

Orlando A/C firm adds jobs with 2 new divisions

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Shaw Mechanical Services LLC is opening two new divisions that will create more than 10 jobs with annual salaries of up to \$100,000.

The 7-year-old, Orlando-based commercial heating, ventilating and air-conditioning firm's new divisions will be housed at its main headquarters at 4506 Parkbreeze Court in Orlando.

A growing number of inquiries about residential work spurred the addition of one new division, says David Shaw, company founder and president. "I decided I was tired of telling people no."

Ken Eggert is Shaw's operations manager for the new residential division.

The second new division — special projects — is designed to make project work easier, says Mark Woehrle, vice president of operations and new head of the division.

Shaw Mechanical's new special projects division



Shaw



Woehrle

Shaw Mechanical Services LLC



Top official: David Shaw, founder and president

Line of business:

Commercial heating, ventilating and air-conditioning

New divisions: Residential work and special projects

Headquarters: 4506 Parkbreeze Court, Orlando 32808

2007 revenue: \$11.4 million

Employees: 70

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will work directly with project owners, which allows the firm to set the pace for when work will get done. It also will create better coordination with employees instead of having to work around multiple subcontractors and, ultimately, get paid quicker, says Woehrle.

"We've done work with owners, but really didn't define it until now," says Shaw. "We're basically a prime contractor."