

# Small Business

RESOURCE DIRECTORY



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## **ABOUT THE OFFICE OF REGIONAL AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS**

The Community Reinvestment Act of 1977 (“CRA”) requires the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and other supervisory agencies to encourage banks and thrift institutions to help meet the credit needs of their local communities, including low- and moderate-income areas, consistent with safe and sound operation of the institutions. To help achieve the goals of CRA, the Board of Governors established the Community Affairs Department within each of the Federal Reserve Banks. This department is responsible for encouraging community development and investment by maintaining a community outreach program which gathers and disseminates information about community credit needs and resources to commercial lenders, state and local governments, federal agencies, community groups, and others.

The Office of Regional and Community Affairs (“ORCA”) of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York facilitates communication and promotes cooperation among bankers, non-profit groups, government agencies, and others involved in regional and community development in the Second Federal Reserve District (New York State; Northern New Jersey, Fairfield County, Connecticut; Puerto Rico; and the Virgin Islands).

### **ABOUT THIS DIRECTORY**

Small businesses are an important economic engine of New York’s economy. In order for small businesses to develop and expand, they require support services and access to capital. This directory was developed to provide information on resources available to small businesses from organizations providing technical assistance and/or financial capital. This directory covers all of the Second Federal Reserve District except Northern New Jersey. A separate guide detailing small business resources in Northern New Jersey is available through ORCA.

## **HOW TO USE THIS DIRECTORY**

This directory is organized alphabetically first by geographic regions and second, by the counties within each region where the organization is located. The primary types of organizations listed include county and municipal economic development organizations, not-for-profit organizations, chambers of commerce, and small business development centers. An abbreviated description of the business services provided by each organization is included. This directory is by no means an exhaustive list of all the organizations providing such assistance and may not reflect the entire breadth of services provided by the listed organizations. For detailed information of the products and services offered by each group, contact the individual organization directly.

## **ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS**

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[www.ny.frb.org/regional/commdev](http://www.ny.frb.org/regional/commdev)

The following organizations are located throughout the geographic area covered in this directory, therefore, a description of them is listed here.

### **Business Outreach Center (BOC)**

BOCs provide business services to entrepreneurs in New York City and Newark, New Jersey. Business counselors are available to guide entrepreneurs through the process of starting a business from business plan development and access to capital to the operation of the firm. Services are often available in multiple languages to reflect the communities the BOC serves.

### **Chambers of Commerce**

Many of the chambers offer programs for members including: networking and business development training, information, and economic development education. Some chambers may be designated as SBA Resource Centers and therefore may provide space for the Service Corps of Retired Executives counselors to meet with entrepreneurs.

### **Economic Development Organizations**

Economic development organizations offer a variety of programs and services for new and expanding businesses. Some of the assistance available to businesses include financial incentives, site location assistance, capital, and technical assistance, as well as referrals to other public or private entities to access financing.

### **Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE)**

Sponsored by the U.S. Small Business Administration, the Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE) is a network of primarily retired, volunteer business executives and professionals who provide counseling to individuals interested in starting a new enterprise as well as existing business owners interested in expanding and/or need additional support. SCORE offers counseling in the following areas: business planning, marketing, financial analysis, and exporting. Small business mentoring and advice on various business topics are also provided by SCORE members.

### **Small Business Development Centers (SBDCs)**

There are over 40 SBDCs throughout the Second Federal Reserve District. Some of the services provided by the SBDC include: business seminars, classes, training events, one-on-one counseling, and information on how to start a business. In addition to business plan development, assistance in financial planning and marketing, export assistance, and e-commerce and financing information are available.

# Capital Region





## ***Albany County***

### **Albany Center for Economic Success**

255 Orange Street  
Albany, NY 12210  
(518) 427-7804  
Fax: (518) 427-6203  
[www.aces-osi.org](http://www.aces-osi.org)

The Albany Center for Economic Success, Inc. (A.C.E.S.) assists minority, women, and other economically disadvantaged entrepreneurs. It supports the operation of business incubators in the Capital Region.

### **Albany-Colonie Regional Chamber of Commerce**

One Computer Drive South  
Albany, NY 12205-7109  
(518) 458-9851  
Fax: (518) 458-1055  
[www.ac-chamber.org](http://www.ac-chamber.org)

### **Albany County Office of Economic Development**

112 State Street, Room 1006  
Albany, NY 12207  
(518) 447-5660  
Fax: (518) 447-5662

[www.albanycounty.com/departments](http://www.albanycounty.com/departments)

The Office of Economic Development seeks to retain and attract businesses to Albany County. It assists businesses in site identification and administers the County's Empire Zone program.

### **Albany County Partnership**

107 Washington Avenue  
Albany, NY 12210  
(518) 458-9851

[www.ac-chamber.org/www\\_ac-chamber\\_org/ecodev/albPart/](http://www.ac-chamber.org/www_ac-chamber_org/ecodev/albPart/)

The Albany County Partnership is a coalition comprised of Albany-Colonie Regional Chamber of Commerce, the Albany County Executive's Office, and county government. The Partnership offers the following: site selection assistance, financing through in-house programs or public and private incentive packages, and entrepreneurial assistance as well as demographic information and community profiles.

**Albany Local Development Corporation (ALDC)**

21 Lodge Street  
Albany, NY 12207  
(518) 434-2532  
Fax: (518) 434-9846  
[www.albanyny.org](http://www.albanyny.org)

ALDC undertakes economic development projects to help create and retain jobs in the City of Albany. It provides access to financing and other resources for businesses.

**Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce**

318 Delaware Avenue Main Square  
Delmar, NY 12054  
(518) 439-0512  
[www.bethlehemchamber.com](http://www.bethlehemchamber.com)

**Capital District Community Loan Fund (CDCLF)**

Small Business Lending Program  
225 Orange Street, Suite 103  
Albany, NY 12210  
(518) 436-8586  
Fax: (518) 689-0086  
[www.cdclf.org/welcome.htm](http://www.cdclf.org/welcome.htm)

CDCLF is a certified community development financial institution serving the Capital Region. It provides capital and technical assistance to small businesses, not-for-profit organizations, and microenterprises.

**Capital District Regional Planning Commission**

5 Computer Drive West  
Albany, NY 12205  
(518) 453-0850  
Fax: (518) 453-0856  
[www.cdrpc.org](http://www.cdrpc.org)

Capital District Regional Planning Commission serves the Albany, Rensselaer, Saratoga, and Schenectady Counties and provides resources and information to businesses located in or relocating to the Capital District.

**Center for Economic Growth (CEG)**

63 State Street  
Albany, NY 12207  
(518) 465-8975  
Fax: (518) 465-6681  
[www.ceg.org](http://www.ceg.org)

CEG assists manufacturing and technology companies in the development of effective business strategies. It also advises and provides training and technical assistance to local manufacturing and technology companies in the Capital Region.

**City of Albany Industrial Development Agency (CAIDA)**

21 Lodge Street  
Albany, NY 12207  
(518) 434-2532  
[www.albanyny.org/business/econdev/industrial.asp](http://www.albanyny.org/business/econdev/industrial.asp)  
CAIDA provides business development assistance and offers low-cost financing by issuing industrial revenue and civic facility bonds.

**Cornell Cooperative Extension of Albany County**

Small Business Program  
P.O. Box 497, Martin Road  
Voorheesville, NY 12186  
(518) 765-3500  
Fax: (518) 765-2490  
[www.cce.cornell.edu/albany](http://www.cce.cornell.edu/albany)  
Cornell Cooperative Extension of Albany County provides information and programs for individuals, families, and businesses as well as agriculture business management and crop production information.

**Empire State Development (ESD) Division for Small Business**

1 Commerce Plaza  
Albany, NY 12180-1010  
(518) 473-0499  
Fax: (518) 474-1512  
[www.empire.state.ny.us](http://www.empire.state.ny.us)  
ESD Division for Small Business is a one-stop shop which helps businesses solve problems; it also provides financing and licensing information.

**Empire State Development Division of Minority- and Women-Owned Business Development (MWBD)**

1 Commerce Plaza

Albany, NY 12207

(518) 473-0582

Fax: (518) 473-6442

[www.nylovesbiz.com/Small\\_and\\_Growing\\_Businesses/mwbe](http://www.nylovesbiz.com/Small_and_Growing_Businesses/mwbe)

MWBD provides assistance with business planning, access to capital, procurement, and certification for minority- and women-owned businesses. The Transportation Capital Assistance Program is also available to minority- and women-owned enterprises.

**Guilderland Chamber of Commerce**

1515 Western Avenue

Albany, NY 12203

(518) 456-6611

Fax: (518) 456-6690

[www.guilderlandchamber.com](http://www.guilderlandchamber.com)

**Latham Area Chamber of Commerce**

849 New Loudon Road

Latham, NY 12110

(518) 785-6995

Fax: (518) 785-7173

[www.lathamchamber.org](http://www.lathamchamber.org)

**New York Business Development Corp (NYBDC)**

50 Beaver Street

Albany, NY 12207

(800) 923-2504

Fax: (518) 463-0240

[www.nybdc.com](http://www.nybdc.com)

NYBDC provides a variety of business services and financing to assist small- and medium-sized businesses, and assists member banks in making innovative loans to businesses.

**New York State Energy Research & Development Authority**

17 Columbia Circle

Albany, NY 12203-6399

(866) 697-3732 or (518) 862-1090

Fax: (518) 862-1091

[www.nyserda.org](http://www.nyserda.org)

NYSERDA is a public benefit corporation which offers energy efficiency programs and services to help businesses, schools, and municipalities reduce their energy costs.

**New York State Governor's Office of Small Cities**

Agency Building 4, 6th Floor  
Empire State Plaza  
Albany, NY 12223-1350  
(518) 474-2057  
Fax: (518) 474-5247  
[www.nysmallcities.com](http://www.nysmallcities.com)

The Governor's Office of Small Cities offers financial assistance to promote economic development and neighborhood revitalization. It administers the Community Development Block Grant Program for New York State; cities, towns, and villages with a population of less than 50,000 and counties with an unincorporated area population of less than 200,000 are eligible.

**New York State Office of Science, Technology & Academic Research (NYSTAR)**

30 South Pearl Street, 11th Floor  
Albany, NY 12207  
(518) 292-5700  
Fax: (518) 292-5799

[www.nystar.state.ny.us/nl/agency.htm](http://www.nystar.state.ny.us/nl/agency.htm)

NYSTAR offers a variety of resources to promote the development of technology-based businesses and can refer businesses to the appropriate university, research center, or state agency to access financial resources and assistance.

**Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE)**

Capital Business Resource Center  
1 Computer Drive South  
Albany, NY 12205  
(518) 446-1118  
Fax: (518) 446-1228  
[www.score.org](http://www.score.org)

**Small Business Development Center (SBDC)**

State University of New York at Albany

One Pinnacle Place, Suite 218

Albany, NY 12203-3439

(518) 453-9567

Fax: (518) 453-9572

[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

The Center serves the counties of Albany, Columbia, Greene, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady, Schoharie, Warren, Washington, Fulton, Hamilton, and Montgomery.

**Statewide Emergency Network for Social and Economic Security (SENSES)**

275 State Street

Albany, NY 12210-2101

(518) 463-5576

Fax: (518) 432-9073

[www.sensesny.org](http://www.sensesny.org)

SENSES helps to promote microenterprise as an important economic strategy for the state. It helped to launch and oversee a state-wide microenterprise association for New York State.

**U.S. Small Business Administration  
Capital Business Resource Center**

One Computer Drive South

Albany, NY 12205

(518) 446-1118

Fax: (518) 458-1055

[www.sba.gov](http://www.sba.gov)

***Columbia County*****Columbia County Chamber Of Commerce**

507 Warren Street

Hudson, NY 12534

(518) 828-4417

[www.columbiachamber-ny.com](http://www.columbiachamber-ny.com)

**Columbia Hudson Partnership**

444 Warren Street  
Hudson, NY 12534  
(518) 828-4718  
Fax: (518) 828-0901  
[www.chpartnership.com](http://www.chpartnership.com)

Columbia Hudson Partnership is a public-private partnership which seeks to promote Columbia County as a place to live, work, and play. The partnership offers information and resources for businesses.

***Greene County*****Greene County Economic Development**

909 Greene County Office Building  
Cairo NY, 12413  
(518) 622-3251  
Fax: (518) 622-9437  
[www.greeneplanning.com](http://www.greeneplanning.com)

Greene County Economic Development provides information and financial resources for businesses located in or starting up in Greene County.

**Greene County Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

P.O. Box 645  
Catskill, NY 12414  
(518) 943-6585  
[www.greeneplanning.com](http://www.greeneplanning.com)

Greene County IDA provides assistance with grant applications for real property tax abatements. It assists in the construction and expansion of industrial and commercial facilities in Greene County.

**Greene County Planning Department**

909 Greene County Office Building  
Cairo, NY 12413-9509  
(518) 622-3251  
[www.greeneplanning.com](http://www.greeneplanning.com)

The Greene County Planning Department provides financial assistance including loans to businesses.

**Town of Hunter Chamber of Commerce**

P.O. Box 177  
Hunter, NY 12442  
(518) 263-4900  
[www.hunterchamber.org](http://www.hunterchamber.org)

***Rensselaer County***

**Empire State Development (ESD)- Capital Region Office**

Rensselaer Technology Park  
385 Jordan Road  
Troy, NY 12245  
(518) 283-1010  
Fax: (518) 283-1112  
[www.nylovesbiz.com/default.asp](http://www.nylovesbiz.com/default.asp)  
ESD seeks to help businesses start up, relocate, and expand in New York. Co-headquartered in Albany and New York City, ESD has 18 additional ESD offices throughout the state and around the world.

**Rensselaer County Regional Chamber of Commerce**

31 Second Street  
Troy, NY 12180  
(518) 274-7020  
Fax: (518) 272-7729  
[www.renscochamber.com](http://www.renscochamber.com)

**Rensselaer County Economic Development and Planning**

1600 Seventh Avenue  
Troy, NY 12180  
(518) 270-2914  
Rensselaer County Economic Development and Planning provides a variety of resources including loans, grants, and financial incentives for businesses starting up, locating to, or expanding in Rensselaer County.

**Rensselaer Gateway Development Corporation**

31 Second Street

Troy, NY 12180

(518) 274-7474

Fax: (518) 272-7729

[www.rensselaergateway.com](http://www.rensselaergateway.com)

Rensselaer Gateway Development Corporation is a local development corporation which provides assistance to start-up, expanding, and relocating businesses in the area. It has information on commercial site locations and assists firms in accessing other business resources.

**Small Business Development Center****Rensselaer County Satellite Site**

University at Albany

1 University Place

Rensselaer, NY 12144-3453

(518) 525-2644

[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Small Business Development Center**

Rice Building

216 River Street

Troy, NY 12180

(518) 453-9567

Fax: (518) 525-2649

[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

***Saratoga County*****Saratoga County Chamber of Commerce**

28 Clinton Street

Saratoga Springs, NY 12866

(518) 584-3255

Fax: (518) 587-0318

[www.saratoga.org](http://www.saratoga.org)

**Saratoga Economic Development Corporation (SEDC)**

28 Clinton Street  
Saratoga Springs, NY 12866  
(518) 587-0945  
Fax: (518) 587-5855

[www.saratogaedc.com/busassistance.html](http://www.saratogaedc.com/busassistance.html)

SEDC is a private, not-for-profit consulting firm. SEDC can provide the following services for businesses: entrepreneurial opportunities analysis, marketing and strategic plans development; and identification of capital resources.

**Saratoga County Industrial Development Agency (SCIDA)**

50 West High Street  
Ballston Spa, NY 12020  
(518) 884-4705  
Fax: (518) 884-4780

[www.saratogacountyida.org](http://www.saratogacountyida.org)

SCIDA provides financial assistance and incentives to businesses. It works in partnership with Saratoga Economic Development Corporation to promote business development and job creation.

**Small Business Development Center**

**Saratoga County Satellite Site**

Saratoga Chamber of Commerce  
28 Clinton Street  
Saratoga Springs, NY 12866  
(518) 442-5577  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Southern Saratoga County Chamber of Commerce**

15 Park Avenue Suite 7-B  
Clifton Park, NY 12065  
Mailing address:  
P.O. Box 399  
Clifton Park, NY 12065  
(518) 371-7748  
Fax: (518) 371-5025  
[www.sssccc.org](http://www.sssccc.org)

## ***Schenectady County***

### **Schenectady County Chamber of Commerce**

306 State Street  
Schenectady, NY 12305  
(518) 372-5656  
Fax: (518) 370-3217  
[www.schenectadychamber.org](http://www.schenectadychamber.org)

### **Schenectady County Community Business Center (SCCBC)**

920 Albany Street  
Schenectady, NY 12307  
(518) 382-3069  
Fax: (518) 688-2028  
[www.sccbc.org](http://www.sccbc.org)

SCCBC serves as a one-stop resource center for start-ups and expanding businesses. The following services are available: incubator space, mentoring, consulting, education, technical assistance, and funding.

### **Schenectady Economic Development Corporation (SEDC)**

One Broadway Center, Suite 750  
Schenectady, NY 12305  
(518) 393-7252  
Fax: (518) 393-8687  
[www.sgedz.org/resources/index.shtml#sedc](http://www.sgedz.org/resources/index.shtml#sedc)

SEDC serves as a clearinghouse of information for economic development projects in Schenectady County and provides assistance to businesses, including business plan development and access to financing.

### **Schenectady Local Development Corporation (SLDC)**

City Hall, Room 14  
Schenectady, NY 12305  
(518) 382-5147  
Fax: (518) 393-7252  
[www.sgedz.org/resources/sldc.shtml](http://www.sgedz.org/resources/sldc.shtml)

SLDC provides assistance to businesses and administers a revolving loan fund for small businesses in Schenectady.

### **Schenectady Metroplex Development Authority**

Center City Plaza  
433 State Street, 4th Floor  
Schenectady, NY 12305  
(518) 377-1109  
Fax: (518) 382-2575

[www.schenectadymetroplex.org](http://www.schenectadymetroplex.org)

Schenectady Metroplex Development Authority helps design, plan, finance, site, construct, administer, operate, manage and maintain facilities within Schenectady County. It also provides technical assistance, counseling, strategic planning studies, and financial assistance to businesses.

### **U-Start Business Incubator**

4 Nott Terrace  
Schenectady, NY 12308  
(518) 631-0472  
Fax: (518) 631-0475

[www.incubator.union.edu](http://www.incubator.union.edu)

Affiliated with Union College, U-Start is a business incubator focused on technology companies. The incubator provides competitive and flexible rental space, shared administrative services and equipment, technical advisors, and networking opportunities with resident companies and other businesses.

## ***Warren County***

### **Adirondack Regional Chamber of Commerce**

5 Warren Street  
P.O. Box 158  
Glens Falls, NY 12801  
(518) 798-1761  
Fax: (518) 792-4147

[www.adirondackchamber.org](http://www.adirondackchamber.org)

The Adirondack Regional Chamber of Commerce serves a five county region, including Warren, Washington, Hamilton, Essex and Northern Saratoga Counties.

**Warren County Economic Development Corporation  
(WCEDC)**

234 Glen Street  
Glens Falls, NY 12801  
(518) 761-6007  
Fax: (518) 761-9053  
[www.warrencounty.org](http://www.warrencounty.org)

WCEDC provides information on economic development incentives and financial resources available to new and existing businesses.

***Washington County***

**Cambridge Valley Chamber of Commerce**

P.O. Box 405  
Cambridge, NY 12816  
(518) 677-0887  
[www.cambridgenychamber.com](http://www.cambridgenychamber.com)

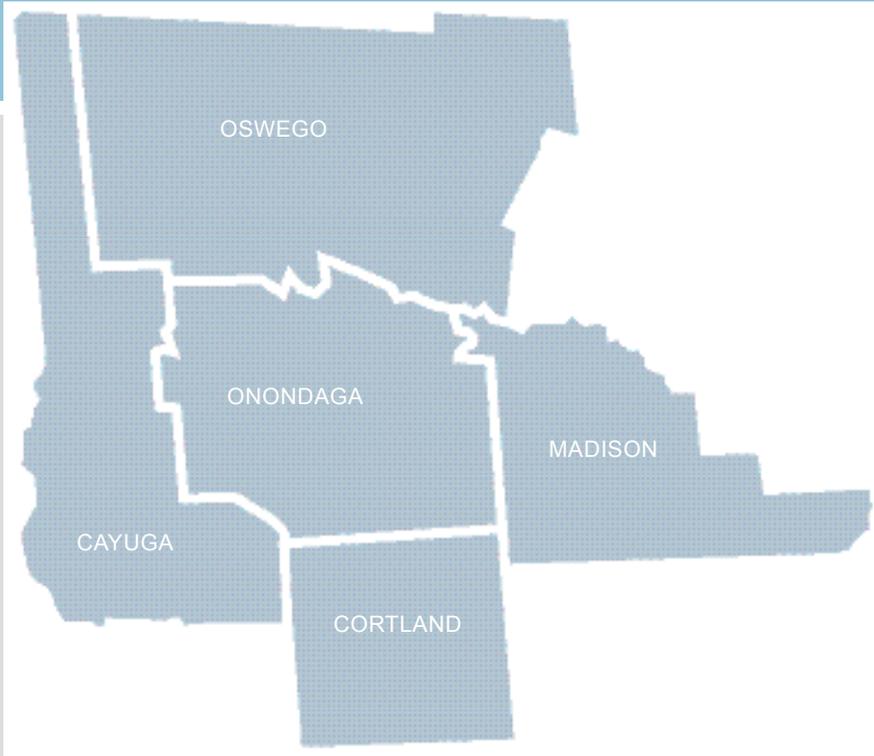
**Washington County Local Development Corporation  
(WCLDC)**

County Municipal Center  
383 Broadway  
Fort Edward, NY 12828  
(518) 746-2292  
Fax: (518) 746-2293  
[www.washingtoncounty.org/wcldc/business.html](http://www.washingtoncounty.org/wcldc/business.html)

WCLDC provides financing, site location assistance, state and local tax incentives, labor force data, and technical assistance to businesses.



