

With record sales and an award-winning work environment, Sherwin-Williams

is right at home.

# Why Ohio?

**LAST YEAR,** Sherwin-Williams surpassed \$6 billion in sales for the first time in company history, with double-digit growth in revenues, volume and profit. It was also named one of the *Fortune* 100 Best Companies to Work For.<sup>®</sup> Few companies can satisfy both stockholders and employees so successfully. But it's not surprising for a company based in Ohio, where the business and personal sides of life are equally attractive.

Bring  
Your  
Business.  
Enrich  
Your  
Life.

On the personal side, Ohio is a great place to live and raise a family, with a diverse culture, quality schools and affordable housing. For business, Ohio offers ready access to the latest technology, research and development, a skilled workforce and a newly reformed tax code filled with profitable incentives. For example, the first \$1 million in gross receipts for businesses are now tax-free. Sound inviting? Call us. Or visit [OhioMeansBusiness.com](http://OhioMeansBusiness.com) and see how business success and personal satisfaction go hand in hand in Ohio.

*"In Ohio's increasingly business-friendly environment, we'll continue to invest in product innovation, new technology and capacity to strengthen our position as an industry leader."*

— Christopher M. Connor, Chairman, President & CEO  
The Sherwin-Williams Company

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**Attract talent.**  
**Shrink labor costs.** 21% lower personal income tax.

**Enhance ROI.** No property tax on investments in machinery and equipment.

**Reduce tax rates.** No business tax on product sold to customers outside Ohio.

**Enjoy a level playing field.** All companies taxed the same.

**Start a new enterprise.** First \$1M gross receipts are tax-free.

**Spend less on compliance.** Fair, simple, equitable. Lower cost of doing business.

**Plan accurately.** Stable, efficient, predictable. No tax surprises.

**Ohio**  
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