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On the heels of the recent Vari-Form announcement comes another recruitment success. Today, a new automotive supplier company became an important player in the KC metro area's transportation industry.

We are pleased to announce the addition of Detroit-based [Piston Automotive Group](#) to Liberty. The company selected Liberty for its first expansion out of Michigan. Piston's decision will create more than 50 manufacturing jobs for the area. The company will lease 75,000-square-feet for its assembly and distribution operations.

The project came to us through the Kansas City Area Development Council. Partners in this recruitment effort include:

- City of Liberty
- Aquila
- CB Richard Ellis
- Clay County Economic Development Council
- Colliers Turley Martin Tucker
- Missouri Department of Economic Development
- KC SmartPort

KCADC sourced this project six months ago with the help of CB Richard Ellis.