# Central New York





## ***Cayuga County***

### **Cayuga County Chamber of Commerce**

36 South Street  
Auburn, NY 13021  
(315) 252-7291  
Fax: (315) 255-3077  
[www.cayugacountychamber.com](http://www.cayugacountychamber.com)

### **Cayuga County Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

160 Genesee Street  
Auburn, NY 13021  
(315) 497-1024  
[www.co.cayuga.ny.us/bdsip/incentives.html#financial](http://www.co.cayuga.ny.us/bdsip/incentives.html#financial)  
Cayuga County IDA provides development incentives and assists firms locating to or expanding in Cayuga County.

### **Cayuga County Planning Department**

160 Genesee Street  
Auburn, NY 13021  
(315) 253-1276  
Fax: (315) 253-0282  
[www.co.cayuga.ny.us/planning/cdbg/index.html](http://www.co.cayuga.ny.us/planning/cdbg/index.html)  
The Cayuga County Planning Department provides information on how to access business capital programs, including a revolving loan program and a microenterprise loan fund.

### **City of Auburn Office of Planning and Economic Development**

Memorial City Hall  
24 South Street  
Auburn, NY 13021  
(315) 255-4115  
Fax: (315) 253-0282  
[www.ci.auburn.ny.us/oped/econdevt/index.html](http://www.ci.auburn.ny.us/oped/econdevt/index.html)  
The City of Auburn offers a range of programs to assist businesses in their development and expansion in Auburn. The City's Small Business Assistance Program provides financial assistance to local businesses.

### **Cornell Cooperative Extension of Cayuga County**

248 Grant Avenue

Auburn, NY 13021

(315) 255-1183

Fax: (315) 255-1187

[www.cce.cornell.edu/cayuga/cayuga.html](http://www.cce.cornell.edu/cayuga/cayuga.html)

Developed in collaboration with the Cayuga County Department of Planning, Cornell Cooperative Extension of Cayuga County, and the City of Auburn Office of Planning and Economic Development, the Small Business Program offers technical assistance, seminars in business development, and networking opportunities to entrepreneurs.

### **Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE)**

Chamber of Commerce

30 South Street

Auburn, NY 13021

(315) 252-7291

Fax: (315) 255-3077

[www.score.org](http://www.score.org)

### **Women in Business Network**

Cornell Cooperative Extension of Cayuga County

248 Grant Avenue

Auburn, NY 13021

(315) 255-1183

Fax: (315) 255-1187

[www.cce.cornell.edu/cayuga/wbn1/wbn-about.htm](http://www.cce.cornell.edu/cayuga/wbn1/wbn-about.htm)

The Women in Business Network provides seminars and networking opportunities for women entrepreneurs to share and exchange business information.

## ***Cortland County***

### **City of Cortland Office of Community Development**

25 Court Street

Cortland, NY 13045

(607) 753-1433

Fax: (607) 753-6818

[www.cortland.org/city/commdev.htm](http://www.cortland.org/city/commdev.htm)

The City of Cortland Office of Community Development offers loans and other resources to start-ups and existing businesses in the area. Financing is available for the purchase of equipment, acquisition and/or new construction, facility renovations and/or additions, inventory, and working capital.

**Cortland County Business Development Corporation (BDC)/Industrial Development Authority (IDA)**

P.O. Box 549

26 North Main Street

Cortland, NY 13045

(607) 756-5005

Fax: (607) 756-7901

[www.cortlandbusiness.com](http://www.cortlandbusiness.com)

Cortland County IDA provides incentives for expanding manufacturers including real property tax abatement, sales tax exemption, mortgage recording tax exemption, and industrial revenue bond financing. The Cortland County BDC/IDA also administers a revolving loan fund program.

**Cortland County Chamber of Commerce**

26 North Main Street

Cortland, NY 13045

(607) 756-2814

Fax: (607) 756-4698

[www.cortlandchamber.com](http://www.cortlandchamber.com)

***Madison County***

**Madison County Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

11 Madison Boulevard

Canastota, NY 13032

(315) 697-9817

Fax: (315) 697-8169

[www.madisoncountyny.com/mcida](http://www.madisoncountyny.com/mcida)

Madison County IDA offers financial assistance and tax incentives as well as industrial and commercial sites for businesses locating to or expanding in Madison County.

**Madison County Planning Department**

P.O. Box 606

N. Court Street

County Office Building

Wampsville, NY 13163

(315) 366-2376

Fax: (315) 366-2742

[www.madisoncounty.org/plan/indexA.html](http://www.madisoncounty.org/plan/indexA.html)

The Madison County Planning Department provides access to financing and other resource information for new and expanding businesses in Madison County.

**Southern Madison County Chamber of Commerce**

10 Utica Street, 2nd Floor

Hamilton, NY 13346

Mailing Address:

P.O. Box 3

Hamilton, NY 13346

(315) 824-8213

[www.hamiltonny.com/chamber](http://www.hamiltonny.com/chamber)

***Onondaga County*****Appleseed Trust**

220 Herald Place, 2nd Floor

Syracuse, NY 13202

(315) 424-9485

Appleseed Trust provides training, business support services, and access to capital for entrepreneurs in the City of Syracuse.

**Central New York Regional Planning & Development Board  
(CNY RPDB)**

126 North Salina Street

Syracuse, NY 13202

(315) 422-8276

Fax: (315) 422-9051

[www.cnyrpdb.org](http://www.cnyrpdb.org)

The CNY RPDB serves Cayuga, Cortland, Madison, Onondaga, and Oswego Counties and has programs in economic development, land and transportation, environmental and water management, as well as a regional data center. It provides business assistance and financing through the Enterprise Development Fund, a regionally-based loan program that assists businesses starting up or expanding their operations in Central New York.

**Central New York Technology Development Organization (CNYTDO)**

1201 East Fayette Street

Syracuse, NY 13210

(315) 425-5144

Fax: (315) 233-1259

[www.cnytdo.org](http://www.cnytdo.org)

CNYTDO is a Syracuse-based not-for-profit organization that supports and provides assistance to high-tech and manufacturing entrepreneurs and businesses in Cayuga, Onondaga, Madison, Cortland, and Oswego Counties.

**City of Syracuse, Office of Economic Development**

312 City Hall

233 E. Washington Street

Syracuse, NY 13202

(315) 448-8100

Fax: (315) 448-8036

[www.syracuse.ny.us/deptEcoDev.asp](http://www.syracuse.ny.us/deptEcoDev.asp)

The Office of Economic Development assists businesses seeking to expand, relocate, and improve in the City of Syracuse. It offers low cost financing for business development, site selection assistance, regulatory and permit assistance, job training referrals, benefits associated with both the NYS Empire Zone program and the Federal Empowerment Zone program, and SIDA revenue bond financing. Through the City's Urban Business Opportunity Center, entrepreneurial training, technical assistance, and financing are also available to businesses.

**Exponential Business Development Company (BDC)**

216 Walton Street, Suite 200

Syracuse, NY 13202

(315) 474-4500

Fax: (315) 474-4682

[www.exponential-ny.com](http://www.exponential-ny.com)

Exponential BDC is a venture capital firm specializing in early stage investments in the software, manufacturing, and communications technology industries in Upstate New York.

**Greater Syracuse Business Development Corporation (GSBDC)**

572 S. Salina Street

Syracuse, NY 13202-3320

(315) 470-1880

Fax: (315) 471-8545

[www.gsbdc.com](http://www.gsbdc.com)

GSBDC supports economic development financing for businesses in Onondaga, Madison, Cayuga, and Cortland Counties. It helps administer the U.S. Small Business Administration 504 Program, New York Job Development Authority's direct loan program, and three local revolving loan funds.

**Greater Syracuse Chamber of Commerce**

572 S. Salina Street

Syracuse, NY 13202-3320

(315) 470-1800

Fax: (315) 471-8545

[www.syracusechamber.com](http://www.syracusechamber.com)

**Jubilee Homes, Business Resource Center**

506 W Onondaga Street

Syracuse, NY 13204

(315) 471-2720

Jubilee Homes has a Business Resource Center that offers entrepreneurial training, resource information, and other business supportive services for entrepreneurs in the City of Syracuse.

**Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE)**

401 S. Salina, 5th Floor  
Syracuse, NY 13202  
(315) 471-9393  
Fax: (315) 471-9288  
[www.score.org](http://www.score.org)

**Small Business Development Center**

Onondaga Community College  
4941 Onondaga Road  
Whitney, Suite W-106  
Syracuse, NY 13215-2099  
(315) 498-6070  
Fax: (315) 492-3704  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Syracuse Industrial Development Agency (SIDA)**

312 City Hall  
233 E. Washington Street  
Syracuse, NY 13202  
(315) 448-8100  
Fax: (315) 448-8036  
[www.syracuse.ny.us](http://www.syracuse.ny.us)

SIDA provides technical assistance and tax exempt industrial revenue bond financing for the acquisition, construction, or reconstruction of manufacturing, industrial, commercial, warehousing, research, and pollution control projects.

**U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Rural Development**

441 S. Salina Street  
Syracuse, NY 13202-2405  
(315) 477-6409  
Fax: (315) 477-6550

[www.rurdev.usda.gov/ny/programs.htm](http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/ny/programs.htm)

USDA Rural Development offers business assistance and access to financing including loans and grants to businesses in rural areas.

**U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) - Syracuse Office**

401 S. Salina Street, 5th Floor

Syracuse, NY 13202

(315) 471-9393

Fax: (315) 471-9288

[www.sba.org](http://www.sba.org)

The SBA offers financing and a variety of programs to assist businesses.

**Oswego County****Center for Business and Community Programs**

State University of New York - Oswego

100 Sheldon Hall

Oswego, NY 13216

(315) 312-3492

Fax: (315) 312-3374

[www.oswego.edu/cbcp/programs.html](http://www.oswego.edu/cbcp/programs.html)

The Center for Business and Community Programs offers the Microenterprise Training Program to entrepreneurs interested in starting a business. The Center also provides business seminars and networking opportunities for entrepreneurs.

**City of Fulton Community Development Agency**

125 West Broadway

Fulton, NY 13069

(315) 593-7166

Fax: (315) 593-7754

[www.fultoncda.com](http://www.fultoncda.com)

The Fulton Community Development Agency offers the following business services and programs: business training programs, the Microenterprise Center, economic development zone benefits and incentives, and loan programs.

**City of Oswego Community Development Office**

20 West Oneida Street

Oswego, NY 13216

(315) 343-3795

Fax: (315) 342-8231

[www.oswegony.org](http://www.oswegony.org)

The City of Oswego Community Development Office offers the Business Development, Empire Zone, Micro-enterprise Training and Loan Programs. Loans and grants as well as a façade improvement program are available for large and small companies.

**County of Oswego Industrial Development Authority (IDA)**

44 W. Bridge Street

Oswego, NY 13126

(315) 343-1545

Fax: (315) 343-1546

[www.oswegocounty.org](http://www.oswegocounty.org)

The County of Oswego IDA administers a revolving loan fund, provides financial and tax benefits for businesses, and issues industrial revenue, industrial development, and civic facilities bonds.

**Operation Oswego County**

44 West Bridge Street

Oswego, NY 13126

(315) 343-1545

Fax: (315) 343-1546

[www.oswegocounty.org](http://www.oswegocounty.org)

Operation Oswego County offers business assistance in the following areas: site selection, access to special incentive programs, financial packaging assistance, specialized research, and technical assistance.

**Service Corp of Retired Executives (SCORE)**

c/o Cornell Cooperative Extension

3288 Main Street

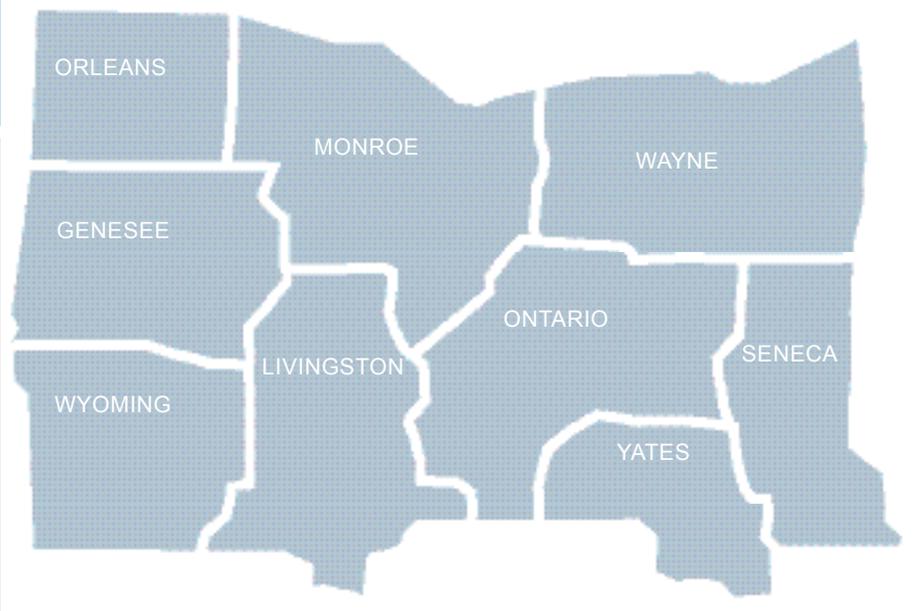
Mexico, NY 13114

(315) 963-7286

[www.score.org](http://www.score.org)

**Small Business Development Center**  
State University of New York at Oswego  
100 Sheldon Hall  
Oswego, NY 13126  
(315) 312-5696  
Fax: (315) 312-3374  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

# Finger Lakes





## ***Genesee County***

### **City of Batavia Community Development Department**

10 West Main Street

Batavia, NY 14020

(585) 345-6320

Fax: (585) 343-9221

[www.batavianewyork.com/com\\_dev.html](http://www.batavianewyork.com/com_dev.html)

The City's Community Development Department provides technical assistance to businesses. It administers a revolving loan fund for small businesses in Batavia.

### **Genesee County Chamber of Commerce**

210 East Main Street

Batavia, NY 14020

(585) 343-7440

Fax: (585) 343-7487

[www.geneseeny.com/chamber](http://www.geneseeny.com/chamber)

### **Genesee County Economic Development Center**

One Mill Street

Batavia, NY 14020

(877) 343-4866

Fax: (585) 343-0848

[www.gcedc.com](http://www.gcedc.com)

GCIDA provides technical assistance, financial resources, and development project incentives for businesses operating in Genesee County.

## ***Livingston County***

### **Dansville Area Chamber of Commerce**

126 Main Street

P.O. Box 105

Dansville, NY 14437

(800) 949-0174

Fax: (585) 335-6920

[www.dansvilleny.net](http://www.dansvilleny.net)

### **Livingston County Development Group**

6 Court Street, Room 306

Geneseo, NY 14454

(585) 243-7124

Fax: (585) 243-7126

[www.build-here.com](http://www.build-here.com)

The Livingston County Economic Development Office and Livingston County Industrial Development Agency are part of the Livingston County Development Group. They provide financing, tax incentives, and other services for businesses.

### **Small Business Development Center**

SUNY College at Geneseo

1 College Circle

South Hall, Room 111

Geneseo, NY 14454

(585) 245-5429

[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

## ***Monroe County***

### **City of Rochester Economic Development Department**

City Hall

30 Church Street Room 005A

Rochester, NY 14614

(716) 428-6808

[www.ci.rochester.ny.us](http://www.ci.rochester.ny.us)

The City of Rochester offers grants, loans, incentives, technical assistance, and other resources to assist businesses in Rochester.

### **County of Monroe Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

City Place, Suite 8100

50 West Main Street

Rochester, NY 14614

(716) 428-5260

Fax: (716) 428-5336

[www.growmonroe.org](http://www.growmonroe.org)

Monroe County IDA promotes industrial, commercial, and microenterprise development through its loan programs, tax abatement and incentive programs, and site location assistance. It operates a revolving loan fund for manufacturing, industrial, commercial, warehousing, and research companies and a microenterprise revolving loan fund for small businesses.

**High Tech Rochester (HTR) - HTR Startup Assistance**

Lennox Tech Enterprise Center  
150 Lucius Gordon Drive, Suite 100  
West Henrietta, NY 14586  
(585) 214-2400  
Fax:(585) 272-0054  
[www.htr.org](http://www.htr.org)

HTR is a not-for-profit organization that provides technology-based firms with training, consulting, and access to resources. Incubation services for technology entrepreneurs are also available through the Lennox Tech Enterprise Center.

**Monroe County Planning and Development Department**

50 W. Main Street, Suite 8100  
Rochester, NY 14614  
(716) 428-2970  
Fax: (716) 428-5336  
[www.co.monroe.ny.us/ecodev/aboutplanning.stm](http://www.co.monroe.ny.us/ecodev/aboutplanning.stm)

The Economic Development Division of Monroe County's Planning and Development Department provides the following assistance to businesses: financing, loan packaging, permitting information, site identification, and technical assistance.

**Rochester Business Alliance**

55 St. Paul Street  
Rochester, NY 14604  
(585) 454-2220  
Fax: (263) 3679  
[www.rochesterbusinessalliance.com](http://www.rochesterbusinessalliance.com)

Rochester Business Alliance provides resource information and supportive services for businesses in the Greater Rochester region.

**Rural Opportunities Enterprise Center, Inc.**

400 East Avenue  
Rochester, NY 14607  
(585) 340-3300  
[www.ruralinc.org](http://www.ruralinc.org)

The Rural Opportunities Enterprise Center provides access to credit and technical assistance to microenterprises and small businesses. ROI's service area includes rural communities in New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Ohio, Indiana, and Puerto Rico.

**Small Business Development Center**

350 New Campus Dr  
Morgan III, Room 3205  
Brockport, NY 14420-4420  
(585) 395-2334  
Fax: (585) 395-2467  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Urban League of Rochester, Inc.**

Business Development Division  
265 North Clinton Avenue  
Rochester, NY 14605  
(585) 325-6530  
Fax: (585) 325-4864  
[www.ulr.org/business\\_development.htm](http://www.ulr.org/business_development.htm)

The Urban League of Rochester's Business Development Division operates the Business Exchange to provide technical assistance to women contractors. It also operates the Minority and Women Enterprise Development Center which offers technical assistance including start-up counseling, business development and management, and other services for new and existing small business owners.

**Worker Ownership Resource Center (WORC)**

104 Scio Street  
Rochester, NY 14604  
(585) 338-7822  
Fax: (585) 338-1232  
[www.atworc.net](http://www.atworc.net)

WORC provides technical assistance and entrepreneurial training for economically disadvantaged entrepreneurs. Participants receive support in the form of intake and assessment, classroom training, workshop training, and access to capital.

## ***Ontario County***

### **Ontario County Office of Economic Development/Ontario County Industrial Development Agency**

20 Ontario Street, Suite 106-B

Canandaigua, NY 14424

(585) 396-4460

Fax: (585) 396-4594

[www.ontariocountydev.org](http://www.ontariocountydev.org)

Ontario County offers financial incentive programs to attract and retain businesses in Ontario County. Financial assistance and other supportive services and information are available.

### **Canandaigua Chamber of Commerce**

113 South Main Street

Canandaigua, NY 14424

(585) 394-4400

Fax: (585) 394-4546

[www.canandaigua.com/chamber](http://www.canandaigua.com/chamber)

## ***Orleans County***

### **County of Orleans Industrial Development Agency (COIDA)**

14016 Route 31 West

Albion, NY 14411

(585) 589-2832

Fax: (585) 589-2858

[www.coida.com](http://www.coida.com)

COIDA provides financial incentives, site location assistance, and job training programs for businesses locating to or expanding in Orleans County. COIDA also operates the Microenterprise Assistance Program which provides technical assistance, education, and post-business start-up support to small business entrepreneurs.

