

# ESTIMÉ MONTHLY

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## Estimé Helps Prepare Polymer Composites for Haitian Housing

Several years ago, an emergency isolation and treatment facility—emergency hospital—was assembled in Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, on the outskirts of Pittsburgh. That facility was assembled, under a federal contract administered by the Allegheny County Department of Emergency Services, in order to demonstrate preparedness for possible terrorist attacks involving weapons of mass destruction. The facility was demonstrated for use in various scenarios, including biological attacks involving smallpox.

The emergency facility, which was focused upon demonstrating medical surge capacity, was constructed of polymer composite panels—made of recycled plastic and other additives. The patented, award-winning polymer composite material turns the disposal liability of plastics into a structural strength. The problem with plastics is that they last forever. The polymer panels are projected to do the same thing.

When the project was completed, over six years ago, some of the 1800 panels used in the project were stored in an open field and were subjected to the elements of the seasons. At the time of the earthquake in Haiti, Allegheny County Department of Emergency Services agreed to donate panels for use in Haiti where houses already exist that are made from the same material.

The panels were collected from Allegheny County and moved to Bealeton, Virginia, where they are being cleaned and prepared for shipment to Haiti. The panels are intended to make small structures for a clinic for Doctors Without Borders, as housing for Acts29Haiti and the Lifeline Christian Mission, and a demonstration structure in the town of Arcahaie, Haiti.

Estimé is investigating funding of a production facility in Haiti, which will provide housing materials and employment for Haitians as part of sustainable economic development efforts to restore the country.

*-Dr. Edward A. McCulloch  
Managing Director  
The Daedalus Foundation*

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### News Bits:

\*\* This is a reminder that employees must submit approved leave slips to LaFondra Jackson, either by email at [ljackson@eei-consulting.com](mailto:ljackson@eei-consulting.com) or by fax at 301-731-9779.

\*\* Open enrollment for our health plan will be taking place soon. Watch your emails for more information.

*Man is not made for defeat. A man can be destroyed, but not defeated.*  
 - Ernest Hemingway

*The test we must set for ourselves is not to march alone but to march in such a way that others will wish to join us.*  
 - Hubert Humphrey

*The secret to happiness is not in doing what one likes to do, but in liking what one has to do.*  
 - Anonymous

*Honesty is the cornerstone of all success, without which confidence and ability to perform shall cease to exist.*  
 - Mary Kay Ash



L-R: Dr. Lunique Estimé; Mark L. Cironi, President of Green Energy Technologies; Mr. Charles Jones; and Todd Lewers, Program Manager for Roth Brothers

## Estimé Takes a Trip to View Ohio Wind Cube

Pictured are Dr. Estimé and Mr. Jones who took a special trip to Port Clinton, Ohio to see the Wind Cube. This is the first to be built on a commercial building.

This device measures 22-feet tall and across and sits on the rooftop of the Crown Battery Manufacturing Company in the Lake Erie Business Park in Port Clinton.

It was installed by Green Energy Technologies of Akron, Ohio, which developed the device for urban areas and other areas where traditional large wind turbines might not be feasible.

## Employee Spotlight: Tom Zakotnik

This month we would like to congratulate Tom Zakotnik for his recent Certificate of Appreciation, a QC award for taking a proactive team approach in helping to ensure a Quality Installation of the Electrical Systems at Fort Belvoir Community Hospital.

Tom always seeks to develop a collaborative relationship between all parties for quality electrical installation and we are pleased for this recent recognition.

An alumni from Middle Tennessee State University, Tom has been with Estimé for two years, although he has devoted 31 years to the electrical field. Please take a moment to express congratulations to Tom for a job well done.



## Birthdays and Anniversaries

Estimé Inc. expresses appreciation to the following employees for their service and dedication.

