



## **3PL Returns to St. Paul**

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Minneapolis-based Murphy Warehouse Co. opened 120,000 square feet of distribution space in downtown St. Paul, Minn., 40 years after the third-party logistics provider closed its last major operations in the central city.

"We are very excited to return to St. Paul and broaden our service offerings - including enhanced pick and pack services - to better serve our customers," said Richard Murphy, Jr., president, CEO and fourth generation owner of Murphy.

Clients at the East Eighth Street location include Canadian outdoor camping accessories manufacturer Coghlan's, which will base its U.S. distribution activities in St. Paul; luxury soft toy maker Jellycat, which will use Murphy's pick-pack services at its new U.S. distribution headquarters; and herbal health formula producer Airborne, which will maintain raw material inventory at the St. Paul facility.

Murphy Warehouse, founded 104 years ago, operates 12 warehouse and distribution centers in the greater Minneapolis-St. Paul area, though the refurbished facility is the company's first downtown since 1968.

"We've always been dedicated to keeping our business in the Twin Cities, but to return to St. Paul is something we have looked forward to for a long time," Murphy said. "It's a return to our roots."