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About DPS

DPS Automotive Group is the premier provider of aftermarket products and services for discerning automotive retailers in the Chicago area. Currently located in Wheeling, Ill., DPS partners with automotive retailers to enhance profitability and increase customer satisfaction. We combine an extensive network of automotive aftermarket suppliers with more than 50 years of expertise to deliver quality enhancements to automotive retailers and their customers.

History and Growth

Tom Waitzman, founder and president of DPS, started the company in 2009. A 14-year career in the aftermarket vehicle technology industry culminated in the opportunity to start a company purely focused on servicing automotive retailers. Building on a reputation of integrity and a dedication to customer satisfaction, DPS has evolved into the most sought-after aftermarket provider in the Chicago area. With 16 dedicated staff members, we have expanded our services to meet the changing needs of automotive retailers, coupling full-vehicle protection and style enhancement with turnkey audio, video, safety and security installation. Our current 6,000 square foot facility and 5 Vehicle fleet allows DPS to consistently service more than 30 dealerships in and around Chicago.

Operation

We operate Monday - Friday from 8AM to 6PM.

We are looking to relocate our facility to 855 W. University Drive to continue our path of growth and success. Our operation consists of 4 main categories, Electronics, Film, Environmental Protection Packages and Accessories. Our building would house an office, warehouse and installation area. Below is a description of the main categories and the tools, equipment and practices involved in them.

We do not plan on making any changes to the building and would like to move in ASAP.

Electronics: This includes remote car starters, safety systems, mobile entertainment and other related accessories.

Tools used: Various hand tools, cordless drills and cordless soldering irons

Film: This includes window tint, clear bra and vinyl wraps.

Tools Used: Various hand tools, razor knife, heat gun and steam machine

Environmental Protection Packages: This includes paint sealant fabric protection, leather protection, rust inhibitor and undercoating.

Tools Used: Spray bottles, towles, vacuum and spray gun

Accessories: This includes leather interiors, step tubes, running boards, tonneau covers, spray in bedliners and trailer hitches.

Tools Used: Various hand tools, cordless power tools, spray gun, heat gun and steam machine