**Roy Murden**

**2 Year Anniversary**

Estimé Inc. sends birthday wishes to the following employees:

**Matthew Karr**

**June 6**

**Roy Murden**

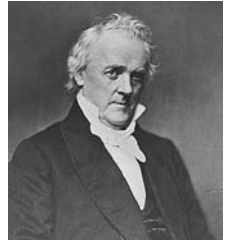
**June 14**



## This Month in History

### June 1

- Kentucky & Tennessee entered the Union, 1792 & 1796
- First Lady Emily Donelson was born, 1807
- President James Buchanan died, 1868
- The Beatles UK album, "*Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band*," was released, 1967



Former President  
James Buchanan

### June 2

- United States citizenship granted to all American Indians, 1924
- Baseball great Babe Ruth's last game, 1935
- Baseball great Lou Gehrig died in New York, 1941
- The Beatles US album, "*Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band*," was released, 1967



Lou Gehrig

### June 3

- Jefferson Davis was born in Kentucky, 1808
- "*Casey at the Bat*" by Ernest Lawrence Thayer was first published in the *San Francisco Daily Examiner*, 1888
- Astronaut Edward White became the first American to walk in space, 1965

### June 4

- United States Secret Service organized, 1778
- Henry Ford made successful test run with his horseless carriage in Detroit, 1896
- Battle of Midway began during WWII, 1942



Horseless Carriage invented by  
Henry Ford

### June 5

- Know-Nothing Party was created; now called American Party, 1855
- Marshall Plan was authorized, 1947
- Senator Robert F. Kennedy was shot and mortally wounded in Los Angeles, 1968



Robert F. Kennedy

### June 6

- First drive-in movie theater opened in New Jersey, 1933
- D-Day (invasion of Europe occurred), 1944
- Senator Robert F. Kennedy died at Good Samaritan Hospital in Los Angeles, 1968

## June 7

- Daniel Boone first began to explore Kentucky, 1769
- French post-impressionist painter Paul Gauguin was born in Paris, 1848
- Japanese invaded Western Aleutians during WWII, 1942



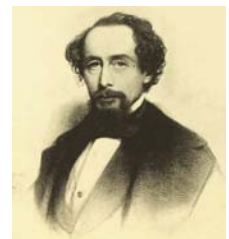
Former First Lady  
Barbara Bush

## June 8

- President Andrew Jackson died, 1845
- First Lady Ida McKinley was born, 1847
- First Lady Barbara Bush was born, 1925

## June 9

- Nero, Emperor of Rome, died, A.D. 68
- Author Charles Dickens died in Godshill, England, 1870
- The first U.S. Ballistic Missile Submarine launched, 1959



Charles Dickens

## June 10

- The first United States Mint was established in Boston, 1652
- Italy declared war on France and England (WWII), 1940
- Socialite Claus von Bulow was acquitted of the attempted murder of his wife, 1981

## June 11

- The first U.S. patent for gas-driven auto issued, 1895
- United States Sugar rationing ended, 1947
- Alabama Governor George Wallace blocked black students from entering the University of Alabama, 1963
- Actor John Wayne died at age 72, 1979



John Wayne

## June 12

- Virginia's colonial legislature became first to adopt a Bill of Rights, 1776
- Iowa territory was organized, 1838
- The invention of Baseball was first presented, 1839
- President George Bush was born, 1924

## June 13

- Confederate Army of Northern Virginia, 30th Virginia Infantry was formed, 1861
- Landmark Supreme Court Case, Miranda vs. Arizona was established, 1966
- Thurgood Marshall became the first black justice on the United States Supreme Court, 1967



Thurgood Marshall

June 14

- The United States Army was founded, 1775
- The Stars & Stripes was adopted as the American Flag, 1777
- William Harding became the first United States president heard on radio, on Baltimore station *WEAR*, 1922
- The Beatles US album, *Beatles VI*, was released, 1965



Beatles VI Album Cover

June 15

- Benjamin Franklin proved that lightning is electricity, 1752
- Arkansas entered the Union, 1836 (25<sup>th</sup>)
- Secretary of War Edwin M. Stanton established a military burial ground, which became Arlington National Cemetery, 1864

June 16

- Mary, Queen of Scots, imprisoned in Scotland, 1567
- Mark Twain's "*Tom Sawyer*" published, 1876
- The United States bombing of Japan began during WWII, 1944