**Orleans County Chamber of Commerce**

45 North Main Street  
Albion, NY 14111  
(585) 589-7727  
Fax: (585) 589-7326  
[www.orleanschamber.com](http://www.orleanschamber.com)

***Seneca County*****Seneca County Chamber of Commerce**

2020 Routes 5 & 20 West  
Seneca Falls, NY 13148  
(315) 568-2906  
Fax: (315) 568-1730  
[www.senecachamber.org/index.php](http://www.senecachamber.org/index.php)

**Seneca County Department of Economic Development  
and Planning**

1 Dipronio Drive  
Waterloo, NY 13165-1680  
(315) 539-1726  
Fax: (315) 539-4340  
[www.co.seneca.ny.us](http://www.co.seneca.ny.us)  
The Department of Economic Development and Planning  
provides business resource information for firms in the area.

***Wayne County*****Lyons Chamber of Commerce**

P.O. Box 39  
Lyons, NY 14489  
(315) 946-6691  
[www.lyonschamber.com](http://www.lyonschamber.com)

**Wayne Economic Development Corporation**

16 William Street  
Lyons, NY 14489  
(315) 946-5917  
Fax: (315) 946-5918  
[www.wedcny.org](http://www.wedcny.org)

Wayne Economic Development Corporation administers a microenterprise loan program and revolving loan fund. Other financial incentives for businesses are also available through the the Wayne County Industrial Development Agency.

## ***Wyoming County***

### **Wyoming County Chamber of Commerce**

6470 Route 20A, Suite 2  
Perry, NY 14530-9798  
(800) 951-9774  
[www.wycochamber.org](http://www.wycochamber.org)

### **Wyoming County Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

6470 Route 20A, Suite 4  
Perry, NY 14530  
(585) 237-4110  
Fax: (585) 237-4113  
[www.wyomingco.net/econ/homepage.htm](http://www.wyomingco.net/econ/homepage.htm)  
Wyoming County IDA provides tax incentives and low-interest loans to businesses and issues industrial development bonds to promote and attract economic development projects to Wyoming County.

### **Wyoming County Planning and Development**

6470 Route 20A, Suite 4  
Perry, NY 14530-9796  
(585) 237-4110  
Fax (585) 237-4113  
[www.wyomingco.net/econ/homepage.htm](http://www.wyomingco.net/econ/homepage.htm)  
The Wyoming County Department of Planning & Development provides information and resources to businesses in the area. A Microenterprise Assistance Program is also available to entrepreneurs in Wyoming and Livingston Counties.

## ***Yates County***

### **Yates County Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

One Keuka Business Park, Suite 104

Penn Yan, NY 14527

(315) 536-7328

Fax: (315) 536-2389

[www.yatesida.com](http://www.yatesida.com)

Yates County IDA serves as a one-stop shop for local businesses and provides assistance in the areas of business plan development, loan packaging, site location, and permitting.

# Long Island





## ***Nassau County***

### **Glen Cove Chamber of Commerce**

P.O. Box 721  
Glen Cove, NY 11542  
(516) 676-6666  
[www.glencovechamber.org](http://www.glencovechamber.org)

### **Hempstead Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

Town Hall  
350 Front Street, Room 240  
Hempstead, NY 11550  
(516) 505-9678  
Fax: (516) 489-0794  
[www.tohida.org](http://www.tohida.org)  
Hempstead IDA provides financial assistance, tax incentives, business advice and resources to businesses located in the town of Hempstead.

### **Long Island Development Corporation (LIDC)**

45 Seaman Avenue  
Bethpage, NY 11714  
516 433-5000  
Fax: (516) 433-5046  
[www.lidc.org](http://www.lidc.org)  
LIDC is a not-for-profit organization seeking to promote economic development for Long Island. In addition to providing loans and technical assistance, LIDC counsels small businesses and links them to resources available from other public agencies.

### **Long Island Small Business Assistance Corporation**

45 Seaman Avenue  
Bethpage, NY 11714  
(516) 433-5000  
Fax: (516) 433-5046  
[www.lidc.org](http://www.lidc.org)  
Long Island Small Business Assistance Corporation makes loans and provides technical assistance and workshops to women-owned businesses in Nassau and Suffolk Counties.

**Nassau County Department of Economic  
Development/Office of Economic Development.**

400 County Seat Drive  
Mineola, NY 11501  
(516) 571-0390

[www.nassaucountynydevelopment.org](http://www.nassaucountynydevelopment.org)

Nassau County Department of Economic Development provides financial assistance and resources to businesses through the Economic Development Resource Center, an arm of the Office of Economic Development. A microenterprise loan program which provides low interest financing to small businesses is also available.

**Nassau County Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

400 County Seat Drive  
Mineola, NY 11501  
(516) 571-4160

[www.nassaucountynydevelopment.org](http://www.nassaucountynydevelopment.org)

Nassau County IDA offers business assistance which includes the following: business relocation and expansion assistance, low-cost financing, tax abatements, and reduced energy rates.

**NYS Association of Black Women Owned Enterprises**

730 Fulton Avenue  
Hempstead, NY 11550  
(516) 485-5900

Fax: (518) 485-11550

[www.blackwomenenterprises.org](http://www.blackwomenenterprises.org)

The NYS Association of Black Women Owned Enterprises is a not-for-profit organization that provides technical assistance and business resources to black women business owners.

**Small Business Development Center**

269 Fulton Avenue  
Hempstead, NY 11550  
(516) 564-8672

Fax: (516) 564-1895

[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

## ***Suffolk County***

### **Babylon Town Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

57 W. Sunrise Hwy  
Lindenhurst, NY 11757  
(631) 226-3669

Fax: (631) 226-3530

[www.babylonida.org](http://www.babylonida.org)

Babylon Town IDA promotes economic development for the town of Babylon. It offers financial incentives, technical assistance, counseling, and referral services.

### **Community Development Corporation of Long Island (CDCLI)**

2100 Middle Country Road, Suite 300  
Centereach, NY 11720-3576  
(631) 471-1215

Fax: (631) 471-3087

[www.cdcli.org](http://www.cdcli.org)

CDCLI is a not-for-profit organization focused on housing, community development, and economic development. CDCLI provides loans and grants, training, and technical assistance for businesses.

### **Islip Town Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

40 Nassau Avenue  
Islip, NY 11751

(631) 224-5512

Fax: (631) 224-5517

[www.isliptown.org/industry.htm](http://www.isliptown.org/industry.htm)

Islip Town IDA offers business assistance including property tax, mortgage tax, and sales tax exemptions, as well as other financial incentives to businesses in the area.

**Long Island High Technology Incubator, Inc.**

Box 100, 25 East Loop Road  
Stony Brook, NY 11790-3350  
(631) 444-8800  
Fax: (631) 444-8825  
[www.lihti.org](http://www.lihti.org)

Long Island High Technology Incubator, Inc. provides office space, networking opportunities, and technical assistance to for technology start-up businesses.

**National Association of Women Business Owners (NAWBO)  
Long Island Chapter**

245 Adams Blvd.  
Farmingdale, NY 11735  
(516) 466-3470

NAWBO seeks to enhance the growth of women business owners in Nassau and Suffolk Counties and provides workshops, networking opportunities, and support for women entrepreneurs and business owners.

**Riverhead Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

Town Hall  
200 Howell Avenue  
Riverhead, NY 11901  
(631) 727-3200  
Fax: (631) 369-6925  
[www.riverheadli.com/rida.html](http://www.riverheadli.com/rida.html)

Riverhead IDA provides financing assistance to businesses. It promotes economic development through the acquisition, construction, and improvement of commercial and industrial properties.

**Small Business Development Center**

State University of New York at Stony Brook  
Harriman Hall, Room 103  
Stony Brook, NY 11794-3775  
(631) 632-9070  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Small Business Development Center**

Southampton Outreach Center  
Long Island University at Southampton  
Abney Peak Montauk Highway  
Southampton, NY 11968  
(631) 287-0059  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Small Business Development Center**

SUNY College of Technology at Farmingdale  
Campus Commons  
Farmingdale, NY 11735  
(631) 420-2765  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Suffolk County Community College TechniCenter  
Entrepreneurial Assistance Program (EAP)**

205 Oser Avenue  
Hauppauge, NY 11788  
(631) 851-6206  
Fax: (631) 851-6222  
EAP offers training, counseling, and technical assistance to new  
and existing business owners

**Suffolk County Community Development Department  
(SCCDD)**

H. Lee Dennison Building  
100 Veterans Memorial Highway, 11th Floor  
Hauppauge, NY 11788-0099  
(631) 853-5705  
Fax: (631) 853-5688  
[www.co.suffolk.ny.us](http://www.co.suffolk.ny.us)  
SCCDD promotes job creation and retention for Suffolk County  
and offers a revolving loan fund for small- and medium-sized  
businesses.

**Suffolk County Department of Economic Development  
(SCDED)**

H. Lee Dennison Building  
100 Veterans Highway  
Hauppauge, NY 11788  
(631) 853-4800

Fax: (631) 853-4888

[www.co.suffolk.ny.us/exec/eco](http://www.co.suffolk.ny.us/exec/eco)

SCDED offers businesses site location assistance, financial incentive information, and assistance in accessing federal, state, and local resources.

**Suffolk County Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

H. Lee Dennison Building  
100 Veterans Memorial Highway  
Hauppauge, NY 11788  
(631) 853-4802

Fax: (631) 853-8351

[www.co.suffolk.ny.us](http://www.co.suffolk.ny.us)

Suffolk County IDA provides resource assistance and financial incentives to businesses.

**Town of Brookhaven Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

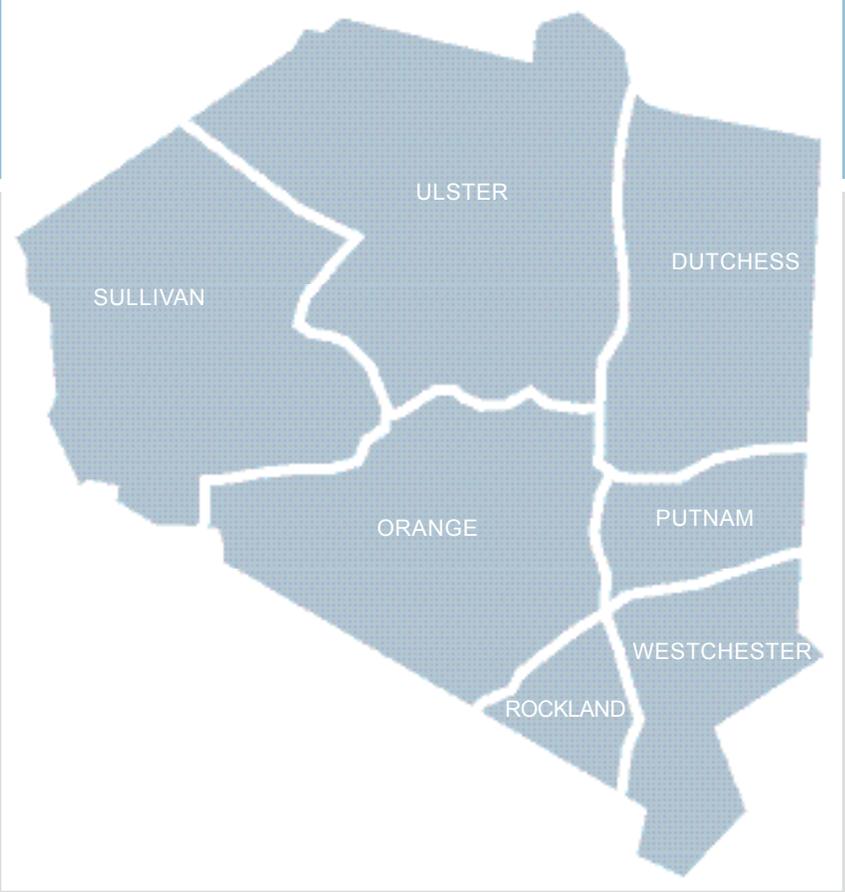
3233 Route 112  
Medford, NY 11763  
(631) 451-6563

Fax: (631) 451-6925

[www.brookhaven.org/business/ida.asp](http://www.brookhaven.org/business/ida.asp)

The Town of Brookhaven IDA provides site location assistance, issues tax-exempt or taxable bonds, and makes referrals to other business resources.

# Mid-Hudson





## ***Dutchess County***

### **Dutchess County Economic Development Corporation (DCEDC)**

3 Neptune Road  
Poughkeepsie, NY 12601  
(845) 463-5400  
Fax: (845) 463-5401  
[www.dcedc.com](http://www.dcedc.com)

DCEDC is a not-for-profit local development corporation seeking to promote economic development in Dutchess County. DCED is involved in external marketing, business attraction and retention, Empire Zone administration, and tourism promotion.

### **Hudson Valley Technology Development Center, Inc. (HVTDC)**

300 Westage Business Center, Suite 130  
Fishkill, NY 12524  
(845) 896-6934  
Fax: (845) 896-7006  
[www.hvtdc.org](http://www.hvtdc.org)

HVTDC assists businesses, with a focus on technology firms, in the seven-county Hudson Valley area. HVTDC provides assistance in the following areas: business development, operations, sales and marketing, workforce development, technology advancement and integration, and entrepreneurial initiatives. HVTDC may also offer consulting services, seminars, and other business support functions.

### **Small Business Development Center**

Fishkill Satellite  
Marist College Extension  
400 Westage Business Center  
Fishkill, NY 12524  
(845) 897-3945  
Fax: (845) 897-4653  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

## **Orange County**

### **Hudson Valley Economic Development Corporation**

33 Airport Center Drive, Suite 107

New Windsor, NY 12553

(845) 220-2244

Fax: (845) 220-2247

[www.hvedc.com](http://www.hvedc.com)

Hudson Valley Economic Development Corporation represents the eight-county region of the Hudson River Valley and is involved in marketing the region to businesses. It also provides business resource information, a business data bank, and a real estate properties database for businesses.

### **Kingston-Newburgh Enterprise Corporation (KNEC)**

104 S. Landers Street

Newburgh, NY 12550

(845) 569-1680

Fax: (845) 569-1630

KNEC helps to administer a low-interest revolving loan fund for small business development and job creation, subsidy for job training initiatives, housing development projects and a variety of community development programs.

### **Orange County Chamber of Commerce**

11 Racquet Road

Newburgh, NY 12550

(845) 567-6229

Fax: (845) 567-6271

[www.orangeny.com](http://www.orangeny.com)

### **Orange County Partnership**

40 Matthews Street, Suite 108

Goshen NY, 10924

(845) 294-2323

Fax: (845) 294-8023

[www.ocpartnership.org](http://www.ocpartnership.org)

Orange County Partnership assists businesses with site selection, market research, labor force research, and identification of incentive programs. In addition, the Business Retention Program, jointly sponsored by the Orange County Partnership and the Chamber of Commerce of Orange County provides technical assistance to companies seeking to expand in Orange County.

### ***Putnam County***

#### **Putnam County Economic Development Corporation**

34 Gleneida Avenue

Carmel, NY 10512

(845) 225-2300

Fax: (845) 225-0311

[www.putnamedc.org](http://www.putnamedc.org)

The Putnam County Economic Development Corporation is a not-for-profit organization which promotes economic development for Putnam County. Information and resources are available to businesses.

### ***Rockland County***

#### **County of Rockland Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

One Blue Hill Plaza

P.O. Box 1575

Pearl River, NY 10965

(845) 735-0205

Fax: (845) 732-9732

[www.redc.org/business/finance/industrialdevagency.html](http://www.redc.org/business/finance/industrialdevagency.html)

The County of Rockland IDA offers financial assistance, issues tax exempt and taxable bonds, and provides resource information to businesses.

**Rockland Business Association (RBA)**

One Blue Hill Plaza

P.O. Box 1567

Pearl River, NY 10965

(845) 735-2100

Fax: (845) 735-2482

[www.rocklandbusiness.org/rba\\_about.html](http://www.rocklandbusiness.org/rba_about.html)

RBA offers networking opportunities and workshops for businesses. Members receive referral services, publications, advertising opportunities, and events and regulatory updates.

**Rockland Business Women's Network**

P.O. Box 182

Tallman, NY 10982-0182

(845) 362-3620

[www.rbwn.org](http://www.rbwn.org)

The Rockland Business Women's Network provides business development and networking opportunities for women entrepreneurs.

**Rockland Economic Development Corporation (REDC)**

One Blue Hill Plaza

P.O. Box 1575

Pearl River, NY 10965

(845) 735-7040

Fax: (845) 735-5736

[www.redc.org](http://www.redc.org)

REDC offers incentive programs and financial assistance for businesses. It provides assistance with the permitting and regulatory process and access to other governmental and professional resources.

***Sullivan County*****Sullivan County Chamber of Commerce**

59 North Main Street

Liberty, NY 12754-1832

(845) 292-8500

Fax: (845) 292-5366

[www.sullivanchamber.org/chamber](http://www.sullivanchamber.org/chamber)

**Sullivan County Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

198 Bridgeville Road

Monticello, NY 12701

(845) 796-2478

Fax: (845) 796-2493

[co.sullivan.ny.us/content/ecodevt](http://co.sullivan.ny.us/content/ecodevt)

Sullivan County IDA provides microenterprise and revolving loan capital to start-up and existing businesses in Sullivan County.

**Sullivan County Partnership for Economic Development**

198 Bridgeville Road

Monticello, NY 12701

(845) 794-1110

Fax: (845) 794-2324

[www.scpartnership.com](http://www.scpartnership.com)

The Partnership provides financing, permitting assistance, site location assistance, and general business resource information to Sullivan County businesses.

***Ulster County*****Chamber of Commerce of Ulster County**

1 Albany Avenue, Suite G-3

Kingston, NY 12401-2998

(845) 338-5100

Fax: (845) 338-0968

[www.ulsterchamber.org](http://www.ulsterchamber.org)

**Kingston Local Development Corporation**

420 Broadway

Kingston, NY 12401

(845) 334-3960

Fax: (845) 334-3965

[www.ci.kingston.ny.us/Relocation/Business.html](http://www.ci.kingston.ny.us/Relocation/Business.html)

Kingston Local Development Corporation offers revolving loan funds and general assistance to businesses in the area.

**Kingston-Ulster Economic Development Zone (EDZ)**

420 Broadway  
Kingston, NY 12401  
(845) 334-3962  
Fax: (845) 334-3976  
[www.kingstonez.com](http://www.kingstonez.com)

The Kingston-Ulster EDZ provides site selection and financing assistance in addition to the following tax credits for businesses: wage, sales, and investment tax credits and real property tax abatements.

**Small Business Development Center (SBDC) - Mid-Hudson Region**

One Development Court  
Kingston, NY 12401  
(845) 339-0025  
Fax: (845) 339-1631  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

The Mid-Hudson SBDC serves small businesses in the Dutchess, Orange, Sullivan, and Ulster Counties.

**Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE)**

Ulster County Community College  
Clinton Building Room 102  
P.O. Box 557  
Stone Ridge, NY 12484-0557  
(845) 687-5035  
Fax: (845) 687-5275  
[www.score.org](http://www.score.org)

**Ulster County Development Corporation**

5 Development Court  
Kingston, NY 12401  
(845) 338-8840  
Fax: (845) 338-0409  
[www.co.ulster.ny.us](http://www.co.ulster.ny.us)

Ulster County Development Corporation provides information on financial resources for businesses. Several financial packages are available to businesses including a revolving loan fund, telecommunications fund, tax credits, property tax abatements, and industrial revenue bonds.

## ***Westchester County***

### **African American Chamber of Commerce**

100 Stevens Avenue, Suite 202  
Mount Vernon, NY 10550  
(914) 699-9050  
Fax: (914) 699-6279  
[www.africanamericanchamberofcommercenys.org](http://www.africanamericanchamberofcommercenys.org)

### **City of Peekskill Industrial Development Agency**

City Hall  
840 Main Street  
Peekskill, NY 10566  
(914) 734-4180  
Fax: (914) 734-4183  
[www.ci.peekskill.ny.us](http://www.ci.peekskill.ny.us)  
The City of Peekskill IDA offers financial incentives and other services including counseling to assist entrepreneurs, especially women-owned and minority businesses; it also issues tax-exempt securities.

### **Leviticus 25:23 Alternative Fund, Inc.**

928 McLean Avenue  
Yonkers, NY 10704-4103  
(914) 237-3306  
Fax: (914) 237-3916  
[www.leviticusfund.org](http://www.leviticusfund.org)  
Leviticus 25:23 Alternative Fund provides loans to women and minority entrepreneurs and community-based organizations. It has lending programs in the following areas: affordable housing, not-for-profit facilities, and child care facilities.

