



Precast beam on its way to the Sofidel project in Circleville, OH.



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## R.W. Sidley, Inc. Newsletter



Sidley Precast Group is supplying the large support beams for the new Sofidel manufacturing plant in Circleville, OH. Sofidel, an Italian tissue manufacturer is building a new 1.4 million square-foot production facility that is set to open in 2018.



The support beams are for roof structure of Building C, they are made with lightweight concrete and weigh almost 42 tons each and are 84'-8" long x 5'-7-1/4" high. The project includes production and delivery of 54 large beams and 54 smaller beams.

The logistics involved in transporting the beams from Thompson to Circleville required permitted super heavy loads for a 90' trailer with an escort, the loads could not leave until 30 minutes after sunrise.

### FEATURED EMPLOYEE



**Zack Densmore**

Zack Densmore has been a drafter for our precast division for over 2-1/2 years. His main responsibility is detailing shop cards for the plant. The shop cards are used to produced the precast components and contain all the engineered specification for dimensions, reinforcement, and lifting hardware.

Zack joined the Sidley team because he gets to utilize the skills he learned in his college degree. He loves



350 Oliver project in Pittsburgh, PA, a mixed-used complex on the site of the former Saks 5th Avenue Department Store, during erection of the lower level retail space and parking garage.

## PCI Certified Erectors

Sidley Precast Group is a member of PCI (Precast/Prestressed Concrete Institute), which certifies our plants and personnel. Part of the PCI certification program is the Certified Erector program, that provides assurance that the high-quality concrete components produced by a Certified Plant are erected to the exacting standards expected by owners, developers, architects, contractors, and precast concrete structures industry as a whole. It represents the highest commitment to safety and quality an erector can achieve under the PCI Quality Assurance System.



Recently AIG, our PA Workers Compensation Insurance Company, did an on-site safety audit at the 350 Oliver project in downtown Pittsburgh. The auditor had positive comments regarding our Field Supervisor, Dale Work.

*"I do want to note that I was very impressed with your operations and diligence of Mr. Work and his crew on the site. I have worked with other precast erectors and have had poor experience with their project safety, it was not the case at your Oliver Avenue project."*

Keith D. Johnson, CHST, CRIS

working here because he gets to continue to expand those skills. Zack received his Associates in Architectural and Mechanical Design at Hocking College in Nelsonville, OH.

In his free time Zack enjoys Cleveland sports including the Indians, Cavs and Browns, as well as playing softball and flag football.

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## Decorative Concrete

If you are thinking about installing a concrete patio it doesn't have to be flat gray, it can be highly decorative and mimic many natural materials. This new concrete backyard patio was stamped to look like natural stone and then stained and sealed for long term protection.

Concrete offers versatility, since it can be finished in so many different ways, and is durable in northern climates with freeze thaw conditions providing a long lifespan for homeowners, with low maintenance. The patio shown was finished by Larry Heller of Heller Brothers Concrete, 440.363.3011. One of the many great contractors that we work with at R.W. Sidley, Inc. on small and large projects.



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R.W. Sidley, Inc. is currently hiring for multiple positions, at many of our locations across Northeast Ohio and Western Pennsylvania. We offer competitive wages and benefit packages, including healthcare and retirement benefits. [Click here for more details.](#)



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