Watergate Complex

June 17

- The Revolutionary War Battle of Bunker Hill took place near Boston, 1775
- Amelia Earhart was the first woman to fly across the Atlantic Ocean, from Newfoundland to Wales, 1928
- Watergate break-in occurred, 1972

June 18

- The War of 1812 began
- Marshall law was declared in Cambridge, Maryland, 1963
- Astronaut Sally K. Ride, became America's first woman in space, 1983



Sally K. Ride

June 19

- Slavery was outlawed in United States Territories, 1862
- The first Father's Day was celebrated in Spokane, Washington, 1910
- Julius & Ethel Rosenberg were executed, 1953
- Pope Paul VI proclaimed a 19th century bishop & John Neumann became the first male United States Saint, 1977

June 20

- The Great Seal of the United States was adopted, 1782
- West Virginia entered the Union, 1863 (35<sup>th</sup>)
- Lizzie Borden was found innocent by jury in New Bedford, Massachusetts, of the ax murders of her father and stepmother, 1893
- The Beatles US album, *Yesterday and Today*, was released, 1966



Lizzie Borden



## June 21

- First Lady Martha Washington was born, 1731
- New Hampshire entered the Union, 1788 (9<sup>th</sup>)
- Pope Paul VI elected, 1963
- Menachem Begin became Israel's sixth prime minister, 1977



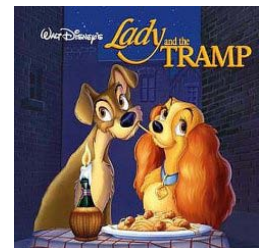
Menachem Begin

## June 22

- Arkansas was readmitted to Union, 1868
- Congress created the Department of Justice, 1870
- President Nixon signed a measure lowering the voting age to eighteen, 1970
- First Lady Patricia Nixon died, 1993

## June 23

- A patent was received for the typewriter, 1868
- Germany invaded the U.S.S.R. (WWII), 1941
- Disney's "*Lady and the Tramp*" opened in Los Angeles, California, 1955

Walt Disney's  
*Lady and the Tramp*

## June 24

- Margaret Brent, was ejected from the Maryland Assembly after demanding a place and vote in that governing body, 1647
- President Grover Cleveland died, 1908
- The National Minimum Wage law was enacted, 1938
- The last day that silver certificate currency was redeemed for silver, 1968

Former President  
Grover Cleveland

## June 25

- Virginia entered the Union, 1788 (10<sup>th</sup>)
- Lt. Colonel George Armstrong Custer and his 7th Cavalry were massacred by Sioux & Cheyenne Indians at the Battle of Little Big Horn, 1876
- First Lady Lucy Hayes died, 1889

## June 26

- The first section of the Atlantic City, New Jersey, boardwalk was opened to the public, 1870
- Jefferson Memorial was created, Washington, D.C., 1934
- Franklin D. Roosevelt established credit unions, 1934
- The Korean War ended, 1953
- The Beatles US album, *A Hard Day's Night*, was released, 1964



Atlantic City Boardwalk

## June 27

- Mormon leader Joseph Smith and his brother, Hyrum, were killed by a mob in Carthage, Illinois, 1844
- Helen Keller, was born in Tuscumbia, Alabama, 1880
- Supreme Court Justice Thurgood Marshall retired, 1991



Helen Keller

## June 28

- Henry the VIII was born, 1491
- Molly Pitcher (Mary Ludwig Hays) carried water to American Soldiers at the Revolutionary War Battle of Monmouth, 1778
- President James Madison died, 1836
- Labor Day was established as a federal holiday, 1894

## June 29

- British approved the Townshend Revenue Acts, which imposed import duties on tea, glass, lead, paint & paper, 1767
- Patrick Henry was made the governor of Virginia, 1776
- The Interstate Highway System was established, 1956



Construction of the Interstate Highway System

## June 30

- First Lady Elizabeth Monroe was born, 1768
- Napoleon Bonaparte died, 1821
- Margaret Mitchell's novel "*Gone With The Wind*" was published, 1936

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