### **Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE)**

120 Bloomingdale Road  
White Plains, NY 10605  
(914) 948-3907  
Fax: (914) 948-4645  
[www.score.org](http://www.score.org)

**Small Business Development Center**

SBDC Westchester I-Park  
Building 3  
28 Wells Avenue  
Yonkers, NY 10701  
(914) 375-2107  
Fax: (914) 375-9276  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Small Business Development Outreach Center**

Small Business Resource Center  
222 Bloomingdale Road  
White Plains, NY 10605-1500  
(914) 948-4450  
[www.nyssbdc.com](http://www.nyssbdc.com)

**Small Business Development Outreach Center**

Mercy College  
555 Broadway  
Dobbs Ferry, NY 10522-1189  
(914) 674-7485  
Fax: (914) 693-4996  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Westchester County Chamber of Commerce**

235 Mamaroneck Avenue  
White Plains, NY 10605-1317  
(914) 948-2110  
Fax: (914) 948-0122  
[www.westchesterny.org](http://www.westchesterny.org)

**Westchester County Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

Michaelian Office Building, Room 903  
148 Martine Avenue  
White Plains, NY 10601  
(914) 995-2916  
Fax: (914) 995-3044  
<http://economic.westchestergov.com/ida>  
Westchester IDA offers financial assistance to businesses; it issues taxable and tax-exempt securities and offers sales tax exemptions.

**Westchester County Office of Economic Development**

Michaelian Office Building, Room 903

148 Martine Avenue

White Plains, NY 10601

(914) 995-2963

[http://economic.westchestergov.com/doing\\_business](http://economic.westchestergov.com/doing_business)

Westchester County Office of Economic Development provides businesses with financing assistance and serves as a clearinghouse of information for businesses located in or relocating to Westchester County.

**Westchester Hispanic Chamber of Commerce**

171 East Post Road

White Plains, NY 10601

(914) 328-7181

Fax: (914) 861-1978

**Westchester Housing Fund**

14 Saw Mill River Road, Suite 3

Hawthorne, NY 10532

(914) 592-3244

Fax: (914) 592-2549

The Westchester Housing Fund provides individual business counseling and financing to home-based child care providers, small and start-up businesses, and businesses affected by the events of September 11th. It serves Dutchess, Orange, Putnam, Rockland, Sullivan, Ulster, and Westchester counties.

**Women's Enterprise Development Center Inc. (WEDC)**

707 Westchester Avenue, Suite 213

White Plains, NY 10604

(914) 948-6098

Fax: (914) 948-6913

[www.westchester.org/resources/business/wedc.htm](http://www.westchester.org/resources/business/wedc.htm)

WEDC offers entrepreneurial training programs and services to socially and economically disadvantaged women. It also provides technical assistance, individual counseling, peer support, and access to capital.

**Yonkers Small Business Development Center**

53 South Broadway

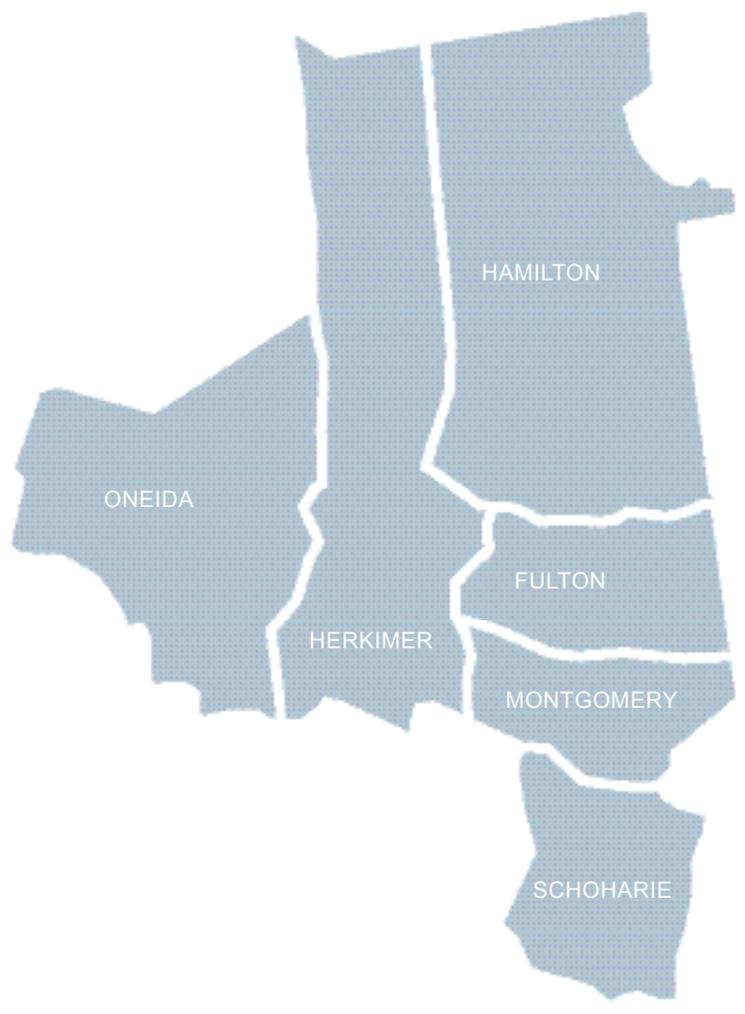
Yonkers, NY 10701

(914) 968-2671

Fax: (914) 968-5793

[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

# Mohawk Valley





## ***Fulton County***

### **Fulton County Economic Development Corporation (FCEDC)**

The Johnstown Professional Office Complex

55 East Main Street, Suite 110

Johnstown, NY 12095

(518) 762-8700

Fax: (518) 762-8702

[www.sites4u.org](http://www.sites4u.org)

FCEDC provides assistance in the following areas: permit assistance, loans, construction and real estate management, financial packaging, and labor access and training. It also administers the Gloversville Empire Zone Program and assists with the Zone application process and its reporting procedures.

### **Fulton County Regional Chamber of Commerce and Industry**

2 North Main Street

Gloversville, NY 12078

(800) 676-3858

Fax: (518) 725-0643

[www.fultoncountyny.org](http://www.fultoncountyny.org)

### **Johnstown Economic Development Corporation (JEDC)**

122 C Balzano Drive

Johnstown, NY 12095

(518) 762-8700

Fax: (518) 725-6663

JEDC provides one-stop permit assistance, project facility management services, and financial packaging for businesses. JEDC also offers a revolving loan fund for eligible businesses located in the Johnstown area.

## ***Hamilton County***

### **Adirondacks Speculator Region Chamber of Commerce**

Box 184

Speculator, NY 12164

(518) 548-4521

[www.adrkmts.com](http://www.adrkmts.com)

**Hamilton County Office**

Office Building, Box 771  
Indian Lake, NY 12842-0771  
(518) 648-5239  
[www.hamiltoncounty.com](http://www.hamiltoncounty.com)

The County of Hamilton provides resources and information for businesses in the area.

***Herkimer County*****Herkimer County Chamber of Commerce**

P.O. Box 129  
28 West Main Street  
Mohawk, NY 13407  
(315) 866-7820  
Fax: (315) 866-7833

**Herkimer County Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

301 N. Washington Street  
Herkimer, NY 13350  
(315) 867-1373  
Fax: (315) 867-1515

Herkimer County IDA administers financing and tax-abatement programs for businesses. In addition, it acts as a one-stop shop to help businesses access local, regional, state, and federal resources.

***Montgomery County*****Montgomery County Business Development Center**

Old County Courthouse  
P.O. Box 1500, Park Street  
Fonda, NY 12068  
(518) 853-8334  
Fax: (518) 853-8336

[www.co.montgomery.ny.us/economicdevelopment](http://www.co.montgomery.ny.us/economicdevelopment)

Montgomery County Business Development Center provides Empire Zone incentives, needs assessments, technical assistance, marketing, and training resources. Loans and grants are also available for businesses located in Montgomery County.

**Montgomery County Chamber of Commerce**

P.O. Box 309  
Amsterdam, NY 12010  
(518) 842-8200  
Fax: (518) 843-8327  
[www.montgomerycountyny.com/index.asp](http://www.montgomerycountyny.com/index.asp)

**Montgomery County Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

P.O. Box 1500  
Fonda, NY 12068  
(518) 853-8334  
Fax: (518) 853-8336  
[www.co.montgomery.ny.us](http://www.co.montgomery.ny.us)  
Montgomery County IDA provides resources and information for businesses looking to expand in or locate to Montgomery County.

***Oneida County*****The Business Training Institute, Inc.**

200 Genesee Street Radisson  
Utica, NY 13502  
(315) 733-9848  
Fax: (315) 733-0247  
The Business Training Institute operates the Women's Business Center (WBC) and Entrepreneur Assistance Center targeting business owners in low-income areas. Technical assistance, training in finance, management, procurement, and the Internet, are available.

**Mohawk Valley Chamber of Commerce**

520 Seneca Street, 3rd Floor  
Utica, NY 13502  
(315) 724-3151  
Fax: (315) 724-3177  
[www.mvchamber.org](http://www.mvchamber.org)

**Mohawk Valley Community College  
Center for Community and Economic Development**

1101 Sherman Drive  
Utica, NY 13501  
(315) 792-5400  
[www.mvcc.edu/CCED](http://www.mvcc.edu/CCED)

The Center for Community and Economic Development offers small business workshops, seminars, training in total quality management, and other consulting services to businesses in Mohawk Valley.

**Mohawk Valley EDGE**

153 Brooks Road  
Rome, NY 13441-4105  
(315) 338-0393  
Fax: 315) 338-5694  
[www.mvedge.org](http://www.mvedge.org)

Mohawk Valley EDGE provides a variety of resources for businesses in Oneida and Herkimer Counties. It helps administer the county's Microenterprise Assistance Program which offers low-interest loans and financing to assist small businesses with five or fewer employees.

**Rome Area Chamber of Commerce**

139 W. Dominick Street  
Rome, NY 13440  
(315) 337-1700  
Fax: (315) 337-1715  
[www.romechamber.com](http://www.romechamber.com)

**Rome Industrial Development Corporation**

139 Liberty Plaza  
Rome, NY 13440  
(315) 337-6360  
Fax: (315) 337-0918  
[www.romeny.org](http://www.romeny.org)

Rome Industrial Development Corporation offers assistance in the following areas: financing, business plan development, site location assistance, introductions to public and private sector leaders, financing tax incentives, employee training, and permitting assistance.

**Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE)**

SUNY Institute of Technology, Route 12  
Utica, NY 13504  
(315) 792-7553  
[www.score.org](http://www.score.org)

**Small Business Development Center**

SUNY Institute of Technology  
Kunsela Hall, Room C101  
Route 12 North  
Utica, NY 13504  
(315) 792-7547  
Fax: (315) 792-7554  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Women's Business Center of New York State**

200 Genesee Street  
Utica, NY 13502  
(315) 733-9848  
Fax: (315) 733-0247  
[www.nywbc.org](http://www.nywbc.org)

The Women's Business Center of New York State seeks to train and counsel women who want to start new or grow their existing businesses. Serving 34 counties in the Syracuse SBA District, the Center also provides networking opportunities and mentoring to women entrepreneurs.

**Worker Ownership Resource Center (WORC)**

307 Genesee Street  
Utica, NY 13501  
(315) 724-6518  
Fax: (315) 724-6818  
[www.atworc.net](http://www.atworc.net)

WORC provides training, one-on-one technical assistance, and access to start-up financing for economically disadvantaged microentrepreneurs. WORC offers the Enterprising People, Entrepreneurial Assistance, and Refugee Microenterprise Programs.

## **Schoharie County**

### **Schoharie County Chamber of Commerce**

315-1 Main Street  
P.O. Box 400  
Schoharie, NY 12157-0400  
(518) 295-7033  
Fax: (518) 295-7453  
[www.schohariechamber.com](http://www.schohariechamber.com)

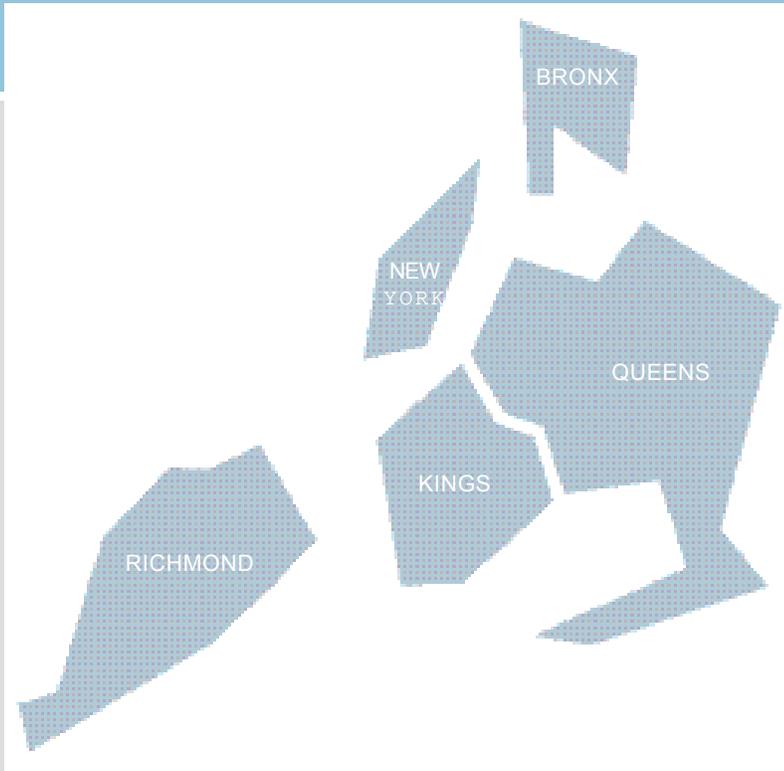
### **Schoharie County Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

6 Mineral Springs Road  
R.D. #1, Box 12  
Cobleskill, NY 12043  
(518) 234-3751  
Fax: (518) 234-3951  
[www.steny.org/scho.htm](http://www.steny.org/scho.htm)  
Schoharie County offers financial and technical assistance and  
and other resources for businesses located in Schoharie County

### **Schoharie County Planning and Development Agency**

6 Mineral Springs Road  
R.D. #1, Box 12  
Cobleskill, NY 12043  
(518) 234-3751  
[www.steny.org/scho.htm](http://www.steny.org/scho.htm)  
Schoharie County Planning and Development Agency promotes  
community and economic development for Schoharie County.

# New York City





## ***Bronx County***

### **Bronx Council for Economic Development (BCED)**

2530 Grand Concourse , Suite 503

Bronx, NY 10458

(718) 562-2104

Fax: (718) 562-6225

BCED offers the Small Business Development Program that provides technical training workshops and assistance with loan applications. It also administers a revolving loan fund.

### **Bronx Overall Economic Development Corporation (BOEDC)**

198 East 161st Street, Suite 201

Bronx, NY 10451

(718) 590-3498

Fax: (718) 590-3499

[www.boedc.com](http://www.boedc.com)

BOEDC assists businesses in obtaining financing and locating commercial space in the Bronx. It operates a microloan fund and helps administer the Regional Economic Development Assistance Corporation Mini Loan Program. Technical assistance for companies seeking certification as Minority and Women-Owned Business Enterprises is also available.

### **Bronx Women's Business Resource Center (WBRC)**

647 Bryant Avenue

Bronx, NY 10474

(718) 842-8888

Fax: (718) 620-1153

[www.huntspoint-trade.com](http://www.huntspoint-trade.com)

The Bronx WBRC provides business counseling, technical assistance, workshops/seminars, and business publications. Services are available in both English and Spanish.

### **Business Outreach Center - Hunts Point**

647 Bryant Avenue, #1N

Bronx, NY 10474

(718) 842-8888

Fax: (718) 620-1153

[www.bocnet.org](http://www.bocnet.org)

**Hunts Point Economic Development Corporation (HPEDC)**

355 Centre Drive C-104

Bronx, NY 10474

(718) 842-1717

Fax: (718) 842-6592

[www.huntspoint-trade.com](http://www.huntspoint-trade.com)

HPEDC offers seminars and workshops and links small businesses to government agency programs, banks, economic development agencies, chambers of commerce, and other private sector partners. Services are offered in English and Spanish.

**Small Business Development Center**

Lehman College

250 Bedford Park Blvd. West

Old Gym Building, Room 007

Bronx, NY 10468

(718) 960-8806

[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**South Bronx Overall Economic Development Corporation**

(SOBRO)

555 Bergen Avenue

Bronx, NY 10455

(718) 292-3113

Fax: (718) 292-3115

[www.sobro.org](http://www.sobro.org)

SOBRO offers programs in workforce development, economic and industrial development, housing and community development, and youth services. SOBRO provides technical assistance and support for local entrepreneurs to access capital and resources. SOBRO also helps to administer the Entrepreneurial Assistance Program (EAP) and offers business training and one-one-one counseling. Assistance is also available in Spanish.

**Trickle-Up/ Hunts Point Microenterprise Collaborative**

862 Hunts Point Avenue

Bronx, NY 10474

(718) 842-8888

Fax: (718) 842-7618

[www.huntspoint-trade.com](http://www.huntspoint-trade.com)

The Trickle-Up/ Hunts Point Microenterprise Collaborative provides grants and technical assistance to low-income entrepreneurs starting or expand their businesses.

**The Venture Center**

199 Lincoln Avenue  
Bronx, NY 10455  
(718) 665-8888  
[www.sobro.org](http://www.sobro.org)

The Venture Center is a business incubator which provides space and supportive services to start-up businesses.

***Kings County***

**Accion New York**

235 Havemeyer Street  
Brooklyn, NY 11211  
(718) 599-5170  
Fax: (718) 387-9686  
[www.accionnewyork.org](http://www.accionnewyork.org)

Accion provides microloans and technical assistance to entrepreneurs and growing enterprises. It also offers business advice, legal services, and other business support services. Services are available in English and other languages.

**Bedford Stuyvesant Restoration Corporation**

1368 Fulton Street  
Brooklyn, NY 11216-2630  
(718) 636-6930  
Fax: (718) 636-0511  
[www.restorationplaza.org](http://www.restorationplaza.org)

Bedford Stuyvesant Restoration Corporation offers the Restoration Capital Fund which provides training and capital in a one-stop financial resources center.

**Brooklyn Chamber of Commerce**

25 Elm Place  
Suite 200  
Brooklyn, NY 11201  
( 718) 875-1000  
Fax: (718) 237-4274  
[www.iBrooklyn.com](http://www.iBrooklyn.com)

**Brooklyn Economic Development Corporation (BEDC)**

175 Remsen Street, Suite 350  
Brooklyn, NY 11201  
(718) 522-4600  
Fax: (718) 797-9286  
[www.bedc.org](http://www.bedc.org)

BEDC provides access to financing and hosts workshops, seminars, and conferences for existing business owners and entrepreneurs. BEDC operates the Brooklyn Entrepreneur Support and Training Center to deliver business development services to entrepreneurs.

**Bushwick Local Development Corporation (BLDC)**

217 Wyckoff Avenue  
Brooklyn, NY 11237  
(718) 821-2114  
Fax: (718) 821-2392  
[www.rbscc.org](http://www.rbscc.org)

BLDC provides existing business owners with access to capital and technical assistance. It also offers entrepreneurs assistance in the following areas: business plan development, loan packaging, certification as a women- and minority-owned business, site location/relocation, and access to special tax benefits and energy rate discounts.

**Business Outreach Center - Fort Greene**

85 South Oxford Street  
Brooklyn, NY 11217  
(718) 624-9115  
Fax: (718) 246-1881  
[www.bocnet.org](http://www.bocnet.org)

**Business Outreach Center - South Brooklyn**

1546 Coney Island Avenue, Suite 2L  
Brooklyn, NY 11230  
(718) 253-5262  
Fax: (718) 758-2119  
www.bocnet.org

**Church Avenue Merchants Block Association (CAMBA)  
Economic Development Corporation**

884 Flatbush Avenue, 2nd Floor  
Brooklyn, NY 11226  
(718) 282-2500  
Fax: (718) 282-8329  
www.camba.org  
CAMBA Economic Development Corporation provides training,  
individual counseling and advice, monthly small business  
workshops, microloans, and Trickle Up grants.

**Coney Island Chamber of Commerce**

1015 Surf Avenue  
Brooklyn, NY 11201  
(718) 266-1234

**Cypress Hill Local Development Corporation (LDC)**

3214 Fulton Street  
Brooklyn, NY 11216  
(718) 647-8100  
Fax: (718) 647-2104  
Cypress Hill LDC provides technical assistance and resources  
to businesses.

**East Williamsburg Valley Industrial Development  
Corporation (EWVIDCO)**

11 Catherine Street  
Brooklyn, NY 11211  
(718) 388-7287  
Fax: (718) 963-1905  
www.ewvidco.com  
EWVIDCO offers a variety of business programs and services.  
This includes assistance with real estate and financing and a  
revolving loan fund for minority and women-owned small  
business.

**The Gowanus Canal Community Development Corporation  
(GCCDC)**

515 Court Street  
Brooklyn, NY 11231  
(718) 858-0557  
Fax: (718) 237-0217  
[www.gowanus.org](http://www.gowanus.org)

GCCDC provides business resource information and offers on-going seminars on small business ownership.

**Greenpoint Manufacturing & Design Center (GMDC)**

1155 Manhattan Avenue  
Brooklyn, NY 11222  
(718) 383-3935  
Fax: (718) 383-6339  
[www.gmdconline.com](http://www.gmdconline.com)

GMDC offers workshops and commercial space for designers, manufacturers, craftspeople, and artisans. It also operates an entry-level school for those interested in the woodworking trade.

