

## AASC Announces Completion of New Facilities

On October 1, 2004, AASC employees witnessed the dedication and official opening of a new building consisting of 63,500 square feet of new manufacturing and storage space.

AASC's owner and executives approved the facility expansion in August 2003 with the intention to house a new 16' x 30' autoclave. Construction on the facility began in February 2004. A ceremony with AASC's owner and employees was held to celebrate the opening of this facility.

The new facility will initially service the Advanced Hawkeye Radome Program, but will ultimately allow AASC to grow and expand our customer and product base.

This facility addition allows AASC to continue to provide larger and larger assemblies to our customers, with new segregated composite lay-up rooms for non-conductive and conductive materials each with its own dedicated NC ply cutters, laser projection systems, overhead cranes and the 16' x 30' autoclave mentioned in the last AASC Update (June 2004).



AASC President, John Rule, addressing employees at the ribbon cutting ceremony



New Building with large radome assembly line established