AHS International and the Philadelphia Chapter of the American Helicopter Society will be celebrating a very special event... and you are invited!

Vertical Flight Heritage Site Dedication Ceremony

The former Morton, PA helicopter factory was selected by the AHS as a Vertical Flight Heritage Site. Piasecki, Vertol, and Boeing Vertol manufactured nearly 2000 tandem rotor helicopters at this factory including HRPs, HUPs, and H-21s to CH-46 Sea Knights and early model CH-47 Chinooks from 1947 to 1971.

The event coincides with the 70th anniversary of the ground breaking for the Morton factory in the fall of 1946 and the centennial year of The Boeing Company (1916).

Friday, June 17, 2016 – Agenda

10:00 am  Site Open to Guests, Visitors and Speakers
10:15    Welcome and Introductions, A.J. Fiory, Boeing
10:25    Remarks by Piasecki Aircraft Corp., John Piasecki
10:30    Remarks by Boeing, Gary Baker
10:35    Remarks by the UAW, Albert Gavetti
10:40    Keynote Remarks US Congressman Pat Meehan
10:50    Plaque Dedication / Unveiling by AHS International, Mike Hirschberg
10:55    Photographs with Speakers
11:00    Light Reception, All

Street address location of the former factory (now a BJs retail store) is:
1260 E Woodland Ave, Springfield, PA 19064