

# DEALER SPOTLIGHT: CARROLL CONSTRUCTION SUPPLY



## CARROLL CONSTRUCTION SUPPLY "An Employee-Owned Company"



A parts order placed in 2005 started the flow of business between Carroll Construction Supply and MFC. From that humble beginning, orders have continued on steady incline as Carroll expanded with new stores and territories.

In the early 1590's, brothers Dick and Royce Carroll were operating a lumberyard in Ottumwa, Iowa. The direction of this business changed dramatically in 1954 when the brothers were presented with the opportunity of representing Gates & Sons and their new concrete ties. The timing was perfect as Iowa contractors embraced all types of concrete construction. Today, almost 70 years later, Carroll Construction Supply is a major distributor of concrete forming and construction products with 29 locations spanning 10 states.



INDIANAPOLIS, IN.

What started as a lumberyard has expanded to be a one-stop source for contractors engaged in all types of construction. In addition to a multitude of residential and commercial concrete forms and accessories, Carroll represents top-line general construction equipment including Wacker and Husqvarna. Beyond concrete forming and construction equipment, Carroll also handles chemical and repair materials along with full lines of job-site supplies, hand tools and safety equipment.

It's not a coincidence that Carroll and MFC began doing business together at about the same time that Tom Verzani's career path took him to Carroll. Tom's previous employer had represented MFC for many years, so Tom was familiar with the "Form to Finish" product line. Tom is now Director of Purchasing at Carroll and comments:

*"In my previous purchasing position, I became familiar with the durable products and excellent service offered by MFC and brought that knowledge and trust with me to Carroll."*

Among the employee benefits that attracted Tom to Carroll is the Employee Stock Ownership Plan (ESOP) introduced by Steve Carroll, the son of founder, Dick Carroll. Steve stresses that the success of Carroll is a result of its employee owners: "The goals we have accomplished were only possible with their hard work and dedication. The ESOP gives true ownership to the employees who deserve it most".

This Carroll team effort is the driving force behind the expansion of operations beyond its historical Midwest roots. Besides Nebraska, South Dakota, Minnesota, Iowa, Kansas, Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, Kentucky and Ohio, Carroll now has locations in Pennsylvania, Florida and Texas.

The culmination of each year for Carroll and many of their vendor partners is a World Of Concrete \open house held by Carroll in Las Vegas. This event gives the employees a chance to thank the vendors for their contributions to the achievements of the Carroll Supply Team. MFC appreciates being honored at the 2023 Las Vegas gathering and looks forward to successfully teaming with Carroll Supply in the years to come.



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