Raynor welcomes new director of manufacturing

In January, Raynor Garage Doors welcomed Jason Bronowski as the new director of manufacturing, where he will be responsible for all aspects of manufacturing.

Bronowski previously worked for Raynor from January 1995 to September 2012. He started as a manufacturing engineer and was promoted to supervisor. He was instrumental in several major projects, including moving the Steel Door line twice.

Bronowski comes from Zurn Elkay Water Solutions, where he held various positions (including manager of product engineering). ■



Industry veteran Ed Curry passes away

On March 23, 2023, Edward ("Ed") D. Curry, of DoorKing, passed away in Philadelphia after battling a long illness.

Curry was a well-known veteran working in the industry for almost 30 years. He started with DoorKing on April 4, 1994, as the East Coast regional sales manager. "Ed loved his job, and his customers loved him as well. He always stood for fairness and was well known for his product and industry knowledge. He was a man of integrity and honesty and was highly respected by all in our industry," said Dusty Beeding, DoorKing national sales director.



Curry was an avid baseball fan and outdoorsman who enjoyed hunting, fishing, skiing, biking, and assisting at his daughter's horse shows. His biggest passion and joy were his family and home. He is survived by his wife Nancy, daughters Colleen and Maegan, and sister Carol.

Safe-Way Garage Doors welcomes new VP of operations

In March, Safe-Way Garage Doors welcomed Scott Taylor as the new vice president of operations. Taylor has 32 years of engineering, manufacturing, and operations experience in



various leadership roles. Previously, he worked in China as general manager of a Fortune 35 manufacturing group where he oversaw the operations at multiple factories.

He has over three decades of manufacturing experience, most of them spent in equipment manufacturing, and he has specialized in heating and air conditioning as well as ozone generators for the water treatment industry.

Taylor holds a bachelor's degree in electrical engineering from Purdue University and a master's degree in finance and international business from Oklahoma City University. In addition, he has a certified Six Sigma Black Belt in Lean Manufacturing.

Raynor promotes Brandon Treviranus to director of accounting

In November, Raynor announced Brandon Treviranus as their new director of accounting. Treviranus will be responsible for directing the accounting functions of the company and its subsidiaries.

Since joining Raynor in November 2015, he has held several positions within the accounting department, including accounting manager. Prior to joining Raynor, Treviranus worked at Ernst & Young in Des Moines, Iowa.

Treviranus graduated from Drake University with a double major in accounting and finance.



Raynor appoints RJ Shannon director of logistics

In November, Raynor Garage Doors promoted RJ Shannon to director of

logistics for their Dixon, III. facility. In the new role, he will oversee the distribution centers, transportation, and inventory control.

Shannon is participating in Raynor's Next Generation Management Development Program, which is a rotational leadership program that provides a 360-degree understanding of the business and serves as a platform for growth and success. Director of logistics is the next step in his program.



Previously, Shannon has served

in several positions at Raynor, including customer service representative, residential product manager, regional sales manager, and Dixon distribution center manager. He was also a major contributor to the Corporate Drive Campus facility.

He holds a bachelor's degree in industrial distribution with a minor in business administration from Texas A&M University and a master's degree in business administration from the University of Chicago Booth School of Business.

Alpine appoints new business development manager

In May, Alpine Overhead Doors appointed Sean Morelli as the company's business development manager. Morelli will focus on helping Alpine continue to grow and gain market share through several key initiatives, including AlpineConnect (the company's online customer success platform), partnership



programs, and educational initiatives.

Alpine was founded by Morelli's uncles in the early 1970's. His professional career at the company began 30 years ago. During his 14-year tenure, he worked on multiple initiatives, focusing primarily on engineering and product development. Then, he switched to the healthcare field, where he worked for several Fortune 500 companies. His previous experience allowed him to develop key skills in relationship management, product development, marketing, and more.

Raynor announces new senior product manager



In January, Raynor Garage Door promoted Stacey Hummel to senior product manager, where she will continue planning and developing market strategies for products.

Hummel joined Raynor in April 2017 as a product manager. In that role, she contributed to several key rollouts, including product launches for the following Raynor models: Aspen Contempra AP200N, Aspen LuxeVue AP200LV, Country Manor, and Eden Coast by Raynor. She also served as project lead for the

Richard-Wilcox Landmark line conversion and launch in 2018.

Hummel participated in bringing several additional products to the market, including Distinct Finish Woodtones and recessed-ranch panel options for the Aspen line and ThermaXPS insulation and Sleek Slightline glass stylings to Raynor's aluminum products.

Garaga hires technical advisor to support dealers

In February, Eric Bourque joined the Garaga team as a technical adviser. In this role, Bourque will be dedicated to answering questions about openers and their accessories. He will also help dealers quote the proper products on estimates and offer troubleshooting assistance in the field.



Working for over 20 years in the field of electric motors and industrial electrical components, Bourque brings an extensive electrical engineering background. He has also developed solid expertise in sales and technical support.

His passion for new technologies, ability to simply explain step-by-step techniques, and willingness to help others have already made a difference to Garaga dealers.

Raynor hires national accounts sales manager

In April, Raynor Garage Doors hired Ryan Teklinsky as national accounts sales manager, where he will be responsible for developing relationships with current and prospective Raynor account partners.

Teklinsky most recently worked at (and co-owned) Emtek Property Group in Pittsburgh, Pa. Prior to Emtek, he worked for BEA in various positions, including sales executive, distribution sales manager, and industrial sales manager; and he brings a wealth of customer relationship management and industry experience.