**Local Development Corporation (LDC) of East New York**

New York Business Assistance Center  
80 Jamaica Avenue  
Brooklyn, NY 11207  
(718) 385-6700  
Fax: (718) 385-7505  
[www.eastbrooklyn.org](http://www.eastbrooklyn.org)

The LDC of East New York operates the New York Business Assistance Center, which offers educational programs, counseling, advocacy, and mentoring for existing business owners and interested entrepreneurs. It also offers access to credit and technical assistance for businesses

**Pratt Area Community Council  
Employment and Entrepreneurship Center**

1224 Bedford Avenue  
Brooklyn, NY 11216  
(718) 783-3549  
Fax: (718) 783-3289

The Employment and Entrepreneurship Center provides a variety of services to small businesses including technical assistance, counseling, access to financing, and referrals.

**Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE)**

Brooklyn Public Library - Business Library  
280 Cadman Plaza West  
Brooklyn, NY 11201  
(718) 623-7010  
[www.scorenyc.org](http://www.scorenyc.org)

**Small Business Development Center**

Boricua College  
9 Graham Avenue  
Brooklyn, NY 11206  
(718) 963-4112  
Fax: (718) 963-2031  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Southwest Brooklyn Industrial Development Corporation (SWBIDC)**

269 37th Street  
Brooklyn, NY 11232  
(718) 965-3100  
Fax: (718) 965-4906  
[www.swbidc.org](http://www.swbidc.org)  
SWBIDC helps businesses to locate sites and apply for financial assistance. It is the administrator of the Southwest Brooklyn Economic Development Zone which provides financial incentives for manufacturing firms.

**Women's Business Networking Initiative (WBNI)**

Business Outreach Center Network  
85 South Oxford Street  
Brooklyn, NY 11217  
(718) 624-9115  
WBNI offers business support services and a microloan program for women in the fashion and related industries.

## ***New York County***

### **Audubon Partnership for Economic Development**

5513 West 207 Street

New York, NY 10034

(212) 544-2400

Fax: (212) 544-0248

[www.audubonpartnership.org](http://www.audubonpartnership.org)

Audubon Partnership for Economic Development provides businesses with access to capital and resources.

### **American Woman's Economic Development Corporation (AWED)**

216 E. 45th Street, 10th Floor

New York, NY 10017

(917) 368-6100

Fax: (212) 986-4114

[www.awed.org](http://www.awed.org)

AWED offers entrepreneurial training, one-on-one business counseling, seminars, peer support, and networking events for women entrepreneurs.

### **Business Center for New Americans**

New York Association for New Americans, Inc. (NYANA)

17 Battery Place

New York, NY 10004-1102

(212) 425-2900

[www.nyana.org](http://www.nyana.org)

NYANA operates a business center focused on the serving the needs of immigrants and refugees starting or expanding their micro and small businesses. Training, technical assistance, counseling, and access to loans are available through the business center.

### **Business Resource and Investment Service Center (BRISC)**

290 Lenox Avenue, 2nd Floor

New York, NY 10027

(212) 876-2246

Fax: (212) 876-4236

[www.briscc.umez.org](http://www.briscc.umez.org)

Established by the Upper Manhattan Empowerment Zone, BRISC provides technical assistance and financing to small business owners and entrepreneurs located in Upper Manhattan. Services include: business plan development, loan packaging, credit counseling, referral assistance, on-going small business seminars, and specialized counseling. Loans are also available through the BRISC Investment Fund.

**Chinatown Manpower Project/ Business Outreach Center**

125 Canal Street, Room 302

New York, NY 10002-5049

(212) 966-7328

Fax: (212) 966-7501

[www.cmpny.org](http://www.cmpny.org)

Technical assistance is available to small businesses. The Entrepreneurial Assistance Program for women and minorities includes a sixty hour course on how to start and run a business. Assistance is also available in Chinese.

**Empire State Development - New York City Regional Office**

633 Third Avenue, 33rd Floor

New York, NY 10017

(212) 803-2319

Fax: (212) 803-3132

[www.empire.state.ny.us](http://www.empire.state.ny.us)

**Enterprise Center**

**Fashion Institute of Technology**

Seventh Avenue at 27th Street

New York, NY 10001

(212) 217-7250

Fax: (212) 217-7853

[www.fitnyc.edu/enterprisecenter](http://www.fitnyc.edu/enterprisecenter)

The Enterprise Center provides small business management and technical assistance and training for artists, designers, and fashion industry professionals

**Garment Industry Development Corporation (GIDC)**

275 7th Ave, 9th Floor

New York, NY 10001

(212) 366-6160

Fax: (212) 366-6162

[www.gidc.org](http://www.gidc.org)

GIDC provides technical assistance, training, networking and consultation for businesses in the apparel industry.

**Harlem Business Outreach Center (BOC)**

102 West 116th Street

New York, NY 10029

(212) 828-0082

Fax: (212) 828-9715

[www.bocnet.org](http://www.bocnet.org)

**Harlem Renaissance Economic Development Corporation (EDC)**

1330 Fifth Avenue

New York, NY 10026

(917) 361-0456

Fax: (212) 932-2141

Harlem Renaissance EDC provides entrepreneurial training, advises businesses on how to access financial resources, and assists businesses in marketing.

**Harlem Venture Group**

One W. 125th Street, Suite 206

New York, NY 10027

(212) 722-0600

[www.harlemventuregroup.com](http://www.harlemventuregroup.com)

Harlem Venture Group provides office space, networking breakfast forums, and entrepreneurial training workshops targeted at African-American entrepreneurs

**Industrial and Technology Assistance Corporation**

253 Broadway, 3rd Floor

New York, NY 10007

(212) 442-2990

Fax: (212) 442-4567

[www.itac.org](http://www.itac.org)

The Industrial and Technology Assistance Corporation seeks to improve the performance of small to mid-sized firms that create or produce technical and manufactured products. ITAC provides business assistance in the following areas: human resources, lean manufacturing, marketing plans and studies, product development, and strategic business planning. It also has a FASTTRAC entrepreneurial training program and offers individual business counseling and mentoring.

**Manhattan Borough Development Corporation (MBDC)**

55 John Street, Suite 1701

New York, NY 10038

(212) 791-3600

Fax: (212) 571-0873

[www.cvfieldsmbp.org](http://www.cvfieldsmbp.org)

MBDC provides assistance to businesses seeking financing from commercial banks and government programs. MBDC also offers workshops and seminars for small business owners.

**National Minority Business Council, Inc.**

25 West 45th Street, Suite 1007

New York, NY 10036

(212) 997-4753

Fax: (212) 997-5102

[www.nmbc.org](http://www.nmbc.org)

The Council provides assistance in the following areas: education and training, consulting and needs assessment, business development, Minority Women Business Enterprise certification preparation, contract procurement, and financing assistance. Mentoring, business listings, and related services are also available to members.

**New York City Department of Business Services (DBS)**

110 William Street, 3rd Floor

New York, NY 10038

(212) 696-2442

Fax: (212) 618-8991

[www.ci.nyc.ny.us/html/dbs](http://www.ci.nyc.ny.us/html/dbs)

New York City DBS Business Action Center offers business counseling to entrepreneurs and can assist businesses to access government and private sources of funding and information.

**The New York City Partnership (NYCP)**

One Battery Park Plaza, 5th Floor

New York, NY 10004

(212) 493-7500

Fax: (212) 344-3344

[www.nycp.org/main.asp](http://www.nycp.org/main.asp)

NYCP through its Neighborhood Business Assistance Office provides technical assistance and business counseling. It offers information sharing opportunities on best practices and mentoring by experienced companies.

**New York Community Investment Company**

110 William Street, 32nd Floor

New York, NY 10038

(212) 693-0870

Fax: (212) 693-0949

[www.nycic.com](http://www.nycic.com)

NYCIC is a community development venture capital company providing equity, near-equity, and debt to select growing businesses in New York. It provides access to additional financing sources, as well as advisory services for its portfolio companies.

**New York Economic Development Corporation (EDC)**

110 William Street

New York, NY 10038

(212) 312-3600

Fax: (212) 312-3908

[www.newyorkbiz.com](http://www.newyorkbiz.com)

EDC serves as a clearinghouse of information and provides tax incentives and a variety of financial assistance programs for New York City businesses.

**Project Enterprise**

144 West 125th Street, 4th Floor

New York, NY 10027

(212) 678-6734

Fax: (212) 678-6737

[www.projectenterprise.org](http://www.projectenterprise.org)

Project Enterprise provides access to loans, technical assistance, training, and peer support to low-income entrepreneurs in New York City.

**Renaissance Economic Development Corporation (REDC)**

One Pike Street  
New York, NY 10002-6103  
(212) 964-2288  
Fax: (212) 964-6131  
[www.renaissance-ny.org](http://www.renaissance-ny.org)

REDC provides affordable capital technical assistance to immigrant-owned businesses and low-income entrepreneurs in New York City. It has the following financial and technical assistance programs: Microenterprise Loan Program, Small Business Loan Program, the Renaissance/Trickle Up Microenterprise Seed Capital Program, and the Renaissance Business Training Program (BTP). Assistance is available in English, Spanish, and Chinese.

**Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE)**

Business Resource & Information Service Center  
290 Lenox Avenue  
New York, NY 10027  
212-866-5640  
[www.scorenyc.org](http://www.scorenyc.org)

**Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE)**

26 Federal Plaza, Room #3100  
New York, NY 10278  
(212) 264-4507  
Fax: (212) 264-4963  
[www.scorenyc.org](http://www.scorenyc.org)

**Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE)**

Science, Industry & Business Library (SIBL)  
188 Madison Avenue  
New York, NY 10016  
(212) 592-7033  
[www.scorenyc.org](http://www.scorenyc.org)

**Small Business Development Center**

Baruch College  
55 Lexington Avenue, Suite 2-140  
New York, NY 10010-0010  
(646) 312-4790  
Fax: (646) 312-4781  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Small Business Development Center**

Pace University  
One Pace Plaza, Room W483  
New York, NY 10038  
(212) 346-1900  
Fax: (212) 346-1613  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Support Center for Nonprofit Management**

305 Seventh Avenue, 11th floor  
New York, NY 10001  
(212) 924-6744  
Fax: (212) 924-9544  
[www.supportctr.org](http://www.supportctr.org)

The Support Center for Nonprofit Management provides technical assistance, training, individual business counseling, peer support to small and medium size not-for-profits.

**Upper Manhattan Empowerment Zone (UMEZ)**

290 Lenox Avenue  
New York, NY 10027  
(212) 410-0030  
Fax: (212) 410-6641  
[www.umez.org/home.htm](http://www.umez.org/home.htm)

UMEZ provides services and programs to promote business creation and capital access in the Empowerment Zone (EZ). Serving the Central, East and West Harlem, Washington Heights and Inwood communities, UMEZ provides local businesses access to Federal EZ tax incentives including wage tax credits, business expansion credits, and tax-exempt bond financing.

**Urban Business Assistance Corporation**

NYU/ Leonard N. Stern School of Business  
Kaufman Management Education Center  
44 West Fourth Street, Suite 5-61  
New York, NY 10012  
(212) 995-4404  
Fax: (212) 995-4255  
[www.ubac.org](http://www.ubac.org)

Affiliated with the Leonard N. Stern School of Business at New York University, UBAC offers management assistance and business education programs in such subject areas as small business management, accounting, business plan development, loan strategies, strategic marketing, and basic business computing.

**Washington Heights and Inwood Development Corporation (WHIDC)**

57 Wadsworth Avenue  
New York, NY 10033  
(212) 795-1600  
Fax: (212) 781-4051

WHIDC seeks to promote business development and retention by providing capital, research, technical assistance, and commercial revitalization services to entrepreneurs and business owners. It operates the Business Opportunity Success System, which provides both direct and indirect small business loans, one-on-one business counseling, technical assistance and referral services, and low-cost access to financial and legal professionals. Services are available in both English and Spanish.

**Women's Venture Fund, Inc.**

240 West 35 Street, Suite 201  
New York, NY 10001  
(212) 563-0499  
Fax: (212) 868-9116  
[www.womensventurefund.org](http://www.womensventurefund.org)

The Women's Venture Fund is a micro-lender assisting women entrepreneurs. It provides workshops, seminars, and mentoring as well as training in business plan development and business management.

**The Workshop in Business Opportunities**

220 East 23rd Street, Room 309

New York, NY 10010

(212) 684-0854

Fax: (212) 684-1096

[www.wibo.org](http://www.wibo.org)

The Workshop in Business Opportunities provides technical assistance, training, individual business counseling, and peer support to small business entrepreneurs and targets low-income persons, women, and minority businesses.

***Queens County*****Astoria Restoration Association**

31-28 Ditmars Blvd.

Astoria, NY 11105

(718) 726-0034

Fax: (718) 726-0034

Astoria Restoration Association provides general business resource information and referrals to businesses in Astoria/Long Island City.

**Business Outreach Center - Jackson Heights**

102-09 Northern Blvd

Corona, NY 11368

(718) 651-6995

Fax: (718) 458-9633

[www.bocnet.org](http://www.bocnet.org)

**Elmhurst Economic Development Corporation**

87-02 Queens Boulevard

Elmhurst, NY 11373

(718) 396-9413

Fax: (718) 458-0539

Elmhurst Economic Development Corporation offers resource information and referral services for businesses.

**Greater Jamaica Local Development Corporation (GJLDC)**

90-04 161st Street  
Jamaica, NY 11432  
(718) 291-0282  
Fax: (718) 658-1405  
[www.gjdc.org](http://www.gjdc.org)

GJLDC provides technical assistance to small businesses and entrepreneurs. Working in conjunction with its parent company, Greater Jamaica Development Corporation, GJLDC provides loans to help create or retain jobs in Southeast Queens.

**Jackson Heights Community Development Corporation (JHCDC)**

33-47 91st Street  
Jackson Heights, NY 11372  
(718) 458-3600  
Fax: (718) 458-9633

Jackson Heights Community Development Corporation provides technical assistance to businesses. Through the Queens Business Outreach Center, JHCDC offers a 10-week college-level entrepreneurial training program to help entrepreneurs develop business plans.

**Jamaica Business Resource Center**

90-33 160th Street  
Jamaica, NY 11368  
(718) 206-2255  
Fax: (718) 206-3693  
[www.jbrc.org](http://www.jbrc.org)

The Jamaica Business Resource Center provides a variety of services to start-up and expanding businesses. It offers workshops, access to capital, and the Business Resource Center. In addition, assistance with New York City's business regulations, applications for Minority and Women Business Certification/8A, and business plan development are also available.

**Long Island City Business Development Corporation  
(LICBDC)**

29-10 Thomson Avenue, 9th Floor  
Long Island City, NY 11101  
(718) 786-5300  
Fax: (718) 937-1799  
[www.licbdc.org](http://www.licbdc.org)

LICBDC hosts business networking and educational events, makes referrals to government and non-profit service organizations, locates space for businesses, and helps to expedite requests for government services.

**Queens Overall Economic Development Corporation  
(QOEDC)**

120-55 Queens Blvd, Suite 309  
Key Gardens, NY 11424  
(718) 263-0546  
Fax: (718) 263-0594  
[www.queensny.org](http://www.queensny.org)

QOEDC provides business with access to federal, state, and city incentives, discount utilities, work force training, and real estate identification. It also provides technical assistance, specialized training through the Women's Business Center, individual business counseling, and peer support.

**Ridgewood Local Development Corporation (RLDC)**

59-09 Myrtle Avenue, 3rd Floor  
Ridgewood, NY 11385  
(718) 366-3806

RLDC offers a revolving micro-loan fund and general business assistance to the Ridgewood business community.

**Rockaway Development and Revitalization Corporation**

1920 Mott Avenue, Room 2  
Far Rockaway, NY 11691  
(718) 327-5300  
Fax: (718) 327-4990  
[www.rdrc.org](http://www.rdrc.org)

Rockaway Development and Revitalization Corporation provides assistance to businesses in the following areas: financing, government certification, site location, employment assistance, procurement, and project development. RDRC also helps administer the Rockaway Economic Development Zone Program and has an in-house revolving micro-loan fund and some grants for small businesses. Technical assistance, training, and business counseling services are also available.

**Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE)**

120-55 Queens Blvd, Room 333  
Kew Gardens, NY 11424  
(718) 263-8961  
Fax: (718) 263-9032

**Small Business Development Center**

York College  
94-50 Guy R. Brewer Blvd, Room 2B08  
Jamaica, NY 11451  
(718) 262-2880  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Small Business Development Center**

LaGuardia Community College  
29-10 Thomson Avenue, 9th Floor  
Long Island City, NY 11101  
(718) 482-5303  
Fax: (718) 609-2091  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**West Maspeth Local Development Corporation (LDC)**

57-20 49th Street  
Maspeth, NY 11378  
(718) 821-6762  
The West Maspeth LDC provides information and a variety of services for businesses in the local area.

**Woodside on the Move**

39-42 59th Street  
Woodside, NY 11377  
(718) 476-8449

Woodside on the Move is an economic development and business assistance not-for-profit organization which provides resources and information for businesses.

***Richmond County*****Business Outreach Center - Staten Island**

1146 Forest Avenue, 2nd Floor  
Staten Island, NY 10310  
(718) 816-4775  
Fax: (718) 816-7234  
[www.bocnet.org](http://www.bocnet.org)

**Commercial and Industrial Capital Corporation (CICC)**

900 S. Avenue, Suite 402  
Staten Island, NY 10314  
(718) 477-1400  
(718) 477-1400  
Fax: (718) 477-0681  
[www.siedc.net/services\\_cicc.html](http://www.siedc.net/services_cicc.html)  
CICC provides small business financing to firms which may not qualify for traditional sources of financing. It serves small businesses that create local jobs within the Empire Zones of Staten Island and Brooklyn.

**Northfield Community Local Development Corporation**

160 Heberton Avenue  
Staten Island, NY 10302  
718-442-7351  
Fax: (718) 981-3441  
The Northfield Community Local Development Corporation provides technical assistance and access to capital for start-up and existing businesses in Port Richmond.

**Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE)**

Independence Community Bank  
1550 Richmond Road  
Staten Island, NY 10304  
[www.scorenyc.org](http://www.scorenyc.org)

**Small Business Development Center**

College of Staten Island  
2800 Victory Blvd, Building 2A, Room 300  
Staten Island, NY 10314-9806  
(718) 982-2560  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Staten Island Economic Development Corporation (SIEDC)**

900 South Avenue, Suite 402  
Staten Island, NY 10314  
Phone: (718) 477-1400  
Fax: (718) 477-0681  
[www.siedc.net](http://www.siedc.net)

SIEDC operates a women- and minority-owned business enterprise (WMBE) program and provides assistance with WMBE certification. It also offers free counseling, access to financing, site location information, procurement assistance, technical seminars, and networking opportunities.

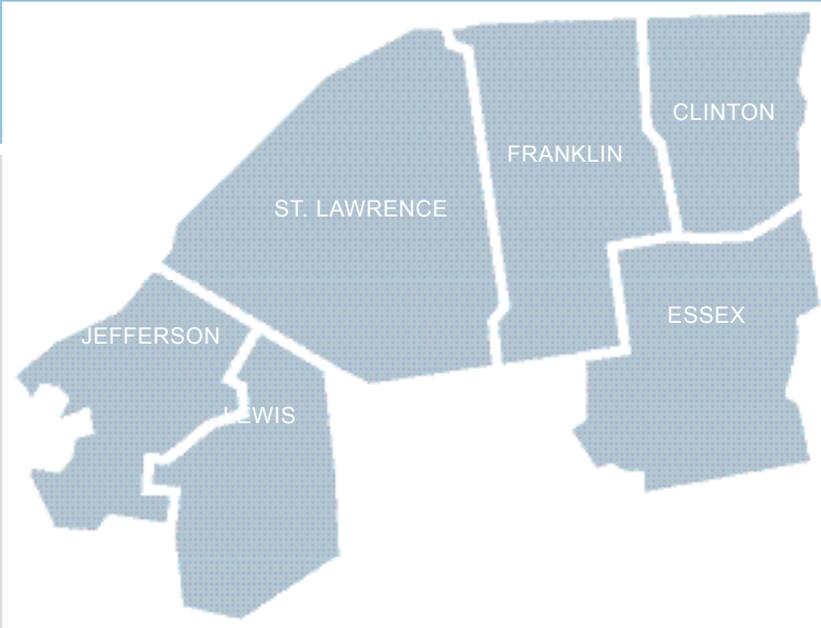
**West Brighton Community Local Development Corporation**

1146 Forest Avenue, 2nd Floor  
Staten Island, NY 10310  
(718) 816-4775  
Fax: (716) 816-7234  
[community.silive.com/cc/westbrightonldc](http://community.silive.com/cc/westbrightonldc)

West Brighton Community Local Development Corporation has an entrepreneur training program which covers topics such as how to build a business plan, register, and market a business. It also offers general resource information for businesses in the area.



