



## Animation firm moving to Flower Mound

FUNimation signs lease for new building in Lakeside district

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A company that produces and distributes animation products has leased a new building in Flower Mound.

FUNimation Entertainment, now based in North Richland Hills, said Tuesday that it will move 150 employees into the 48,500-square-foot Building One at Corporate Ridge on Lakeside Parkway in October.

FUNimation is a subsidiary of Minnesota-based Navarre Corp. and is a top company in sales of Japanese animation video in the United States.

The firm leased the new office and distribution space from developer Champion Partners. The building is in Flower Mound's new Lakeside Business District, which is north of Dallas/Fort Worth International Airport.

"We are very excited to become part of what is a strong, thriving community," Gen Fukunaga, president and chief executive of FUNimation Entertainment, said in a news release.

"The momentum that is building in Flower Mound is very noticeable throughout the area," he said. "We know that our employees are going to enjoy being part of this great environment."

Rick Medinis of NAI Robert Lynn Co. negotiated the move with Damian Rivera of Capstone Commercial Real Estate Group.