENVILLE, SC – October 27, 2015 – The Greenville Area Development Corporation (GADC), the County-chartered organization tasked with advancing the area’s economic growth, announced today that [Sutera USA, LLC](#), a firm specializing in semi underground waste and recycling collection systems, is establishing operations at 55 Commerce Center in Greenville, S.C. The company is investing \$2 million in the facility, creating 20 new jobs in the Upstate.

Sutera produces a semi underground waste and recycling collection system that reinvents and revolutionizes waste industry in the United States. Established in 2013 and headquartered in the Upstate, Sutera’s product features locally-produced standard precast concrete wells, PVC-coated polyester fabric six cubic-yard bags, several lid options and a fully-customizable visible exterior. As a rapidly growing firm, the company also operates a regional sales office in Ontario, Canada.

“To see Sutera grow so quickly after headquartering in Greenville two years ago is a testament to the reciprocal benefits that the County and its partner industries enjoy,” said GADC President and CEO Mark Farris. “Our business environment supports and enables growth on every level, from helping to expand Sutera’s physical footprint, to sustaining a community of highly-qualified, talented individuals to swell the ranks at their new facility.”

An environmentally and economically-friendly alternative to traditional dumpsters, the Sutera system uses a vertical semi underground waste disposal design. The Sutera philosophy of saving time, money and the environment is embodied in the product they have created.

Estimated units in the field are expected to expand to 10,000 within the next five years. Sutera is committed to the continued advancement of its product and service through research and development activities, by engaging our regional universities to assist in evolving Sutera’s containment system integration with advancing segregation and recovery systems.

“Sutera is a thriving company looking to improve the recycling and waste industry,” said Greenville County Council Chairman Dr. Bob Taylor. “We enjoy these assignments where we help facilitate growth and expansion for successful companies with a unique offering.”

“The investment that Sutera has made in Greenville County goes above and beyond capital and job creation,” said GADC Chairman Dick Wilkerson. “Their core mission to transform the waste industry will continue to support South Carolina’s national renown for beautiful places.”

For more information on Sutera USA, LLC, visit www.suterausa.com.

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About The Greenville Area Development Corporation

The Greenville Area Development Corporation is a nonprofit organization established by Greenville County Council to promote and enhance the economic growth and development of Greenville County. Since its founding in 2001, GADC efforts have resulted in the creation of more than 18,500 new jobs and more than \$3 billion in capital investment in Greenville County, SC. To learn more, visit www.goGADC.com or call 864-235-2008.

About Sutera USA, LLC

Sutera is a clean, safe and economical semi-underground waste collection system. Our units are designed for residential solid waste and recycling, and are best suited for multi-family, parks and institutional use. Through their design, Sutera units are environmentally-friendly, animal resistant, odor resistant and secure. The lid is available in a variety of configurations to accommodate waste, recycling and clothing donations. And the exterior can be clad in an infinite number of materials and designs, including printed vinyl wraps for advertising revenue. Proudly made in the USA, Sutera is an environmentally- and economically-friendly alternative to traditional dumpsters. For more information, visit www.suterausa.com.

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