# North Country



## ***Clinton County***

### **City of Plattsburgh Community Development Office**

41 City Hall Place  
Plattsburgh, NY 12901  
(518) 563-7642  
Fax: (518) 563-4208  
[www.cityofplattsburgh.com](http://www.cityofplattsburgh.com)

City of Plattsburgh's Community Development Office seeks to promote economic development and has a number of business loan funds to assist businesses starting up or expanding in Plattsburgh.

### **The Development Corporation**

61 Area Development Drive  
Plattsburgh, NY 12901  
(518) 563-3100  
Fax: (518) 562-2232  
[www.thedevelopcorp.com](http://www.thedevelopcorp.com)

Clinton County Area Development Corporation provides financing, site location assistance, tax incentives, and other support services and programs for businesses locating to or expanding in Clinton County.

### **Empire State Development - North Country Region**

Plattsburgh Office  
West Bay Plaza - Suite 401  
Plattsburgh, NY 12901  
(518) 561-5642  
Fax: (518) 561-8831  
[www.empire.state.ny.us](http://www.empire.state.ny.us)

### **North Country Chamber of Commerce**

7061 Route 9  
P.O. Box 310  
Plattsburgh, NY 12901  
(518) 563-1000  
Fax: (518) 563-1028  
[www.northcountrychamber.com](http://www.northcountrychamber.com)

**Plattsburgh Airbase Redevelopment Corporation (PARC)**

426 United States Oval  
Plattsburgh, NY 12901  
(518) 561-0232  
Fax: (518) 561-0686  
[www.parc-usa.com](http://www.parc-usa.com)

PARC assists businesses in site identification and manages the development of the former Plattsburgh Air Force Base, a 5,000 acre facility located in a state-designated Economic Development Zone.

**Small Business Development Center**

State University of New York at Plattsburgh  
Ward Hall 118  
101 Broad Street  
Plattsburgh, NY 12901  
(518) 564-2042  
Fax: (518) 564-2043  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Technical Assistance Center (TAC)**

State University of New York (SUNY) at Plattsburgh  
101 Broad Street, Redcay 213  
Plattsburgh, NY 12901  
(518) 564-2214  
Fax: (518) 564-3220  
<http://tac.plattsburgh.edu>  
TAC-SUNY provides research and data information resources and services to local governments and not-for-profit organizations. TAC also offers business development and community development consulting services.

***Essex County*****Essex County Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

Church Street  
P.O. Box 217  
Elizabethtown, NY 12932  
(518) 873-9114  
Fax: (518) 873-2011  
[www.essexcountyida.com](http://www.essexcountyida.com)

Essex County IDA provides financing and Empire Zone incentives for businesses. It manages several business parks and assists businesses seeking to locate to or expand in the area.

### **Friends of the North Country**

1A Mill Street  
P.O. Box 446  
Keeseville, NY 12944  
(518) 834-9606  
Fax: (518) 834-9687  
[www.adirondackresources.com/english/resources/friends.htm](http://www.adirondackresources.com/english/resources/friends.htm)  
Friends of the North Country is a not-for-profit organization providing information and access to resources for businesses locating to or expanding in the area.

### ***Franklin County***

#### **Adirondack Economic Development Corporation (AEDC)**

60 Main Street, Suite 200  
P.O. Box 747  
Saranac Lake, NY 12983-0747  
(518) 891-5523  
Fax: (518) 891-9820  
[www.aedconline.com](http://www.aedconline.com)  
AEDC provides technical assistance, business advisory services, loan programs, and business training and seminars to small businesses located in the rural Adirondack Park Region.

#### **Adirondack North Country Association (ANCA)**

20 St. Bernard Street  
Saranac Lake, NY 12983  
(518) 891-6200  
Fax: (518) 891-6203  
[www.adirondack.org](http://www.adirondack.org)  
ANCA is a 14-county association serving the North Country. It has projects in the following areas: enterprise development, agriculture, health and human services, natural resources, and tourism. ANCA is involved in economic development and is the administrator of the Adirondack North Country Community Enhancement Loan Program.

**Franklin County Industrial Development Corporation**

10 Elm Street, Suite 2

Malone, NY 12953

(518) 483-9472

Fax: (518) 483-2900

Franklin County Industrial Development Corporation provides financial incentives for businesses.

**Malone Economic Development Corporation**

16 Elm Street

Malone, NY 12953

(518) 483-1372

Fax: (518) 483-8423

Malone Economic Development Corporation provides information and resources for businesses.

***Jefferson County*****Alexandria Bay Chamber of Commerce**

11 Market Street

Alexandria Bay, NY 13607

(800) 541-2110

[www.alexbay.org](http://www.alexbay.org)

**Development Authority of the North Country (DANC)**

Dulles State Office Building

317 Washington Street

Watertown, NY 13601

(315) 785-2593

Fax: (315) 785-2591

[www.danc.org](http://www.danc.org)

DANC provides a variety of resources for businesses. Several business loan programs are administered through DANC including some from the U.S. Small Business Administration, New York Business Development Corporation, and North Country Alliance. DANC also offers the Community Development Loan Fund for businesses in Jefferson, Lewis, and St. Lawrence Counties.

**Greater Watertown Chamber of Commerce**

230 Franklin Street  
Watertown, NY 13601  
(315) 788-4400  
[www.watertownny.com](http://www.watertownny.com)

**Jefferson County Job Development Corporation (JCJDC)**

800 Starbuck Avenue, Suite 800  
Watertown, NY 13601  
(315) 782-5865  
Fax: (315) 782-7915  
[www.jcfdc.net](http://www.jcfdc.net)  
JCJDC serves as a one-stop shop for businesses seeking financing, incentive programs, marketing assistance, and other business development resources in Jefferson County.

**Jefferson County Industrial Development Authority (IDA)**

800 Starbuck Ave, Suite 800  
Watertown, NY 13601  
(315) 782-5865  
Fax: (315) 782-7915  
[www.jcfdc.net/JCIDA.asp](http://www.jcfdc.net/JCIDA.asp)  
The Jefferson County IDA provides resources for businesses and offers a revolving loan fund targeted at manufacturing businesses located in Jefferson County; this fund is administered by the Jefferson County Job Development Corporation. The IDA also issues tax-exempt industrial revenue bonds and taxable bonds.

**Small Business Development Center**

Jefferson Community College  
1220 Coffeen Street  
Watertown, NY 13601  
(315) 782-9262  
Fax: (315) 782-0901  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Watertown Local Development Corporation**

800 Starbuck Ave, Suite 801

Watertown, NY 13601

(315) 786-3494

Fax: (315) 786-3495

[www.watertownempirezone.com/localdevelopment.htm](http://www.watertownempirezone.com/localdevelopment.htm)

The Watertown Local Development Corporation provides resources for businesses and will consider loan requests for eligible local businesses which have an economic impact on Watertown.

***Lewis County*****County of Lewis Industrial Development Agency**

P.O. Box 106

Lowville, NY 13367

(315) 376-3014

Fax: (315) 376-7880

[www.lcida.org](http://www.lcida.org)

The County of Lewis Industrial Development Agency promotes economic development for Lewis County and provides technical assistance and individual business counseling. Financial assistance including tax exempt or taxable industrial development bonds, mortgage recording tax exemption, and sales tax exemptions as well as loans and grants are also available.

**Lewis County Chamber of Commerce**

7383-C Utica Blvd.

Lowville, NY 13367

(315) 376-2213

Fax: (315) 376-0326

[www.adirondacks.org/lewiscounty](http://www.adirondacks.org/lewiscounty)

## ***St. Lawrence County***

### **Canton Office of Economic Development**

Municipal Building

60 Main Street

Canton, NY 13617

(315) 386-2871

Fax: (315) 386-1361

[www.cantonecondev.com](http://www.cantonecondev.com)

The Canton Office of Economic Development provides assistance to businesses including the identification of commercial properties for new and expanding businesses, economic development location incentives, low-interest business loans, and grants for businesses that create and retain jobs in the area.

### **City of Ogdensburg**

City Hall

330 Ford Street

Ogdensburg, NY 13669

(315) 393-7150

Fax: (315) 393-1136

[www.ogdensburg.org](http://www.ogdensburg.org)

The City of Ogdensburg provides information and financial incentives for businesses expanding in or locating to the area.

### **Council for International Trade, Technology, Education and Communication, Inc. (CITEC)**

Box 8561, Clarkson University

Room 101/201 Peyton Hall, Main Street

Potsdam, NY 13699-8561

(315) 268-3778

[www.citec.org](http://www.citec.org)

CITEC is a non-for-profit manufacturing and technology assistance center. CITEC provides training, and consulting in the following areas: financial analysis, e-business, marketing, telecommunications, human resources, marketing, lean manufacturing, production line assistance, and new product line development.

**Massena Chamber of Commerce**

50 Main Street  
Massena, NY 13662  
(315) 769-3525  
Fax: (315) 769-5295  
[www.massenany.com](http://www.massenany.com)

**Massena Industrial Development Corporation**

P.O. Box 5217  
Massena, NY 13662  
(315) 769-8484  
Fax: (315) 769-2033  
Massena Industrial Development Corporation offers assistance to businesses located in the area.

**North Country Alliance**

Box 8561  
Clarkson University  
Potsdam, NY 13699-8561  
(315) 268-4449  
Fax: (315) 268-4432  
[www.northnet.org/nca](http://www.northnet.org/nca)

The North Country Alliance is a consortium comprised of economic development organizations serving Jefferson, St. Lawrence, Lewis, Clinton, Essex, and Franklin Counties. It serves as a single point of access to a variety of resources available to businesses locating to or expanding in the North Country.

**Small Business Development Center**

SUNY Canton College of Technology  
Faculty Office Building, Room 430  
34 Cornell Drive  
Canton, NY 13617  
(315) 386-7312  
Fax: (315) 379-3814  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**St. Lawrence County Chamber of Commerce**

5862 U.S. Highway 11  
Canton, NY 13617  
(315) 386-4000  
Fax: (315) 379-0134  
[www.stlawrencechamber.org](http://www.stlawrencechamber.org)

**St. Lawrence County Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

48 Court Street  
Canton, NY 13617-1194  
(315) 379-2283  
Fax: (315) 379-2394  
[www.slcida.com](http://www.slcida.com)

St. Lawrence County IDA helps businesses access local, state, and private capital resources. Financial incentives and assistance for businesses seeking to locate or expand in the area are also available.

**St. Lawrence County Planning Office**

48 Court Street  
Canton, NY 13617  
(315) 379-2292  
Fax: (315) 379-2252  
[www.co.st-lawrence.ny.us](http://www.co.st-lawrence.ny.us)

The St. Lawrence County Planning Office provides permit assistance and planning and zoning services as well as general resource information for businesses.

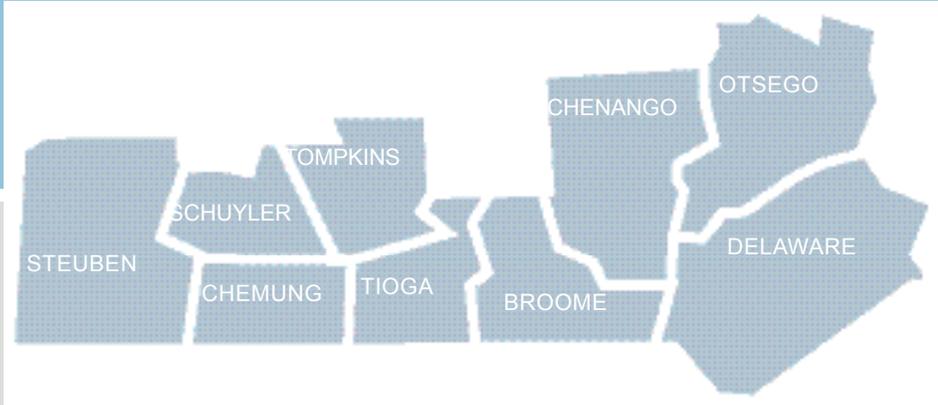
**Village of Potsdam Planning and Development Office**

Potsdam Civic Center  
P.O. Box 5168  
Potsdam, NY 13676  
(315) 265-1670  
Fax: (315) 265-6020  
[www.potsdam.ny.us/econ](http://www.potsdam.ny.us/econ)

The Potsdam Planning and Development Office offers financing including a micro-enterprise loan as well as other resources for businesses locating to or expanding in the area.



# Southern Tier



## **Broome County**

### **Broome County Chamber of Commerce**

49 Court Street  
P.O. Box 995  
Binghamton, NY 13902-0995  
(607) 772-8860  
Fax: (607) 722-4513  
[www.broome-ny.com](http://www.broome-ny.com)

### **Binghamton Local Development Corporation (BLDC)**

City Hall, 4th Floor  
38 Hawley Street  
Binghamton, NY 13901  
(607) 772-7161  
[www.ci.binghamton.ny.us](http://www.ci.binghamton.ny.us)  
BLDC offers businesses site selection assistance, tax information, and assistance in accessing private, state, and local programs. Financial assistance including loans are also available for businesses.

### **Broome County Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

Broome County Office Building  
P.O. Box 1766  
Binghamton, NY 13902  
(607) 778-2730  
[www.bcida.com](http://www.bcida.com)  
Broome County IDA offers financial incentives and resources to businesses including low-interest loans, property tax abatements, tax- exempt industrial development bonds, and sales and mortgage recording tax exemptions.

### **Empire State Development - Binghamton Office**

State Office Building  
44 Hawley Street, Room 1508  
Binghamton, NY 13901  
(607) 721-8605  
Fax: (607) 721-8613  
[www.empire.state.ny.us](http://www.empire.state.ny.us)

**The Minority and Women Business Enterprise (MWBE)  
Development Center**

113 Court Street  
Binghamton, NY 13902  
(607) 724-2118  
[www.mwbeny.org](http://www.mwbeny.org)

The MWBE Development Center offers training, technical assistance, and advocacy to minority- and women-owned businesses and entrepreneurs.

**Opportunities for Broome, Inc.**

56 Whitney Avenue  
P.O. Box 1492  
Binghamton, NY 13902-1492  
(607) 723-6493  
Fax: (607) 723-6497

Opportunities for Broome helps to administer the Black and Minority Coalition for Minority- and Women-Owned Businesses and the Emerging Business Assistance Program. Programs and services including technical assistance, counseling, access to financing, business seminars, workshops, and management training programs are also available.

**Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE)**

The Broome Chamber of Commerce  
P.O. Box 995  
Binghamton, NY 13902  
(607) 772-8860  
[www.score.org](http://www.score.org)

**Small Business Development Center (SBDC)**

Binghamton University  
P.O. Box 6000  
Binghamton, NY 13903-6000  
(607) 777-4024  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Tier Information and Enterprise Resources, Inc. (TIER)**

375 State Street  
Binghamton, NY 13901  
(607) 724-1327  
Fax: (607) 724-1194  
[www.stny.com/Sterpdb/tier.htm](http://www.stny.com/Sterpdb/tier.htm)

TIER administers the Regional Economic Development Revolving Loan and Rural Micro Loan Funds which focus on agriculture or agriculture-related enterprises and the Regional Revolving Loan Trust Fund that targets working capital for manufacturing firms. In addition to access to capital, TIER provides technical assistance to businesses.

**Town of Union Local Development Corporation**

3111 E. Main Street  
Endwell, NY 13760  
(607) 786-2945  
[www.townofunion.com](http://www.townofunion.com)

Through the Local Development Corporation of the Town of Union, businesses can access financing for start-up or existing operations. Programs include the Union Business Assistance Program, Section 108 financing, and site preparation funding.

***Chemung County*****Chemung County Chamber of Commerce**

400 E. Church Street  
Elmira, NY 14901  
(607) 737-5510  
Fax: (607) 734-4490  
[www.chemungchamber.org](http://www.chemungchamber.org)

**Chemung County Industrial Development Agency**

400 East Church Street  
Elmira, NY 14901  
(607) 733-6513  
Fax: (607) 734-2698

Chemung County Industrial Development Agency provides technical assistance, individual business counseling, and peer support for Chemung County businesses. It offers tax abatements, bond financing, and real estate assistance.

**Empire State Development Corporation - Elmira Office**

400 East Church Street  
Elmira, NY 14901  
(607) 733-6513  
Fax: (607) 734-2698  
[www.empire.state.ny.us](http://www.empire.state.ny.us)

**Southern Tier Economic Growth, Inc. (STEG)**

400 East Church Street  
Elmira, NY, 14901  
(607) 733-6513  
Fax: (607) 734-2698  
[www.steg.com](http://www.steg.com)

STEG provides business development services and is the economic development organization for Chemung County. It can assist with the following: Elmira Empire Zone Program, City of Elmira Loan Program, and Chemung County Industrial Development Agency programs.

**U.S. Small Business Administration**

Elmira Branch Office  
333 East Water Street, 4th Floor  
Elmira, NY 14901  
(607) 734-8130  
[www.sba.gov](http://www.sba.gov)

**Worker Ownership Resource Center**

400 East Church Street  
Elmira, NY 14901  
(607) 734-4490  
Fax: (607) 737-5212

The Worker Ownership Resource Center provides business training classes, one-on-one business counseling, technical assistance, and loans to businesses.

## ***Chenango County***

### **Chenango County Area Corporation**

19 Eaton Avenue  
Norwich, NY 13815  
(607) 334-5532  
(607) 336-2946

[www.chenangoareacorp.org](http://www.chenangoareacorp.org)

Chenango County Area Corporation provides start-up assistance, business planning, low interest financing, tax incentives, and serves as a liaison between businesses and government. It also offers technical assistance, individual business counseling, peer support, and loans.

### **Chenango County Chamber of Commerce**

19 Eaton Avenue  
Norwich, NY 13815  
(607) 334-1400  
Fax: (607) 336-6963  
[www.chenangony.org](http://www.chenangony.org)

## ***Delaware County***

### **Delaware County Chamber of Commerce**

114 Main Street  
Delhi, NY 13753  
(607) 746-2281  
Fax: (607) 746-3571  
[www.delawarecounty.org](http://www.delawarecounty.org)

### **Delaware County Department of Economic Development**

97 Main Street  
Delhi, NY 13753  
(607) 746-8595  
Fax: (607) 746-8836  
[www.co.delaware.ny.us/depts/ecodev/ecodev.htm](http://www.co.delaware.ny.us/depts/ecodev/ecodev.htm)  
Delaware County Department of Economic Development offers funding, business incentive programs, and referral services.

**Delaware County Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

97 Main Street, Suite 1

Delhi, NY 13753

(607) 746-8595

[www.co.delaware.ny.us/depts/ecodev/ecodev.htm](http://www.co.delaware.ny.us/depts/ecodev/ecodev.htm)

Delaware County IDA and the County Department of Economic Development administer federal, state, and local programs. Financial assistance programs include the Agri-Business Loan Fund and the Housing and Urban Development Microenterprise Revolving Loan Program. The Microenterprise Business and Agri-Business Microenterprise Training Programs are also available.

**Delaware County Local Development Corporation (LDC)**

97 Main Street, Suite 1

Delhi, NY 13753

(607) 746-8595

Fax: (607) 746-8836

Delaware County LDC offers financial assistance to new and existing businesses. It administers the U.S. Department of Agriculture Rural Business Enterprise Loan Program and the Main Street Revitalization Loan Program for new and existing main street businesses.

***Otsego County***

**Otsego County Chamber of Commerce**

12 Carbon Street

Oneonta, NY 13820

(877) 568-7346

[www.otsegocountychamber.com](http://www.otsegocountychamber.com)

**Otsego County Economic Development  
Department/Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

242 Main Street

Oneonta NY 13820

(607) 432-8871

Fax: (607) 432-5117

[www.otsegoeconomicdevelopment.com](http://www.otsegoeconomicdevelopment.com)

The Otsego County Economic Development Department, County of Otsego IDA, and the Otsego County Development Corporation offers the following programs for business start-up, relocation, and expansion: Job Development Loan Program and IDA revolving loan fund for industrial and commercial businesses, and the Rural Revolving Loan Fund for agriculture and related businesses. The Otsego County Empire Zone Program also offers incentives for business development and expansion.

## ***Schuyler County***

### **Schuyler County Chamber of Commerce**

100 North Franklin Street  
Watkins Glenn, NY 14891  
(800) 607-4552  
[www.schuylerny.com/benefits.html](http://www.schuylerny.com/benefits.html)

### **Schuyler County Partnership for Economic Development Agency (SCOPED)**

2 N. Franklin Street, Suite 330  
Watkins Glen, NY 14891  
(607) 535-4341  
[www.lightlink.com/scoped](http://www.lightlink.com/scoped)  
SCOPED provides business resources and financial assistance information for start-up and growing businesses. Business loans are offered through the SCOPED revolving loan fund.

## ***Steuben County***

### **City of Corning Planning and Economic Development Department**

7 Civic Center Plaza  
Corning, NY 14830  
(607) 962-8589  
The City of Corning Planning and Economic Development Department provides business assistance and access to financing for new and existing businesses.

