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Cranshaw Const. appoints Fenton as CEO

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David Fenton

Newton, MA Cranshaw Construction has appointed David Fenton as chief executive officer. A seasoned industry leader with a track record of delivering high-impact projects, Fenton will oversee the firm's strategic direction, accelerate long-term growth, and elevate Cranshaw's presence across the region and industry.

Fenton joins Cranshaw after more than 20 years at Suffolk Construction, where he rose through the ranks from project manager to chief operations officer, first leading Northeast commercial operations and later serving as national government chief operations executive. He has led some of Boston's most visible and complex projects, including 10 World Trade and South Station Tower, and most recently spearheaded Suffolk's national re-entry into federal government work. At Cranshaw, he will apply his proven track record in driving revenue, leading operational excellence, and cultivating client relationships to advance the firm's next phase of growth.

Cranshaw Construction is a general contracting and construction management firm with experience delivering complex projects across New England, including multi-family residences, assisted living communities, industrial facilities, lifestyle centers, and lab and office space. Cranshaw manages projects from early concept through final occupancy with practical, cost-effective solutions that enhance the tenant experience, as well as long-term value and marketability.

"Cranshaw is at an exciting inflection point; with a strong foundation, a trusted reputation, and a talented team ready to take on what's next," said David Fenton, CEO of Cranshaw. "I'm energized by the opportunity to build on that momentum, expand our impact, and position Cranshaw for long-term, sustainable growth in a rapidly evolving industry."

"This moment captures the path we're on, pushing the boundaries of what we build, entering dynamic new markets, and delivering premier projects for our clients and the community," said Jeff Fishbone, principal at Cranshaw Construction. "David's leadership strengthens our ability to grow intentionally, while continuing to invest in our people, preserve our collaborative culture, and uphold the high standards our clients count on. We're thrilled to welcome him to Cranshaw."

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