

# First Ugh! Then Wow!

# Düsseldorf Branch Leaves Client's Floors Gleaming in Neuss

Stefano Rhassi, our regional manager in Düsseldorf, knows a thing or two about cleaning and sealing floors. At one client's premises in Neuss, the floor of the canteen was extremely worn. So he suggested stripping it down and sealing it. "Floors that experience heavy footfall require intensive care. Our customers are always impressed by the before-and-after effect," he says.

And so are we! If you would like to see the experts from Düsseldorf at work, then take a look at the video we've posted on our Facebook channel at @Vebego Deutschland. The QR code takes you straight to the video link at https://fb.watch/mbrLm7lp16/



### Before:



## After:



# Vebego Group Emerged Stronger From 2022

The year 2022 was a good one for the Vebego Group, with turnover up to a record high of 1,371 million euros. On the sustainability front, improved measurements have provided us with a wealth of information, which enabled us to put together a strategic plan this year. The goal: to be CO2-neutral by 2030. And in Germany, Vebego climbed three places to rank 21st among the largest facility services companies. This is a brief overview of the Vebego Group's 2022 results. For more facts and figures on Vebego as well as interviews with employees, take a look at the 2022 Annual Report at www.jahresbericht.vebego.com (see below for QR code).

In the report, Maya Kothathil describes, for instance, how she contributed towards Vebego Schweiz's securing a gold rating from EcoVadis, a well-known sustainability seal. By the way, this year Vebego in Germany won a silver medal from EcoVadis for its sustainable work practices. We bring you more about that in the next issue of Hil News.







# **One Family:** Subsidiaries Merge with Vebego

What belongs together is finally coming together legally: this month, Hago FM, Servico FM, HCS FM and hectas GRS are merging with Vebego Facility Services. As soon as the authorities have entered the merger into the commercial register, all cleaning services will operate under the company name of Vebego Facility Services.

#### Contacts Remain Unchanged

The people responsible for your facility, for personnel matters and for your branch will naturally be there for you as usual – all that changes is the company name.

The merger is legally the last step in the process of bringing the former hectas and Servico Groups together. And it makes life easier for our employees, as they now no longer have to explain to customers why, for example, their work clothes sport the Vebego logo although their company's name is Hago. Now everyone can simply say, "I work for Vebego".



# Help for Tafel Wuppertal

## **Wuppertal Branch Sponsors Mercedes Sprinter**

Many people struggling to make ends meet need the help of the Tafel food bank to be able to enjoy one warm meal a day at least. But the charitable institution itself requires support if it is to be able to help at all. And that's where Vebego comes in.

Because we understand the great importance of the work Tafel does, we have been supporting the organisation with donations and other types of sponsorship for several years now, a case in point being the new Sprinter van the Wuppertal Tafel was able to purchase thanks in part to the contribution made by our Wuppertal branch. Sales representative Marcus Schmitt and branch manager Jens Bott were there to see the vehicle delivered and celebrated the new arrival with the Tafel representatives and all the other Wuppertal sponsors. To find out more about the fine work Tafel does all over Germany, visit www.tafel.de



## Announcement

# Vebego To Attend **Bergische Expo** in September

The largest regional open-air trade fair to date, Bergische Expo, is taking place in Elberfeld city centre, Wuppertal, on 1 and 2 September. And Vebego will be one of the exhibitors there. Come and visit us and see our CEO, Markus Breithaupt, live on the Saturday morning in the communication tent, taking part in the debate Diversity in the Working World.

In addition to the approximately 60 companies from the local Bergische Land region that will be exhibiting, a host of fun activities will also be laid on, including the eSports competition, live music and illuminations, as well as late-night shopping.

We look forward to seeing plenty of our Vebego colleagues drop by. For more information about the Bergische Expo, visit: www.bergische-expo.de



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