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## **Duro-Last<sup>®</sup>, Inc. Celebrates Sixth Manufacturing Facility with Grand Opening Ceremony in Ludlow, Massachusetts**

**SAGINAW, MICHIGAN** — Duro-Last<sup>®</sup>, Inc. is proud to announce the opening of their sixth manufacturing facility, located in Ludlow, Massachusetts. A Grand Opening celebration and ribbon cutting ceremony was held at the new facility on Tuesday, June 20<sup>th</sup>. Members of the Duro-Last Board of Directors and leadership team welcomed over 150 local contractors and stakeholders to the event, providing tours and networking over lunch. Massachusetts State Representative Thomas M. Petrolati also attended, presenting Duro-Last with an official proclamation of congratulations and welcome on behalf of the Massachusetts House of Representatives.

“This impressive new facility underscores Duro-Last’s dedication to investing in ways to enhance our customers’ experience with us,” said CEO Tom Saeli. “We are proud to expand access to industry-leading products and services to the Northeast region, and would like to thank our customers whose loyalty and support have made this investment in Ludlow, Massachusetts possible.”

The 60,000-square-foot facility manufactures custom-fabricated roofing membranes and accessories for Duro-Last, and services the Northeast customer base. Approximately 20 new jobs have been created as a result of the expansion, and additional positions may become available as demand in the region grows.

### **About Duro-Last<sup>®</sup>, Inc.**

Known as the “World’s Best Roof<sup>®</sup>”, Duro-Last<sup>®</sup>, Inc. is the world's largest manufacturer of custom-fabricated, thermoplastic single-ply roofing systems. Factory controlled custom-fabrication can eliminate up to 85% of field seams, resulting in lower on-site labor costs and easier installation. Duro-Last’s roofing systems are sustainable and extremely durable. Over two billion square feet of Duro-Last membrane has been installed throughout North America. Duro-Last is headquartered in Saginaw, Michigan with additional manufacturing facilities in Grants Pass, Oregon; Jackson, Mississippi; Sigourney, Iowa; Carrollton, Texas; and Ludlow, Massachusetts. For more information on Duro-Last, call 800-248-0280 or visit [www.duro-last.com](http://www.duro-last.com).

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