

POLAR TINT FRANCHISE

PRESS & PARTNER KIT – 2026



Six revenue lines. One bay. Manufacturer-direct margins.

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THE OPPORTUNITY

The operator-built window film franchise.

Polar Tint turns one of the fastest-growing corners of the automotive aftermarket – window film, ceramic coating, paint protection film (PPF), and vehicle wraps – into a single, stackable franchise. Every Polar Tint shop runs six revenue lines from one compact 1,000–2,500 sq ft bay, so a customer who comes in for tint can leave with ceramic or PPF too.

The moat is supply: franchisees buy film, coatings, and PPF manufacturer-direct at wholesale through affiliate Glacier Manufacturing. Independent shops and most competing brands buy through distributors and pay distributor margins; Polar Tint operators do not. That cost advantage compounds on every ticket.

SIX REVENUE LINES, ONE ROOF

Automotive window tint

volume engine – high repeat, fast tickets

Paint protection film (PPF)

the high-ticket service

Ceramic coating

premium margin, attaches to nearly every visit

Residential window film

recession-resistant home services

Commercial window film

B2B contracts and repeat property work

Vehicle wraps

rounds out the bay

OPERATING HISTORY

2015

Las Vegas shops open
(Pro Tint USA)

2021

Acquired by current
ownership

2024

Rebranded to Polar Tint

2025

Franchising begins

2026

FDD issued Apr 28;
awarding territories

THE NUMBERS – 2026 FDD

Documented, disclosed, SBA-listed.

All figures from the 2026 Franchise Disclosure Document (issued Apr 28, 2026; amended Jun 4, 2026).

Total initial investment	\$136,588 – \$259,950 (FDD Item 7)
Initial franchise fee	\$49,950 (FDD Item 5)
Conversion of existing tint shop	\$12,487.50 initial fee
Additional units	\$37,500 · Multi-Unit Development Fee \$39,950
Veteran / first-responder discount	25% off the initial fee (fee becomes \$37,462.50)
Royalty	8% of Gross Sales weekly; conversions ramp 4%/6%/8% in year 1
Brand Marketing Fund	1% of Gross Sales, weekly
Local marketing	6% of Gross Sales or \$1,250/week minimum
Technology fee	\$800 / month
Initial term	5 years
Units (FDD Item 20, EOY 2025)	3 – 2 company-owned (NV) + 1 franchised (NV)
Item 19	Disclosed – gross sales, COGS & gross profit from the two company-owned Las Vegas shops
Financing	SBA Franchise Directory listed (7(a) eligible) · HELOC · ROBS · conventional
Footprint	Awarding protected territories across a 29-state intended footprint

No earnings claim is made in this kit. Prospective franchisees should review FDD Item 19 and the complete Franchise Disclosure Document. This kit is informational for media and partners and is not an offer to sell a franchise.

PROGRAMS & STORY ANGLES

What journalists ask about.

Veteran & First-Responder Program

Honorably discharged veterans, active-duty service members, and active first responders (police, fire, EMS, dispatch) receive 25% off the \$49,950 initial franchise fee – a \$12,487.50 reduction, 2.5x the VetFran-standard 10%. SBA listing enables 7(a) stacking. Eligibility: DD-214, current orders, or department ID.

Independent-Shop Conversion Program

Established tint shops join the system for a \$12,487.50 initial fee with a royalty ramp (4% months 1-6, 6% months 7-12, 8% thereafter) – built to move operators off distributor pricing and onto Glacier Manufacturing supply.

The Supply-Chain Story

Three affiliated companies – Polar Tint LLC (franchisor), Glacier Manufacturing LLC (wholesale film, ceramic & PPF supply), and Frostbite Marketing LLC (marketing) – give franchisees manufacturer-direct supply and centralized marketing most independent shops cannot reach.

Training & Support

Initial training in person at the Henderson, NV headquarters; documented operating playbook; grand-opening and ongoing local marketing run through Frostbite Marketing.

FAST FACTS & ASSETS

- Leadership: Steven Schrader (CEO) · Edward Bravo (Franchise Development)
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Polar Tint is an operator-built window film, ceramic coating, and paint protection film (PPF) franchise headquartered in Henderson, Nevada. Built on Las Vegas tint shops operating since 2015, rebranded in 2024, and franchising since 2025, Polar Tint shops run six revenue lines from one bay with manufacturer-direct supply through affiliate Glacier Manufacturing. polartintfranchise.com