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Lt. Governor Kleefisch works at Gulfstream; highlights available jobs, workforce growth

(Appleton, WI) – Lt. Governor Kleefisch’s first stop on her “Real Jobs Tour” was hosted by Gulfstream Aerospace Corporation in Appleton, Wisconsin. Lt. Governor Kleefisch spent the day getting trained by employees and working beside them at some of Gulfstream jobs that have been posted at the Job Center of Wisconsin.

“Today, I rolled up my sleeves with the employees of Gulfstream and learned about some of the amazing opportunities right here in the Fox Valley. Gulfstream’s commitment to innovation is allowing them to add positions to this facility and I hope many more in years to come.”

“Even though our unemployment rate is well below the national average, we still have work to do in Wisconsin. Whether it is here at Gulfstream or one of the over 2,500 employers that currently have job postings at Job Center of Wisconsin, we need to continue to connect job creators and job seekers.”

“We are thrilled to host Lt. Governor Kleefisch here today. She did a great job working with our employees and learning what Gulfstream is all about, said Greg Laabs, vice president and general manager of the Gulfstream Appleton facility. “Gulfstream has had an exceptional relationship with the Appleton community and we are pleased to be able to create more job opportunities here with the best workforce around.”

Gulfstream Aerospace Corp. announced in January that it planned to increase employment at its Appleton, Wis., facility by approximately 100 positions in the next year to support growing volume in completions work for Gulfstream large-cabin aircraft, including the recently certified G650. The site currently has approximately 725 employees, including nearly 425 technicians. It has approximately 275,000 square feet of hangar, shop and support space.