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GOEX Releases Third Annual Sustainability Report

GOEX is proud to announce the release of our latest Annual Sustainability Report, highlighting the meaningful progress we have made in advancing responsible manufacturing, expanding the use of recyclable and post-consumer recycled materials, and strengthening circular solutions throughout our operations.

More than a summary of accomplishments, this report reflects our long-term commitment to sustainability, safety, and continuous improvement utilizing principles that are embedded in how we operate, invest, and grow. For our customers, employees, suppliers, and communities, the report provides transparency into the actions we are taking to create lasting value while supporting a more resilient future.

"At GOEX, we recognize sustainability is not a single initiative or short-term goal. It is a disciplined approach that guides decisions across our people, products, and processes," says GOEX President, Michael Pregont. Through collaboration with customers and suppliers, we are designing products with end-of-life considerations in mind, increasing the use of recyclable and recycled-content materials, and expanding efforts to recover and reuse production scrap."

These initiatives help reduce environmental impact while also strengthening supply chain resilience and supporting practical, scalable solutions for the markets we serve.

Equally important is our commitment to our employees. We continue to foster a culture built on safety, accountability, and continuous improvement, where employee engagement and input help drive operational excellence and sustainable growth. Our people remain at the center of our success and play a critical role in achieving our sustainability objectives.

For our customers, sustainability is increasingly connected to business performance, product innovation, and long-term growth. The investments and initiatives highlighted in this year's annual sustainability report demonstrate how GOEX is helping customers meet evolving market demands while maintaining the quality, reliability, and service they expect from a trusted partner.

Looking ahead, GOEX remains committed to meeting customer needs in the most sustainable and responsible way possible. Together with our communities and partners, we will continue to advance our goals, measure our progress, and identify new opportunities to ensure GOEX remains a trusted steward of our environment for years to come.

We invite you to explore the report (online at www.goex.com/sustainability) and learn more about the goals, achievements, and actions shaping GOEX's sustainability journey.

Team GOEX

People are what makes GOEX a success. We are proud to recognize the following individuals and their dedicated teamwork. Those celebrating work anniversaries this quarter are:

5 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

Michael White - *Maintenance Tech II*

10 YEAR ANNIVERSARIES

Cheri Fuerstenberg - *Accounts Payable*

Michael Goodsell - *Quality Assurance Engineer*

Adam Hunsaker - *Material Handling Specialist*

Jesse Logue - *Production Coach*

Brady Monat - *Production Coach*

15 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

Michael Spohn - *Production Lead II*

35 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

Phillip Quade - *Director of Process*

Engineering / Continuous Improvement



RETIREMENT

Congratulations to Steve Olin -

Warehouse who retired from GOEX in July 2026 after 10 years of service.

Mental Health Awareness

In recognition of June being Men's Health Awareness Month, GOEX donated funds to the National Alliance on Mental Health (NAMI) for each of our employees who wore blue to work. The color blue is used to represent mental health because of its proven psychological connection to calmness, stability, and peace.

A big thank you to GOEX team members from all shifts who participated this year!

NAMI is the nation's largest grassroots mental health organization dedicated to building better lives for the millions of Americans affected by mental illness.



DRESS IN BLUE DAY



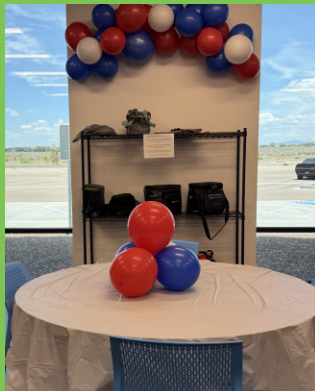
They provide free mental health support, online groups, resources and education. If you are struggling with your mental health, you can contact your local NAMI office at www.nami.org/nami-helpline/



Congratulations on Working Safely!

At GOEX, safety is more than a workplace requirement. It is a shared commitment to looking out for one another every day. In celebration of National Safety Month, our management team fired up the grill for a cookout to thank our employees for their dedication to working safely throughout the year.

We are proud of the culture our team has built and grateful for the care, accountability, and teamwork they demonstrate each day to help ensure everyone goes home safely. Thank you for making safety a core part of who we are.





Word from Leadership

As we close another fiscal year and look ahead to the opportunities before us, I'm reminded that meaningful growth begins with taking a moment to appreciate how far we've come.

This past year challenged industries across the globe, yet our team remained steadfast in delivering an unmatched customer experience. We continued investing in innovation, expanded our technical capabilities to provide industry-leading support, introduced new products across every market we serve, helped customers achieve their sustainability goals, and expanded capacity to meet evolving needs.

As a privately held company, our ability to move with agility and adapt quickly continues to be a meaningful advantage for both our customers and our business.

Equally important is our commitment to listening. The insights shared through our annual customer satisfaction survey, and regular face-to-face meetings, help shape our priorities, strengthen our partnerships, and reinforce our drive to continuously improve.

None of these accomplishments happen without the trust of our customers and the passion, expertise, and dedication of our employees. For that, I am both sincerely grateful and excited about what lies ahead.



