



PRESIDENTS FORUM AGENDA

Date: **Wednesday, August 11th, 2021**
Time: 10:45 am to 2:30 pm
Location: **G&W ELECTRIC**
245 Crossroads Parkway
Bolingbrook, IL 60440

PART ONE: AUTOMATION SERIES **TOUR OF** **G&W ELECTRIC**

For the next two Presidents Forum meetings we will be doing a two-part series on Automation. As such, we will be touring two companies: G&W Electric in August and Spraying Systems in September.

With residual fear of Covid, ongoing stimulus benefits and lack of childcare, hiring has been extremely difficult. This has created additional urgency to increase automation.

We will have an opportunity to see and learn first-hand from Operations leaders at each company on how they have incorporated Automation into their processes, both on the plant floor and companywide.

The itinerary will be as follows:

10:45 AM Arrival and check-in

11:00 AM Meet with G&W Operations team who will walk us through their philosophy on

Automation, including: What is the goal of Automation? How do they implement and then measure the effectiveness and ROI on Automation?

12:00 PM Box lunches brought in while we carry on with the presentation.

12:30 PM Commence Tour. To facilitate better communication, we will break down into groups of 5-6.

On the tour we will hear from specific cell leaders on their automation efforts in their respect areas.

2:00 PM Return to meeting room. Follow on discussion and tour comments

2:30 PM Adjournment

Directions: <https://goo.gl/maps/CMFDtdooC9TT7bE86>

Parking instructions: Please park in the visitor parking lot east of the 245 building.

G&W Requirement: You will be required to sign in at the reception area. Safety glasses are required for the plant tour. If you do not have safety glasses, we will issue you a pair at the reception area. A Covid-19 form will also be issued, and Sue will collect these before the meeting starts. As new visitors, you will be required to watch a safety video, which Sue will show before commencing the meeting.

There is a limit of 35 people for this tour, so it will be on a first come-first served basis. Let us know ASAP if you will be attending. Also, we will open this meeting up if you would like to bring a key operations executive.

FUTURE MEETING DATES

September 8th	October 13th	November 10th
Part 2: Tour of Spraying Systems on Automation	Inverness G.C.	Inverness G.C.

