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## Maizex Seeds Expanding Seed Corn Production in Chatham-Kent

Tilbury, ON – With the goal of meeting customer needs across Canada both now and into the future, Maizex Seeds has announced it is expanding seed corn production through the purchase of the former Dow AgroSciences seed corn facility located in Blenheim, Ontario.

“This expansion and investment in Ontario seed production is in large part thanks to the trust farmers across Canada have placed in Maizex Seeds, along with the growth we are experiencing through our announced joint venture with Sollio Agriculture,” says Dave Baute, President and CEO of Maizex Seeds. Maizex currently produces and processes seed corn through its facility located near Tilbury, Ontario.

“The purchase of the Blenheim seed corn plant is an excellent fit for Maizex and will more than double our current capacity. Importantly, we are also able to work with experienced growers who, like our current seed producers, understand the importance of seed quality.” He adds that Maizex will be further investing in the Blenheim location to modernize and expand the facility.

Maizex is currently contracting with seed corn growers to support processing through both its Tilbury and now Blenheim plants for the 2019 growing season. “This is a tremendous opportunity for not only Maizex but for seed corn producers in our area.”

Brian Toll, seed production manager at the Blenheim facility will be responsible for contracting acres with experienced producers.

For more information contact Maizex Seeds at 519-682-1720 [info@maizex.com](mailto:info@maizex.com).

Canadian owned and operated, Maizex Seeds commercializes and markets high performance corn hybrids, soybean varieties and seed-based technologies for farmers across Canada through the Maizex seed corn brand and Elite brand for soybeans. Maizex continues to grow through farmer trust in our market leading product performance and best in class agronomy and product support. Visit [maizex.com](http://maizex.com)

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