

## TEKNOVATION, INC. EXPANDS THEIR PROTOTYPE DEVELOPMENT CAPABILITY IN NEW PRODUCT DESIGN WITH THE MMA-MEP CENTER AT MISSISSIPPI POLYMER INSTITUTE

**ABOUT TEKNOVATION.** Teknovation was established in 2002 as a small business specializing in product development and engineering services, employing approximately seven employees. Teknovation is located in Hattiesburg, MS.

**THE CHALLENGE.** During a product development and design project, Teknovation needed assistance and a quick turnaround with making two prototypes for a production device.

**MEP CENTER'S ROLE.** Teknovation turned to the MMA-MEP Center at the Mississippi Polymer Institute for help with the prototypes. Ty Posey and Zach Cochran, project engineers with the MMA-MEP Center at Mississippi Polymer Institute, were able to submit a proposal, create the two prototypes, and have them in the customer's hands within 24 hours.

"In a highly competitive environment, the MMA-MEP Center at Mississippi Polymer Institute helps small companies stand out. We feel like the MMA-MEP Center at Mississippi Polymer Institute is an extension of our engineering capabilities."

-George Hardin, Vice President of Engineering

## RESULTS



MMA-MEP Center at Mississippi Polymer Institute delivered prototypes within **24** hours to Teknovation.



Teknovation expanded their product line.



Teknovation invested **\$80,000** in production capability improvements.

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