



## THE HOME DEPOT CANADA OPENS DOORS TO NEW STOCK AND FLOW CAMPUS

*Creating Jobs And Supporting The Local Economy in Calgary*

**March 23, 2016** (Calgary, AB) – [The Home Depot Canada](#) officially opened its first Stock and Flow Campus (SFC) in Western Canada. Located in Calgary, Alberta, the campus created more than 150 jobs for the community throughout its construction and opening. This new facility will ensure the right amount of stock flows to stores across Canada.

The SFC campus is made up of two buildings:

- A 425,000 square foot Rapid Deployment Centre (RDC), which will be a fast-flowing distribution centre, sending products directly to more than 60 stores located across Western Canada, and
- A 640,000 square foot Stocking Distribution Centre (SDC) that will serve as national hub to warehouse product and service stores across Canada.

Giving back is a core value of The Home Depot Canada and is achieved through [The Home Depot Foundation](#), which supports initiatives that help put an end to youth homelessness in Canada. As part of this ongoing commitment, The Home Depot Canada presented the [Boys and Girls Club of Calgary](#) with a \$5,000 donation.

“Transforming our supply chain is an important part of our plan to deliver the most convenient experience and best value for our customers,” said **Serge Carestia, Vice President of Supply Chain, The Home Depot Canada**. “The new Calgary campus will ensure all our stores always have the products they need to help our customers complete their home improvement projects.”

### Quick Facts

- At 1,065,000 square feet, together the Calgary SFC would be large enough for The Saddledome
- The Calgary SFC will have 289 loading/unloading doors and 629 trailer parking spaces
- The Home Depot Canada has 182 stores across the country
- Each Home Depot Canada store has up to 40,000 home improvement products on its shelves
- In November 2015, the Home Depot Canada opened its first SFC campus in Vaughan, Ontario to service Central and Eastern Canada

### About The Home Depot

The Home Depot is the world's largest home improvement specialty retailer, with 2,274 retail stores in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, 10 Canadian provinces and Mexico. In fiscal 2014, The Home Depot had sales of \$83.2 billion and earnings of \$6.3 billion. The Company employs more than 370,000 associates. The Home Depot's stock is traded on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE: HD) and is included in the Dow Jones industrial average and Standard & Poor's 500 index.

## **About The Home Depot Canada Foundation**

The Home Depot Canada Foundation is committed to supporting initiatives that help put an end to youth homelessness in Canada. On any given night, more than 6,000 young people are without a place to call home, making youth homelessness one of the most urgent social issues facing Canadians today. Through The Orange Door Project initiative, in 2013 the Foundation made a three-year, \$10-million pledge to support long-term solutions that will put an end to youth homelessness in Canada. In collaboration with community partners, thought leaders, The Home Depot Canada's suppliers, customers and associates we are focused on improving places through renovation and repair projects and supporting programs that give youth the resources they require to build brighter futures. For more information, please visit: [www.homedepot.ca/foundation](http://www.homedepot.ca/foundation)

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