

Kennedy Industries & Bray Bring High Quality Valves to General Motors New Data Centers



General Motors decided to build two state-of-the-art Data Centers located in Southeast Michigan and wanted to implement the best quality products there are to offer. The facilities are modeled after the renown Google and Facebook Data Centers, with at least a Tier 3 rating, requiring over 99.982% uptime availability (<1.6 hours downtime/year). The facilities are required to run 24/7, 365 days a year, and designed to serve the company for 20 years. The data centers monitor and control IT functions at all 121 GM plants around the globe, 17,000+ GM

dealers, and all four major engineering centers. The project totals \$546,000,000 and each facility is roughly 100,000 square feet.

Kennedy Industries and Bray teamed up to support General Motors on this project. Bray specializes in such demanding projects with its Bray Controls MCF (Mission Critical Facilities) Division and Bray is known as the largest control valve manufacturer in the industry for data centers. Together, Kennedy and Bray provided ALL automated valves at both facilities. Kennedy and Bray also provided the resilient-seated and high-

performance butterfly valves ranging in sizes from 2 1/2" to 24" for both data centers.



Bray High-Performance Series 41 Valve

Bray offers very high-quality valves at very competitive prices, providing competitive advantages such as broached stem-to-disc connections with no pins or screws to shear on resilient-seated valves, field-replaceable seat design on high-performance valves, and a support network that not only covers all 50 states, but spans across the entire globe.



Bray Resilient-Seated Series 31 Valve