**Greater Corning Area Chamber of Commerce**

1 Baron Steuben Place  
Corning, NY 14830  
(607) 936-4686  
[www.corningny.com/Content/Chamber.asp](http://www.corningny.com/Content/Chamber.asp)

**Hornell Area Chamber of Commerce**

40 Main Street  
Hornell, NY 14843  
(607) 324-0310  
[www.hornellny.com](http://www.hornellny.com)

**Small Business Development Center**

Corning Community College  
24 Denison Parkway West  
Corning, NY 14830-2607  
(607) 962-9461  
Fax: (607) 936-6642  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Steuben County Planning Department**

3 East Pulteney Square  
Bath, NY 14810  
(607) 664-2268  
Fax: (607) 776-6926  
[www.steubencony.org/planning/index.html](http://www.steubencony.org/planning/index.html)  
The Steuben County Planning Department provides information,  
resources, and referrals for businesses.

***Tioga County*****Tioga County Chamber of Commerce**

188 Front Street  
Owego, NY 13827  
(607) 687-2020  
Fax: (607) 687-9028  
[www.tiogachamber.com](http://www.tiogachamber.com)

**Tioga County Economic Development and Planning**

56 Main Street

Owego, NY 13827

(607) 687-8255

Fax: (607) 687-1435

[www.developtioga.com/planning.htm](http://www.developtioga.com/planning.htm)

Tioga County Department of Economic Development and Planning provides financial assistance including loans and services for businesses expanding in or locating to Tioga County. It also offers technical assistance and business counseling and administers the Empire Zone Program and a One-Stop Shop.

**Tioga County Industrial Development Agency**

56 Main Street

Owego, NY 13827

(607) 687-8259

Fax: (607) 687-1435

[www.developtioga.com/ida/index.htm](http://www.developtioga.com/ida/index.htm)

Tioga County Industrial Development Agency seeks to promote, attract, encourage and develop recreation, economically sound commerce and industry projects within Tioga County. In addition to technical assistance, it provides business incentives which include the following: sales tax exemption, PILOT's, Mortgage Recording tax exemption, and industrial revenue bonds.

**Tioga County Local Development Corporation**

56 Main Street

Owego, NY 13827

(607) 687-8255

Fax: (607) 687-1435

[www.developtioga.com/ldc/index.htm](http://www.developtioga.com/ldc/index.htm)

Tioga County Local Development Corporation provides low-interest loans for start-up and expanding businesses which help create or retain jobs in Tioga County. It also provides technical assistance and individual business counseling.

## ***Tompkins County***

### **Alternatives Federal Credit Union (FCU)**

125 North Fulton Street

Ithaca, NY 14850

(607) 273-4611

Fax: (607) 277-6391

[www.alternatives.org](http://www.alternatives.org)

Alternatives FCU provides information, capital, and programs to start-ups, family businesses, worker managed businesses, co-ops, and home-based businesses. Alternative's Go Fund provides equity and near-equity capital for new business ventures. Education and training, business workshops and seminars, and other business support services are also available through the Business CENTS (Community Enterprise Networking and Training Services) program.

### **Tompkins County Area Development (TCAD)**

200 East Buffalo

Street, Suite 102A

Ithaca, NY 14850

(607) 273-0005

Fax: (607) 273-8964

[www.tcad.org/services.htm](http://www.tcad.org/services.htm)

TCAD provides assistance with site identification, financing, and technical assistance for businesses in the Tompkins County area.

### **Tompkins County Planning Department**

121 E. Court Street

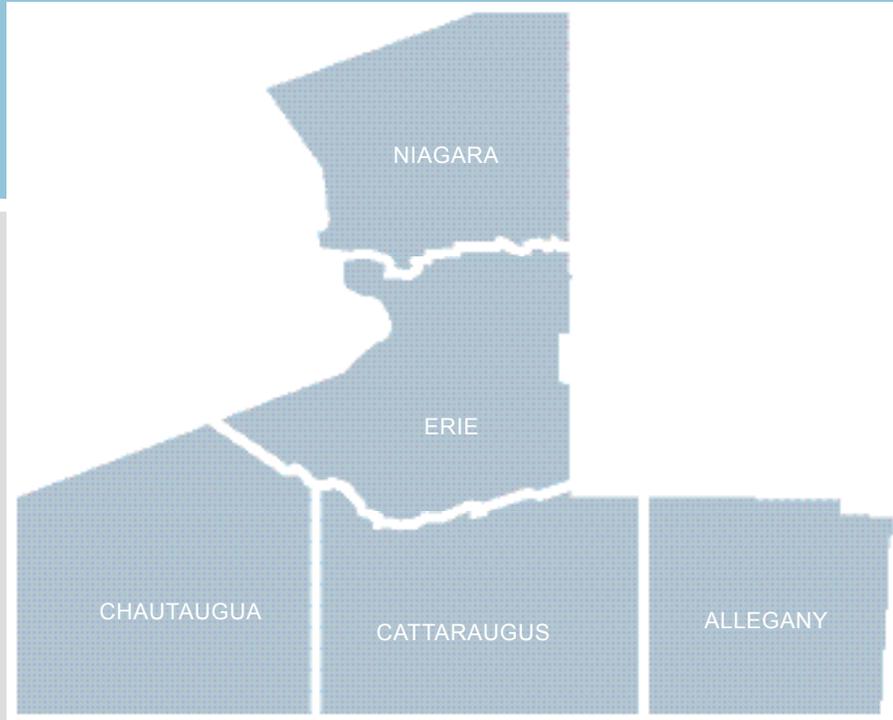
(607) 274-5560

Fax: (607) 274-5578

[www.tompkins-co.org/planning](http://www.tompkins-co.org/planning)

Tompkins County Planning Department offers the Tompkins County Economic Development Revolving Loan Fund which provides businesses low interest loans for working capital, equipment, real estate acquisition, and construction/expansion.

# Western New York





## ***Allegany County***

### **ACCORD Corporation**

84 Schuyler Street  
Belmont, NY 14813  
(716) 268-7605  
Fax: (716) 268-7241  
[www.accordcorp.org](http://www.accordcorp.org)

ACCORD Corporation provides workshops, training, and one-on-one counseling to new and existing businesses in Allegany County. Technical help and assistance in accessing financial resources are also available.

### **Allegany County Department of Economic Development**

County Office Building  
Belmont, NY 14813  
(716) 268-9229  
Fax: (716) 268-9720  
[www.alleganyco.com](http://www.alleganyco.com)

Allegany County Department of Economic Development provides financial planning, loan packaging assistance, counseling, and business seminars.

### **Allegany County Office of Economic Development**

7 Court Street  
Belmont, NY 14813  
(585) 268-9229  
Fax: (716) 268-9720  
[www.alleganyco.com](http://www.alleganyco.com)

Through its Small Business Development Program, the Allegany County Office of Economic Development provides entrepreneurs assistance in business plan development and access to financing. Allegany County also maintains a microenterprise revolving loan fund.

### **Allegany County Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

71 Chestnut Street  
Wellsville, NY 14895  
(716) 593-2040  
[www.alleganyco.com](http://www.alleganyco.com)

Allegany County IDA provides information and resources for businesses locating to or expanding in the area.

**Ceramic Corridor Incubator**

200 North Main Street

Alfred, NY 14802

(607) 587-9444

Fax: (607) 587-9535

[www.ceramicscorridor.org](http://www.ceramicscorridor.org)

The Ceramic Corridor Incubator offers space for business start-ups and targets businesses in the ceramic, glass, and material sciences industries.

***Cattaraugus County*****Cattaraugus County Business Development Corporation**

303 Court Street

Little Valley, NY 14755

(716) 938-9111

[www.co.cattaraugus.ny.us](http://www.co.cattaraugus.ny.us)

The Cattaraugus County Business Development Corporation provides technical assistance, counseling, small business loans, seminars, and training.

**Cattaraugus County Department of Economic Development, Planning, and Tourism**

303 Court Street

Little Valley, NY 14755

(716) 938-9111

Fax: (716) 938-9431

[www.co.cattaraugus.ny.us](http://www.co.cattaraugus.ny.us)

The Cattaraugus County Department of Economic Development, Planning and Tourism offers assistance to start-ups and existing businesses. Programs and services include business plan development assistance, educational seminars, application assistance for a microenterprise revolving loan fund, site location assistance, and business counseling.

**Cattaraugus Empire Zone Corporation**

120 North Union Street

Olean, NY 14760

(716) 373-9260

Fax: (716) 372-7912

[www.cattempirezone.org](http://www.cattempirezone.org)

Cattaraugus Empire Zone Corporation provides business incentives and site location assistance for new and existing companies.

**County of Cattaraugus Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

3 East Washington Street

P.O. Box 1749

Ellicottville, NY 14731

(716) 699-2005

Fax: (716) 699-2942

[www.cattco.org](http://www.cattco.org)

County of Cattaraugus IDA provides financial assistance and resources for businesses.

**Greater Olean Area Chamber of Commerce**

120 North Union Street

Olean, NY 14760

(716) 372-4433

Fax: (716) 372-7912

[www.oleanny.com](http://www.oleanny.com)

**Salamanca Industrial Development Agency**

225 Wildwood Avenue

Salamanca, New York 14779

(716) 945-3230

Salamanca Industrial Development Agency serves as a resource for businesses in the area.

**Seneca Nation of Indians Economic Development Company**

P.O. Box 231

Salamanca, NY 14779

(716) 945-1790

The Seneca Nation of Indians Economic Development Company operates a small business revolving loan fund. Loans are provided to both Seneca-owned businesses and non-Indian owned businesses with a significant number of workers who are Seneca Nation members.

## **Southern Tier West Regional Planning and Development Board**

Center for Regional Excellence  
4039 Route 219, Suite 200  
Salamanca, NY 14779  
(716) 945-5301  
Fax: (716) 945-5550  
[www.southerntierwest.org](http://www.southerntierwest.org)

The Southern Tier West Business Services Group offers the following business services: technical assistance, financial packaging assistance, entrepreneurial programs, employer/labor force training services, business cluster development, a business technology program, and strategic development assistance.

## ***Chautauqua County***

### **Chamber of Commerce - Chautauqua County**

101 West 5th Street  
Jamestown, NY 14701  
(716) 484-1101  
Fax: (716) 487-0785  
[www.chautauquachamber.org](http://www.chautauquachamber.org)

### **Chautauqua County Chamber of Commerce**

212 Lake Shore Drive West  
Dunkirk, NY 14048  
(716) 366-6200  
Fax: (716) 366-4276  
[www.chautauquachamber.org](http://www.chautauquachamber.org)

### **Chautauqua County Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

200 Harrison Street  
Jamestown, NY 14701  
(716) 664-3262  
Fax: (716) 664-4515  
[www.chautauquacounty.biz](http://www.chautauquacounty.biz)

Access to capital is available through the Chautauqua County IDA's low interest loans and tax incentives. In addition, the IDA provides business permit information, technical assistance, and employment training. The IDA also helps businesses with site development and has a site database.

**Chautauqua Opportunities, Inc.  
Economic Development Center**

402 Main Street

Dunkirk, NY 14048

(716) 366-2334

Fax: (716) 366-7407

[www.chautauquaopportunities.com](http://www.chautauquaopportunities.com)

Chautauqua Opportunities for Development Inc. provides loans, entrepreneurial training, one-on-one technical assistance, and business counseling.

**Downtown Jamestown Development Corporation (DJDC)**

23 W. Third Street

Jamestown, NY 14701

(716) 664-2477

Fax: (716) 483-6175

[www.discoverjamestown.com](http://www.discoverjamestown.com)

DJDC seeks to encourage downtown development and markets Jamestown as a regional hub. It provides business technical assistance and event planning support.

**Dunkirk Local Development Corporation**

Dunkirk City Hall

342 Central Avenue

Dunkirk, NY 14048

(716) 366-3333

[www.dunkirkdevelopment.com](http://www.dunkirkdevelopment.com)

The Dunkirk Local Development Corporation administers a low-interest revolving loan fund and provides technical assistance to businesses in the City of Dunkirk.

**Jamestown Local Development Corporation (LDC)**

Municipal Building, 4th Floor

200 East Third Street

Jamestown, NY 14701

(716) 483-7541

Fax: (716) 483-7772

Jamestown LDC provides low-interest loans and assistance to businesses starting up or expanding in Jamestown.

**Manufacturing Association of Jamestown Area (MAJA)**

512 Falconer Street  
Jamestown, NY 14701  
(716) 483-1833  
Fax: (716) 487-9599  
[www.maja-ny.com](http://www.maja-ny.com)

MAJA offers information and services to its business members including training and networking opportunities.

**Small Business Development Center**

Jamestown Community College  
525 Falconer Street  
Jamestown, NY 14702-0020  
(716) 665-5754  
Fax: (716) 665-6733  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Westfield Development Corporation**

27 East Main Street  
P.O. Box 141  
Westfield, NY 14787  
(716) 326-2200  
Fax: (716) 326-2299  
[www2.cecomet.net/wdevcorp](http://www2.cecomet.net/wdevcorp)

Westfield Development Corporation offers business assistance to support economic development in the Westfield community.

***Erie County*****Amherst Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

Audubon Office Park  
130 John Muir Drive  
West Amherst, NY 14228  
(716) 688-9000  
Fax: (716) 688-0205  
[www.amherstida.com](http://www.amherstida.com)

Amherst IDA authorizes industrial revenue bonds and offers incentive programs, site location selection assistance, and other resources for businesses located in the area.

**Buffalo Economic Renaissance Corporation (BERC)**

620 Main Street  
Buffalo, NY 14202-1906  
(716) 842-6923  
Fax: (716) 842-6942

[www.growbfo.org/index.html](http://www.growbfo.org/index.html)

BERC helps administer the BERC Business Loan Program, the BERC U.S. Small Business Administration Program for businesses located in Buffalo, BERC Neighborhood Micro Loan Program for businesses which have been operational for one year or longer, and the Minority Contractor Loan Program for minority construction firms. Other entrepreneurial assistance and business support services are also available.

**Buffalo-Niagara Enterprise**

665 Main St. Suite 200  
Buffalo, NY 14203  
(716) 842-1330  
Fax : (716) 842-1724

[www.buffaloniagara.org/about/organization.asp](http://www.buffaloniagara.org/about/organization.asp)

Buffalo-Niagara Enterprise provides market data, industrial and commercial real estate information, and other resources for businesses interested in the Buffalo Niagara region.

**Buffalo Niagara Partnership**

665 Main Street, Suite 200  
Buffalo, NY 14203-1487  
(716) 852-7100  
Fax: (716) 852-2761

[www.thepartnership.org](http://www.thepartnership.org)

Buffalo Niagara Partnership offers information and resources to businesses in the Niagara region.

**Buffalo Urban League**

15 E. Genesee Street  
Buffalo, NY 14203  
(716) 854-7625  
Fax: (716) 854-8960

[www.buffalourban.org](http://www.buffalourban.org)

The Buffalo Urban League offers a revolving loan fund for women and minority entrepreneurs and provides general assistance to the Greater Buffalo community.

**Clarence Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

1 Town Place

Clarence, NY 14031

(716) 741-8930

Fax: (716) 741-4715

The Clarence IDA provides business assistance for eligible industrial and commercial projects in the town of Clarence.

**Erie County Industrial Development Agency (ECIDA)**

275 Oak Street

Buffalo, NY 14203

(716) 856-6525

Fax: (716) 856-6754

[www.ecidany.com](http://www.ecidany.com)

ECIDA provides business assistance including loans and venture capital, export assistance, tax incentives, referrals, and workforce development assistance.

**Erie County Office of Economic Development**

Rath Office Building, Room 1053

95 Franklin Street

Buffalo, NY 14202

(716) 858-8390

Fax: (716) 858-7248

[www.erie.gov/ecodev.phtml](http://www.erie.gov/ecodev.phtml)

The Office of Economic Development provides information and assistance to businesses. It also manages the Community Development Block Grant funds and monitors the revolving loans funds for economic development in Erie County.

**Empire State Development (ESD) Corporation****Western New York State Region**

424 Main Street, Suite 717

Buffalo, NY 14202

(716) 856-8111

Fax: (716) 856-1744

[www.empire.state.ny.us](http://www.empire.state.ny.us)

**Hamburg Chamber of Commerce**

8 South Buffalo Street  
Hamburg, NY 14075  
(716) 649-7917  
Fax: (716) 649-6362  
[www.hamburg-chamber.org](http://www.hamburg-chamber.org)

**Hamburg Development Corporation**

6100 South Park Avenue  
Hamburg, NY 14072  
(716) 648-4145  
Fax: (716) 648-0151  
[www.townofhamburgny.com/hdc.html](http://www.townofhamburgny.com/hdc.html)  
The Hamburg Development Corporation offers financing including the Hamburg Business Development Fund and the Commercial Building Renovation Program for eligible businesses in Hamburg.

**Hamburg Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

6100 South Park Avenue  
Hamburg, NY 14075  
(716) 648-4145  
Fax: (716) 648-0121  
[www.townofhamburgny.com/hida.html](http://www.townofhamburgny.com/hida.html)  
Hamburg IDA offers tax abatements and tax exemptions and issues industrial revenue bonds for eligible industrial and commercial projects in the Town of Hamburg.

**Lackawanna Community Development Corporation (LCDC)**

640 Ridge Road  
Lackawanna, NY 14218-1596  
(716) 823-5124  
Fax: (716) 823-5947  
[www.lackawannany.com](http://www.lackawannany.com)  
LCDC offers technical assistance, tax incentives, and financing to retain, attract, and grow businesses in the area.

**Lancaster Village Community Development Corporation**

5423 Broadway

Municipal Building

Lancaster, NY 14086

(716) 684-4891

Fax: (716) 684-4830

[www.lancastervillage.org/partnership.htm](http://www.lancastervillage.org/partnership.htm)

The Lancaster Village Community Development Corporation provides financial assistance to companies in the Village of Lancaster.

**Orchard Park Local Development Corporation**

4513 South Buffalo Street

Orchard Park, NY 14127

(716) 662-9808

Orchard Park Local Development Corporation provides financial assistance and information to businesses in the Town of Orchard Park.

**Small Business Development Center**

State University College at Buffalo

Grover Cleveland Hall, Room 206

1300 Elmwood Avenue

Buffalo, NY 14222-1095

(716) 878-4030

Fax: (716) 878-4067

[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Springville Area Chamber of Commerce**

P.O. Box 310

Springville, NY 14141-0310

(716) 592-4746

[www.springvillechamber.com](http://www.springvillechamber.com)

**Town of Concord Industrial Development Agency (IDA)**

86 Franklin Street

P.O. Box 368

Springville, NY 14141

(716) 592-3321

Fax: (716) 592-5030

The Town of Concord IDA provides tax abatement incentives, site location assistance, and other business services for firms looking to locate or expand in the area.

**Town of Lancaster Industrial Development Agency (LIDA)**

21 Central Avenue  
Lancaster, NY 14086  
(716) 683-1610  
Fax: (716) 683-0512

[www.lancasterny.com/lida/intro.html](http://www.lancasterny.com/lida/intro.html)

LIDA provides assistance to firms located in or seeking to locate to Lancaster and links them to local and state level programs.

**Town of Tonawanda Development Corporation**

3411 Delaware Avenue  
Kenmore, NY 14217  
(716) 871-8072  
Fax: (716) 871-8073

[www.tonawanda.com](http://www.tonawanda.com)

The Town of Tonawanda Development Corporation offers project planning assistance and general information for businesses.

**U.S. Small Business Administration**

111 West Huron Street, Suite 1311  
Buffalo, NY 14202  
(716) 551-4301  
Fax: (716) 551-4418

[www.sba.gov/ny/buffalo/indexabout.html](http://www.sba.gov/ny/buffalo/indexabout.html)

**West Seneca Development Corporation**

950-A Union Road, Suite 12  
West Seneca, NY 14224  
(716) 674-5993  
Fax: (716) 674-1524

[www.westsenecadevcorp.org](http://www.westsenecadevcorp.org)

West Seneca Development Corporation refers businesses to financial and technical service providers and provides information and resources for local businesses.

**Western New York Venture Association**

1576 Sweet Home Road

Amherst, NY 14228

(716) 636-3626

Fax: (716) 636-3630

[wnyva.hypermart.net](http://wnyva.hypermart.net)

Western New York Venture Association provides networking opportunities between entrepreneurs and investors. It serves as the region's business opportunity and investment forum.

**Western Region Corporation (WRC)**

Liberty Building, Suite 300

424 Main Street

Buffalo, NY 14202

(716) 856-6525

[www.southerntierwest.org](http://www.southerntierwest.org)

Comprised of the industrial development agencies in Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chautauqua, Erie, and Niagara counties, WRC makes loans and provides small businesses with referrals to local resources.

