

June 2004



QUALITY NEWS

Oklahoma City Section 1408



American Society for Quality

Next Meeting
Thursday
June 17, 2004

GENERAL MOTORS

Location:
General Motors Plant
Oklahoma City, OK
(see map below)

PLANT TOUR

Time:
5:30pm-6:00pm Meeting
Tour begins @ 6:00pm

****Attendance is limited.**
You **MUST** RSVP no later
than Monday June 14th to
Rose Sutcliffe
405-721-8312

or e-mail to:
rsutcliffe@thehartleygroup.com

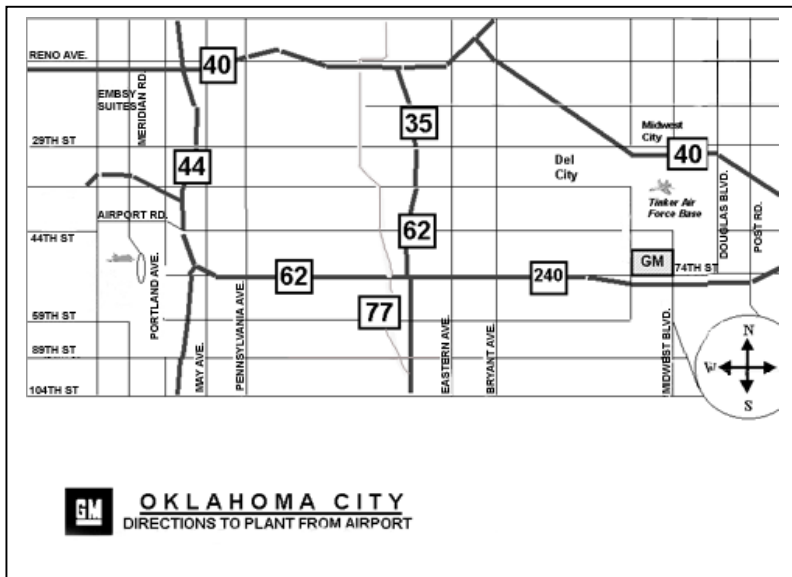
It's finally here! This month we have the great fortune of being guests of the General Motors Corporation (GMC) and will have an opportunity to tour the General Motors Plant in Southeast Oklahoma City.

GMC is one of the top 20 employers in Oklahoma City with over 3,000 employees. This 3 million square foot plant came to OKC in 1979 and manufactures the extended versions of the Chevrolet TrailBlazer (EXT), the GMC Envoy, The Envoy XUV and the ISUZU Ascender sport-utility vehicles. If you are going to join us YOU MUST RSVP & read the Safety Requirements on Page 3. **NOTE: NO OPEN TOE OR OPEN HEEL SHOES ARE ALLOWED ON THE PLANT FLOOR!!**



Directions from the Airport:

1. Go north on Meridian Rd. to Airport Rd. Go east on Airport Rd. to I-44.
2. Take I-44 West to I-240. (Yes, West is correct even though you will be traveling south at the point you get on I-44!)
3. Immediately get into any of the left three lanes so that you can go east on I-240.
4. Exit I-240 at the Air Depot exit. Then turn left and go north (under the I-240 overpass) to the intersection of Air Depot & S.E. 74th
5. Turn right and go east on SE 74th to Gate 4. Enter Gate 4 and take the first turn to the right. Go east to the center of the parking lot.



A flagpole is located outside of the front lobby to the Administration Building. We will meet and sign in at the foyer of the front lobby. If you need directions call Rose Sutcliffe or GM Plant Security at 405-733-6144.

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GM PLANT

Visitor Safety Protocol

All visitors to the Oklahoma City facility must receive a visitor safety orientation, which will be provided by your host before the tour at 5:30 pm.

Visitors Must:

- Sign-in at Plant Security and display proper identification that is visible on an outer garment at all time during the visit.
- Submit to package and briefcase checks when entering and exiting the facility.
- Comply with all plant safety requirements including lockout, fall hazard control and powered equipment operation.
- Obey all signs and warnings.
- Utilize mutilation prevention devices such as belt buckle protectors, ring covers, and watch covers.
- Not bring still cameras onto the site unless prior approval has been obtained and a photo pass issued.
- Not bring radio headphones, or use headsets attached to radios, tape players, or CD players on the site. Other similar forms of entertainment are also prohibited.

Clothing, Footwear and Safety Equipment

Visitors are required to wear appropriate clothing, footwear and safety equipments:

- **Safety Glasses With Side Shields** must be worn at all times while in the Body Shop, in fluid fill areas and when under overhead build processes. Other temporary situations may require the use of eye protection. If you need approved safety eyewear, your host will provide it.
- **Hearing Protection** must be worn at all times in designated areas. Be observant for signs requiring the use of hearing protection. Personal hearing protection is available from your host.
- **Footwear** must completely cover your foot. Sandals, high heeled shoes, open toed and open heel shoes are not permitted.
- **Protective Clothing (PPE)** - Kevlar sleeves are required at all times while visiting the Body Shop. If you handle sheet metal during your visit, you must wear Kevlar gloves. Special protective clothing is required to visit the paint shop, and you host will provided it.
- **Hard Hats and Safety Glasses** must be worn in construction areas as indicated by designated controlled access zones. Note: You shall not enter these areas unless you are authorized and have an explicit business purpose for being inside the zone.



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Welcome Our New Members!

Linda Belcher
Sheila Annette Casey
Linda Chandler
James P. Kilgore
Jeff Meshew
James Warren Porter

**ASQ Section 1408
July Meeting
July 15, 2004**

More Details to Come...