warehouse and delivery operation in Indianapolis. The building will serve as a distribution center for Tyler's custom-blended fertilizer products and specialty chemicals.

Wright Mfg. moving to expand
GAITHERSBURG, MD — Wright Manufacturing, Inc., is moving its headquarters to a new building in Frederick, MD, 21 miles north of its present headquarters.

Milliken new distributor for Sybron
SALEM, VA — Milliken Turf Products, Spartanburg, SC, recently became Sybron Chemicals' newest distributor for global turf markets.

Echo expands Lake Zurich facility
LAKE ZURICH, IL — Echo Inc. is adding over 155,000 sq. ft. of office and distribution space to its Lake Zurich facility. This is the third expansion at the Lake Zurich facility since the original building was built in 1989.

IGP acquires Vandenburg
BOSTON, MA — International Garden Products (IGP), Boston, MA, acquired Vandenburg Bulb Co., Chester, NY. IGP is a grower-supplier of ornamental plants and horticultural specialty products to U.S. garden centers and retailers. Vandenburg is a processor of perennials and flower bulbs from Holland, the U.S. and other sources worldwide.

Nature Safe hired Chuck Barber as regional sales manager for the mid-Atlantic and New England states and Ibsen Dow as regional sales manager for the western U.S.

Environmental Industries (EI), the parent company of Environmental Care (ECI), named Richard Sperber president of ECI. Sperber will also continue to serve as senior vice president and chief operating officer of EI.

Simplot Turf and Horticulture named Bill Whitacre president.

People & companies

Bayer Corp. named Dan Carrothers head of marketing for the company's Garden & Professional Care unit. The company also named Phil McNally, Ph.D., field research and development representative for the western U.S. and Chuck Silcox, Ph.D., field research and development representative for the northeastern U.S.