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## Burns & McDonnell Moves to Larger Space in Orange County to Support Growth

BREA, California — <u>Burns & McDonnell</u>, a 100% employee-owned engineering, architecture and construction firm, is excited to announce the relocation and expansion of its <u>Orange County office in</u> <u>Brea, California</u>. This move accommodates the company's continued growth and enhances workspace amenities for its team.

The new 80,230-square-foot office at 145 S. State College Blvd. increases the firm's office space by nearly 60%, providing capacity for nearly 500 employees and offering new features to support collaboration and wellness. Amenities include expanded meeting spaces, a fitness center and a bikeshare program, all designed to foster a dynamic, connected work environment.

"As we grow our presence in California, this new office marks an exciting chapter for our team and strengthens our ability to deliver critical infrastructure projects for the region," says <u>Rashmi Menon</u>, vice president and general manager in California for Burns & McDonnell. "We look forward to expanding our partnerships and building the infrastructure that propels our communities into the future."

Burns & McDonnell has a long-standing commitment to California, dating back to the opening of its first state office in 1923. Since then, the firm has led projects in sectors including water, power, manufacturing, aviation, federal, environmental, life sciences and aerospace. The firm supports clients throughout California, including but not limited to Los Angeles World Airports, Hollywood Burbank Airport, City of Anaheim Public Utilities, Northrop Grumman, San Diego Gas & Electric, Southern California Edison, SoCalGas and the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California.

"The expansion of Burns & McDonnell in Brea is a testament to their commitment to creating quality jobs and supporting our local economy," says Brea Mayor Christine Marick. "We're proud to have such a strong partner contributing to the development and well-being of our community."

Today, Burns & McDonnell operates from offices in Brea, Los Angeles, San Diego, and the San Francisco Bay Area, which are home to more than 350 employee-owners nationwide. To support ongoing growth, nearly 50 positions are currently open across California.

In celebration of the expanded Brea office, which was first established in 2010, Burns & McDonnell employees gathered for a Thanksgiving luncheon.

"The growth of Burns & McDonnell is a welcome sign of the vitality and opportunity in our local business



community," says Lacy Schoen, president and CEO of the Brea Chamber of Commerce. "We're thrilled to see a prominent, employee-owned company like Burns & McDonnell expanding in Brea, bringing jobs and strengthening partnerships across our region."

Burns & McDonnell is ranked No. 1 in the Power industry and has earned recognition as one of the Top Design Firms in California by *Engineering News-Record*. Additionally, the Brea office was recently named a Best Place to Work in Orange County by the *Orange County Business Journal*.

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## About Burns & McDonnell

Working from more than 75 offices around the world, Burns & McDonnell designs and builds critical infrastructure. Our family of companies — driven by engineers, construction professionals, architects, planners, technologists and scientists — delivers projects grounded in safety and a desire to make a difference as we make our clients successful. Founded in 1898, Burns & McDonnell is 100% employee-owned. Learn more.