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## **STERLING REPUTATION ON SHOW AT PPXXI**

Organizers of PPXXI in Lake Buena Vista welcome Dow and Molecor as Silver Sponsors and Sica America Corp as a Lunch Sponsor for the conference and exhibition scheduled for September 25 – 27, 2023.

Sarah Patterson, PPXXI Organizing Committee Chair shared: “Dow recently celebrated its 125th anniversary. With over a century of industry experience and collaboration, Dow is developing raw materials for industries such as pipe, irrigation, and infrastructure throughout the world. Dow's pioneering efforts continue to inspire and drive progress towards a brighter, more sustainable future.”

“Our commitment goes far beyond the manufacturing and delivery of quality polyethylene resins. With our global reach and continuous focus on R&D and innovation, we work closely with our partners to develop custom-tailored solutions that meet and exceed specifications.” said Lauren Boss, Senior Marketing Manager, Dow. “We are delighted to be a sponsor of PPXXI in 2023.”

“Molecor is based in Spain and founded in 2006.” Patterson remarks. “Their focused efforts have propelled oriented PVC pipe from DN110 (4”) mm to DN1200 mm (48”) and up to 25 bar and 305 psi of pressure.”

Dolores Herran, Molecor Business Development and MKT Director, said: “Molecor continues to spearhead the technical advancement of high pressure, light weight and extremely durable pipe systems that their unique technology brings to the table. Further, we continue developing our Sustainability Strategy which includes incorporating renewable energy sources. In this way, Molecor contributes to this growing circular economy with our products and our manufacturing practices and we also work for the digitalization of our plastic pipes water networks.”

Also announced is Sica America Corp as a PPXXI Lunch Sponsor. “Sica displays a passion for R&D and for the plastic pipe world beginning 60 years ago by Osvaldo Giacomoni.” notes Patterson.

“Our North American company is part of the globally renowned Sica S.p.A., the Italian producer of downstream equipment that are integral to the manufacturing of rigid and flexible plastic extruded pipe,” comments Valeria Giacomoni, Sica S.p.A. Managing Director – President. “Our innovative designs reflect our commitment to sustainability efforts by improving energy and raw material efficiencies.”

The following sponsors are now on board for PPXXI in Lake Buena Vista:

- Corporate: Chevron Phillips Chemical
- Gold: battenfeld-cincinnati; Lyondellbasell
- Silver: Element Materials Technology; Dow; Molecor
- Gala Dinner: The European Plastic Pipes and Fittings Association (TEPPFA)
- Welcome Reception iNOEX
- iPad: PE100+ Association; PVC4Pipes
- Lunch Sponsors: Tecnomatic; FB Balzanelli; Sica America Corp.
- Coffee Breaks: INVISTA; PSILAB

Information, online registration, exhibition space and further sponsorship opportunities for Plastic Pipes XXI are now available through: <https://ppxxi.com>.

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Notes to Editors: PPCA conferences are self-financing and any profits from one event are reinvested in future conferences, educational tools or "spin-off" events.

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