Amanda Cunningham
Senior Vice President of Sales
GOEX Corporation

Not All APET is Created Equal

For medical device packaging professionals, material selection is about much more than cost or availability. Every packaging component plays a critical role in protecting patient safety, maintaining device integrity, and supporting regulatory compliance. While amorphous polyethylene terephthalate (APET) is widely used throughout healthcare, not all APET materials deliver the same level of performance.

Medical packaging demands exceptional clarity, consistency, cleanliness, thermoformability, and dimensional stability. Differences in resin quality, manufacturing processes, or material controls can impact forming performance, seal integrity, package appearance, and production efficiency. Inconsistent materials may increase scrap rates, create manufacturing challenges, and introduce unnecessary risk.

Quality and traceability are equally important. Medical packaging materials must be produced under tightly controlled conditions and supported by robust quality systems to help meet the industry's demanding regulatory requirements. At the same time, healthcare organizations are seeking packaging materials that support sustainability goals without sacrificing performance.

That is where GOEX's MEDPET® 90 delivers.

We developed this material specifically for rigid medical device packaging. MEDPET® 90 combines the performance advantages packaging professionals expect from premium APET with the consistency, quality, and reliability required for healthcare applications. This medical-grade polyester sheet offers exceptional clarity, excellent thermoforming performance, durability throughout demanding distribution environments, and a preferred recycling option. All in a cost-competitive solution designed for today's medical packaging market.

When performance, compliance, sustainability, and manufacturing efficiency matter, MEDPET® 90 is the APET solution engineered to deliver it all. Contact your GOEX Sales Account Manager or visit goex.com/products/polyester/medpet-90 to learn how MEDPET® 90 can elevate your next medical packaging application.

NAPCOR Annual PET Recycling Report Released

National Association for PET Container Resources

The National Association for PET Container Resources (NAPCOR) recently released its fifth annual report on the recycling of PET thermoforms. This report provides comprehensive look at PET thermoform packaging production, recycling, recycled content use, and policy developments across the United States and Canada. NAPCOR is constantly working to improve PET recycling of not only PET bottles but PET thermoforms as well. "PET thermoform manufacturers are a critical segment of NAPCOR membership and the PET value chain," stated Tom Busard, NAPCOR Board Chair.

When people think of PET, they often think of water bottles. However the use of PET extends into several applications including thermoformed clamshells, trays, tubs, lids and cups. All products made from PET can be identified with recycling identification code (RIC code) #1.

NAPCOR's analysis found that 264 million pounds of PET thermoforms were collected for recovery in 2024, the highest level recorded since NAPCOR began tracking PET thermoform recovery. This total includes material recovered domestically and exports for reclamation, reflecting continued progress in the collection and recycling of thermoformed packaging.

Advantages of PET Thermoforms - Pound for pound, PET thermoforms deliver higher value at lower cost and lower greenhouse gas emissions than many other packaging alternatives, including laminated cartons, bagasse (pulp), and paper- and wood-fiber molded materials. PET thermoforms typically have thin yet strong and durable sidewalls, saving material and weight. They are often designed with easy-to-open and tamper-evident features that help protect the product while allowing consumers to see its freshness. PET thermoform benefits include:

- **Transparency:** PET products maintain high optical clarity making it easy to see the contents inside of the package.
- **Multi-use:** Many PET thermoforms can be cleaned and reused, reducing their environmental footprint
- **Contamination Protection:** Edges can be sealed if airtight protection is needed
- **Freshness:** PET thermoforms help keep food fresher, reducing spoilage and waste
- **Versatility:** Can be customized to accommodate products of any size or shape
- **Durability:** Can survive impact and handling during transport

According to NAPCOR's news release on the recycling of PET thermoforms, "Our analysis shows encouraging growth in recovery while also highlighting the infrastructure, market, and policy challenges that must be addressed to further improve circularity." said Laura Stewart, Executive Director of NAPCOR. Since the 1990s, post-consumer recycled PET has been used in PET thermoforms for both food and non-food packaging. Over the past five years, the number of recycled PET thermoforms has continued to grow.

As a proud member of NAPCOR, GOEX will continue to invest in and support the advancement of PET recycling initiatives. As a supplier of PET sheet to thermoformers and OEMs, GOEX is a trusted development partner helping our customers improve packaging performance, reduce risk, meet regulatory requirements, and advance sustainability goals simultaneously across the markets we serve.



GOEX's CONSERVE® PET products are commonly used in the food packaging thermoform market. Our CONSERVE® food-grade recyclable materials bring a cost-effective option to rigid plastic sheet used in both thermoformed trays and form, fill & seal (FFS) applications to help extend the shelf-life and freshness of food. Our CONSERVE® material line up includes virgin and recycled content options, customized to balance the goals of your application with sustainability impact.

For more information on GOEX's complete line-up of recyclable materials and sustainability programs, contact us at goex@goex.com.



Upcoming Tradeshows

ATTENDING



September 23-25, 2026
Las Vegas Convention Center
Las Vegas, NV

EXHIBITING



October 18-21, 2026
McCormick Place, Chicago, IL
Booth # W-23090

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