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Tapestry breaks ground on North Las Vegas fulfillment center

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The new fulfillment center will utilize innovative equipment handling technology, including a goods-to-person system. Image credit: Tapestry

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New York-based luxury group Tapestry, Inc. is making strides in the development of its new fulfillment center in North Las Vegas, Nevada.

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The new, consumer-focused center is expected to add more than 400 full-time jobs by 2029. The Tapestry Foundation is also supporting the greater Las Vegas community with a \$50,000 grant to United Way of Southern Nevada to fund community programs.

"The new North Las Vegas Fulfillment Center is another example of the power of Tapestry's unique platform, which allows us to scale innovation across our brands and channels and support continued growth," said Joanne Crevoiserat, CEO of **Tapestry, Inc.**, in a statement.

"We are delighted to join the North Las Vegas community with this facility which will include cutting-edge technology solutions that enable us to better serve our West Coast customers."

A Las Vegas Tapestry

Company representatives including Ms. Crevoiserat; Ken Sanders, senior vice president of fulfillment and logistics; Joseph Gillespie, senior director of engineering and facilities and Coach CEO and brand president Todd Kahn all attended the groundbreaking ceremony.

The new fulfillment center will utilize innovative equipment handling technology, including a goods-to-person system, which increases efficiency, speed and storage capacity through automation and interaction with management systems.

Serving Coach and Kate Spade, the facility is designed to distribute an annual 22.2 million units and hold 4 million units in inventory for both retail and ecommerce. Upon completion in 2022, the center will space over 788,000 square feet.



Coach is one of Tapestry's brands. Image credit: Coach

Additionally, the Tapestry Foundation's grant funding community programs will include education, emergency shelter, food support, health services and crisis support.

In July, the fashion group formed a new Tapestry Foundation, aiming to advance access and equity initiatives and combat climate change. Tapestry is also accelerating its corporate responsibility agenda, "Our Social Fabric," to effect change, setting new ESG goals and committing to a \$15 U.S. minimum wage for hourly employees and bonus dispersal for global store employees ([see story](#)).

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