## Wakefield Thermal Facility Expansion Exeter, NH | Optiline Enterprises LLC

• **Project Overview**: A 108,000 SF renovation and expansion (68,000 SF renovation, 40,000 SF addition) of Wakefield Thermal's manufacturing facility, completed in 12 months, modernizing a legacy site into a high-tech aerospace and defense production hub while maintaining active operations.

## • Key Features:

- Delivered light gauge metal framing, drywall, and acoustical treatments with zero lost-time incidents, using digital layout tools and prefab panelization.
- Integrated new construction with the existing facility, incorporating acoustical dampening to minimize noise and vibration in active production areas.
- Enhanced sustainability with low-VOC products, energy-efficient insulation, and daylighting in office and production spaces.
- Innovations & Challenges:
  - Overcame supply chain disruptions through phased material procurement and off-site fabrication, meeting an aggressive schedule.
  - Utilized BIM coordination to resolve MEP conflicts early, optimizing wall assemblies for fire-rating and thermal performance.
  - Navigated contaminated soil zones, adjusting layouts to comply with environmental regulations while protecting wetlands.
- **Project Impact**: Transformed the facility into a future-ready production hub, delivered on time and within budget, earning praise for safety, precision, and environmental stewardship.
- **Teamwork**: Achieved through Optiline Enterprises' leadership in interior systems, with Fulcrum Associates (construction manager), AHP Architects, Fitzemeyer & Tocci (MEP), Goldstein Milano LLC (structural), and TFMoran (civil), supported by Optiline's project team: Leo Marchesseault, Denis Alves, Denis Dube, Roger Colem, Monica Baez, and Hector Velez.

