***Niagara County*****City of Niagara Falls Department of Community  
Development**

1022 Main Street

Niagara Falls, NY 14302

(716) 286-8800

Fax: (716) 286-8836

[www.niagarafallsusa.org](http://www.niagarafallsusa.org)

The City of Niagara Falls Department of Community Development offers financing to businesses located in the City of Niagara Falls. It also serves as a clearinghouse of information for businesses.

**Greater Lockport Development Corporation**

One Locks Plaza  
Lockport, NY 14094  
(716) 439-6688  
Fax: (716) 439-6789

Greater Lockport Development Corporation offers financing to assist small- and medium-sized businesses in the City of Lockport.

**Niagara County Department of Planning, Development, and Tourism**

139 Niagara Street  
Lockport, NY 14094-2740  
(800) 338-7890  
[www.niagara-usa.com](http://www.niagara-usa.com)

Niagara County Department of Planning, Development, and Tourism offers information to businesses located in and visitors to the Greater Niagara Region.

**Niagara County Industrial Development Agency (NCIDA)**

Vantage Center, Suite One  
6311 Inducon Corporate Drive  
Sanborn, NY 14132-9099  
(716) 298-8050  
Fax: (716) 298-8053  
[www.ncida.org](http://www.ncida.org)

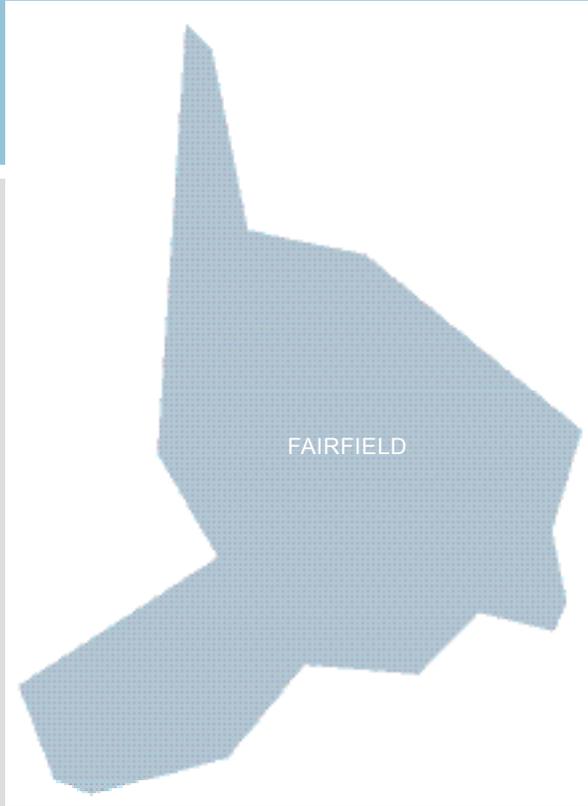
NCIDA provides financing, tax incentives, and other support services to businesses.

**Small Business Development Center**

Niagara County Community College  
3111 Saunders Settlement Road  
Sanborn, NY 14132  
(716) 614-6480  
Fax: (716) 614-6825  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)



# Fairfield County, Connecticut



## ***Fairfield County, Connecticut***

### **Bridgeport Economic Development Corporation (EDC)**

10 Middle Street

Bridgeport, CT 06604

(203) 335-3800

[www.brbcnet.com/html/bedco.html](http://www.brbcnet.com/html/bedco.html)

Bridgeport EDC provides technical assistance to businesses and helps to develop business sites and facilities.

### **Bridgeport Economic Resource Center (BERC)**

10 Middle Street

Bridgeport, CT 06604-4223

(203) 335-1108

Fax: (203) 335-1297

[www.bridgeport-econ.org](http://www.bridgeport-econ.org)

BERC acts as a clearinghouse of information for businesses.

BERC assists businesses in locating sites and accessing capital and technical assistance.

### **City of Bridgeport Planning and Development Offices**

44 Lyon Street, Room 331

Bridgeport, CT 06604

(203) 576-7221

<http://ci.bridgeport.ct.us>

City of Bridgeport Planning and Development Offices seeks to promote economic development and provides assistance for businesses in Bridgeport.

### **Community Economic Development Fund (CEDF)**

430 New Park Avenue, 2nd Floor

West Hartford, CT 06110-1142

(860)249-3800

Fax: (860) 249-2500

[www.cedf.com](http://www.cedf.com)

CEDF seeks to strengthen neighborhood economies by providing flexible financing and technical assistance to small businesses and community organizations. It has special initiatives in targeted communities throughout Connecticut, including a special small business loan program for Norwalk and Stamford businesses.

**Fairfield Chamber of Commerce**

1597 Post Road  
Fairfield, CT 06430  
(203) 255-1011  
Fax: (203) 256-9990  
[www.fairfieldctchamber.com](http://www.fairfieldctchamber.com)

**Fairfield County Service Corps of Retired Executives  
(SCORE)**

24 Belden Avenue, 5th Floor  
Norwalk, CT 06850  
(203) 847-7348  
Fax: (203) 849-9308  
[www.score.org](http://www.score.org)

**Fairfield Department of Economic Development**

611 Old Post Road  
Fairfield, CT 06430  
(203) 256-3120  
Fairfield Department of Economic Development provides  
resources and information for businesses in the area.

**Greater Bridgeport Service Corps of Retired Executives  
(SCORE)**

230 Park Avenue  
Bridgeport, CT 06601  
(203) 576-4369  
Fax: (203) 576-4388  
[www.score.org](http://www.score.org)

**Greater Danbury Chamber of Commerce**

39 West Street  
Danbury, CT 06810  
(203) 743-5565  
Fax: (203) 794-1439  
[www.danburychamber.com](http://www.danburychamber.com)

**Greenwich Community Development Department**

Greenwich Town Hall, 2nd Floor

101 Field Point Road

Greenwich, CT 06830

(203) 622-3791

Fax: (203) 622-3767

[www.greenwichct.org/communitydevelopment.html](http://www.greenwichct.org/communitydevelopment.html)

Greenwich Community Development Department provides information to businesses and helps administer, monitor, and plan Community Development Block Grant activities.

**Grow Bridgeport Fund (GBF)**

10 Middle Street, 1st Floor

Bridgeport, CT 06604

(203) 335-1562

Fax: (203) 335-1621

[www.bridgeport-econ.org/GBF.htm](http://www.bridgeport-econ.org/GBF.htm)

GBF provides capital and technical assistance for small to medium-sized businesses as well as community development corporations.

**Newtown Economic Development Commission**

Edmond Town Hall

45 Main Street

Newtown, CT 06470

(203) 270-4271

Fax: (203) 270-4205

[www.newtown.org](http://www.newtown.org)

Newtown Economic Development Commission provides information and resources to businesses.

**Norwalk Office of Economic Development**

Norwalk City Hall

125 East Avenue

Norwalk, CT 06856-5125

(203) 854-7810

[www.norwalkecon.org](http://www.norwalkecon.org)

Norwalk Office of Economic Development provides information and real estate assistance to businesses seeking to relocate to Norwalk.

**Small Business Development Center**

Bridgeport Economic Resource Center  
10 Middle Street, 1st Floor  
Bridgeport, CT 06604-4229  
(203) 330-4813  
Fax: (203) 335-1297  
[www.sba.gov/sbdc](http://www.sba.gov/sbdc)

**Small Business Development Center**

Southwestern Area Commerce & Industry Association  
1 Landmark Square  
Stamford, CT 06901  
(203) 359 - 3220  
Fax: (203) 967-8294  
[www.sba.gov/sbdc](http://www.sba.gov/sbdc)

**Southwestern Area Commerce & Industry Association of Connecticut, Inc. (SACIA)**

One Landmark Square, Suite 230  
Stamford, CT 06901-2679  
(203) 359-3220  
Fax: (203) 967-8294  
[www.sacia.org](http://www.sacia.org)

SACIA seeks to promote economic development in southwestern Connecticut. SACIA provides information, direct marketing assistance, networking opportunities, and business leadership roundtables to member organizations.

**South Western Regional Planning Agency (SWRPA)**

888 Washington Blvd, 3rd Floor  
Stamford, CT 06901  
(203) 316-5190  
[www.swrpa.org](http://www.swrpa.org)

SWRPA focuses on issues of transportation, housing, environment, and open space and provides a forum for local governments to foster communication and collaboration in addressing intertown issues and needs. SWRPA seeks to improve the economic vitality in southwestern Connecticut and serves Darien, Greenwich, New Canaan, Norwalk, Stamford, Weston, Westport, and Wilton.

**Stamford Office of Economic Development**

Government Center, 9th Floor

888 Washington Blvd.

Stamford, CT 06904-2152

(203) 977-5089

Fax: (203) 977-4377

[www.cityofstamford.org/EconomicDevelopment/main.htm](http://www.cityofstamford.org/EconomicDevelopment/main.htm)

Stamford Office of Economic Development is involved in business attraction and retention efforts and provides business incentives and assistance for businesses locating to or expanding in the area.

**Stratford Community and Economic Development  
Department**

2725 Main Street

Stratford, CT 06497

(203) 385-4028

[www.townofstratford.com/econdev.htm](http://www.townofstratford.com/econdev.htm)

The Stratford Community and Economic Development Department provides site location assistance and information on state and local incentive programs for local businesses. The department also oversees activities using Community Development Block Grant funds.

**The Women's Business Development Center (WBDC)**

400 Main Street, Suite 500

Stamford, CT 06901

(203) 353-1750

Fax: (203) 353-1084

[www.ctwbdc.org](http://www.ctwbdc.org)

WBDC offers training, counseling, access to financial resources, and networking opportunities for new and existing business owners. With offices located in Bridgeport, New Haven, and Stamford, Connecticut, WBDC serves Connecticut and Westchester, New York.



# Puerto Rico





## ***Puerto Rico***

### **Economic Development University Center (EDUC)**

University of Puerto Rico  
Box 5884, College Station  
Mayaguez, Puerto Rico 00681  
(787) 834-2566 or (787) 833-4465  
Fax: (787) 833-4445

[www.namtac.org/Org/state\\_htm/pr.html#1](http://www.namtac.org/Org/state_htm/pr.html#1)

EDUC helps promote economic development for Puerto Rico. EDUC conducts applied research activities for state agencies, municipalities, trade associations, and community based organizations. It also provides information and assistance to entrepreneurs.

### **Minority Business Development Center (Asociacion Productos de Puerto Rico)**

PO Box 363631  
San Juan, Puerto Rico 00936-3631  
(787) 753-8484  
Fax: (787) 753-0855

[www.mbdcpr.com/index.php.en](http://www.mbdcpr.com/index.php.en)

The Minority Business Development Center provides minority entrepreneurs one-on-one assistance in preparing business plans, marketing management, technical assistance, and financial planning; it also offers training, counseling, and loans.

### **Puerto Rico Chamber of Commerce**

P.O. Box 9024033  
San Juan, Puerto Rico 00902-4033  
(787) 721-6060 or (787) 721-6082  
Fax: (787) 723-1891  
[camarapr.zonai.com/index\\_en.asp](http://camarapr.zonai.com/index_en.asp)

## **Small Business Development Center (SBDC)**

### **Executive Office**

Union Plaza Building, 10th Floor  
416 Ponce de León Avenue  
Hato Rey, Puerto Rico 00918  
(787) 763-6811 or (888) 300-7232  
Fax: (787) 763-6875  
[www.sba.gov/pr](http://www.sba.gov/pr)

The SBDC has an entrepreneurial service delivery network which is comprised of six regional centers, two Circuit Riders and the International Trade Center. The Network provides counseling and training services to entrepreneurs.

### **Small Business Development Center Offices:**

#### **Arecibo Regional Center**

Inter American University Arecibo Campus  
P.O. Box 4050  
Arecibo, Puerto Rico 00614  
(787) 878-5475  
Fax: (787) 880-1624

#### **Fajardo Regional Center**

Inter American University Fajardo Campus  
P.O. Box 70003  
Fajardo, Puerto Rico 00738  
(787) 863-2390  
Fax: (787) 860-3470

#### **Ponce Regional Center**

Inter American University Ponce Campus  
Carr.#1, Km. 123.2  
Mercedita, Puerto Rico 00715  
(787) 284-1912  
Fax: (787) 841-0103

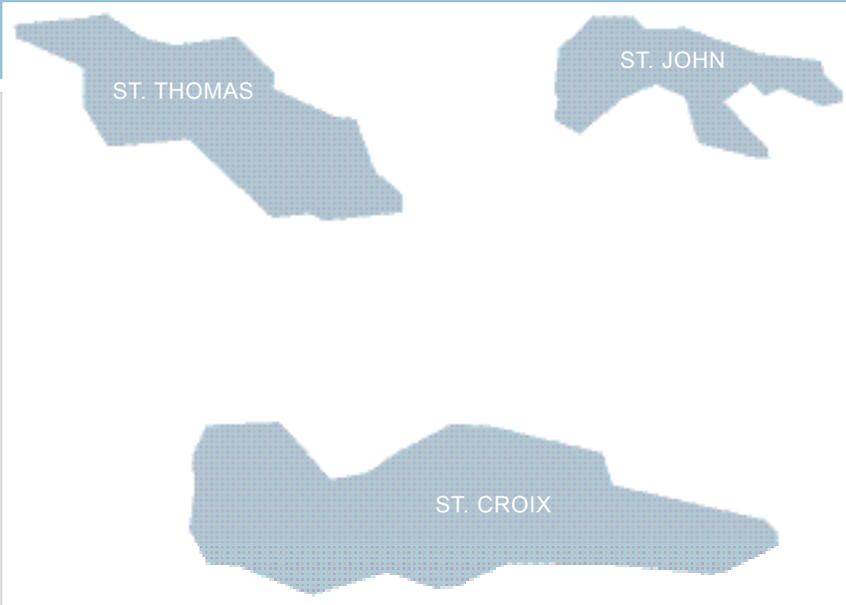
#### **San German Regional Center**

Inter American University San German Campus  
P.O. Box 5100  
San German, Puerto Rico 00683  
(787) 264-1912 ext. 7714  
Fax: (787) 892-6350

**San Juan Regional Center**  
Union Plaza Building, Suite 701  
416 Ponce de Leon Avenue  
Hato Rey, Puerto Rico 00918  
(787) 763-5108  
Fax: (787) 763-4629



# U.S. Virgin Islands





## ***U.S. Virgin Islands***

### **Virgin Island's Women Business Center**

Chandler's Wharf, Gallows Bay  
St. Croix, Virgin Islands 00820  
(340) 773-4995  
Fax: (340) 713-8503  
[www.wbcvi.org](http://www.wbcvi.org)

Virgin Island's Women Business Center provides business education and entrepreneurial training, counseling, mentoring, and networking opportunities for entrepreneurs.

### **Small Business Development Center (SBDC)**

The SBDC at the University of Virgin Islands provides business counseling, technical assistance, research, advocacy, and gathers and disseminates information regarding small businesses.

#### **Offices:**

Nisky Center, Suite 202  
St. Thomas, Virgin Islands 00802  
(340) 776-3206  
Fax: (340) 775-3756

Sunshine Mall, Suite 104  
St. Croix, Virgin Islands 00840  
(340) 692-5270  
Fax: (340) 775-3756

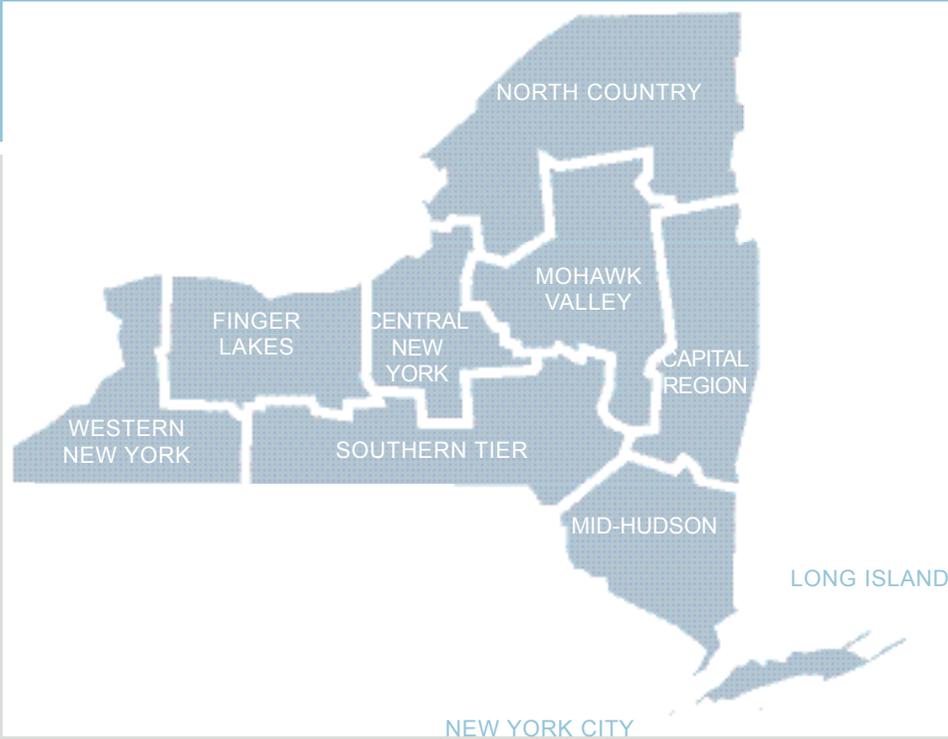
#### **Satellite Offices:**

Prindsesse Gade, 17 Unit Two  
St. Thomas, Virgin Islands 00802  
(340) 777-5486  
Fax: (340) 771-1146

Chandler's Wharf  
Gallows Bay  
St. Croix, Virgin Islands 00820  
(340) 713-8502  
Fax: (340) 715-8503



# New York State





## ***New York State Resources***

### **Economic Development Corporation**

110 William Street  
New York, NY 10038  
(888) NYC-0100 or (212) 619-5000  
[www.newyorkbiz.com](http://www.newyorkbiz.com)

### **Empire State Development Corporation**

633 3rd Avenue  
New York, NY 10017  
(212) 803-3100  
[www.empire.state.ny.us](http://www.empire.state.ny.us)

### **New York State Energy Research and Development Authority (NYSERDA)**

17 Columbia Circle  
Albany, NY 12203-6399  
New York, NY 10018  
(518) 862-1090  
Fax: (518) 862-1091  
[www.nyserda.org](http://www.nyserda.org)

#### **NYSERDA - Buffalo Office**

617 Main Street, Suite 105  
Buffalo, New York 14203  
(716) 842-1522  
Fax: (716) 842-0156

#### **NYSERDA - New York City Office**

10th Floor, Suite 1006  
485 Seventh Avenue  
New York, New York 10018  
(212) 971-5342  
Fax: (212) 971-5349

**New York State Governor's Office of Small Cities**

Agency Building 4, 6th Floor  
Empire State Plaza  
Albany, NY 12223-1350  
(518) 474-2057  
Fax: (518) 474-5247  
[www.nysmallcities.com](http://www.nysmallcities.com)

**New York State Small Business Development Center**

SUNY Plaza  
41 State Street  
Albany, NY 12246  
(518) 443-5398  
Fax: (518) 443-5275  
[www.nyssbdc.org](http://www.nyssbdc.org)

**Statewide Emergency Network for Social and Economic Security (SENSES)**

275 State Street  
Albany, NY 12210-2101  
(518) 463-5576  
Fax: (518) 432-9073  
[www.sensesny.org](http://www.sensesny.org)

## **Federal Government Resources**

### **Export-Import Bank of the United States (Ex-Im Bank)**

New York Regional Office Location  
20 Exchange Place, 40/F  
New York, NY 10005  
(212) 809-2650  
Fax: (212) 809-2646  
[www.exim.gov](http://www.exim.gov)

### **U.S. Department of Agriculture - Rural Development**

Syracuse State Office  
441 S. Salina Street  
Syracuse, NY 13202-2405  
(315) 477-6435  
Fax: (315) 477-6438  
[www.rurdev.usda.gov](http://www.rurdev.usda.gov)

### **U.S. Department of Commerce Minority Business Development Agency**

Jacob K. Javitz Federal Building  
Room 3720  
New York, NY 10278  
(212) 264-3262

### **U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development**

New York State Office  
Division of Community Planning and Development  
26 Federal Plaza  
New York, NY 10278-0771  
(212) 264-0771  
Fax: (212) 264-0993  
[www.hud.gov/economicdevelopment/index.cfm](http://www.hud.gov/economicdevelopment/index.cfm)

### **U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs**

Suite 260/Mailroom  
3701 North Fairfax Drive  
Arlington, VA 22203  
(703) 235-1303  
[www.doi.gov](http://www.doi.gov)

**U.S. Small Business Administration**

26 Federal Plaza  
New York, NY 10278  
(212) 264-1480  
[www.sba.gov](http://www.sba.gov)

## ***Regulatory Agencies***

### **Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation**

20 Exchange Place  
New York, NY 10005  
(917) 320-2500  
[www.fdic.gov](http://www.fdic.gov)

### **Federal Reserve Bank of New York**

33 Liberty Street  
New York, NY 10045  
(212) 720-5215  
[www.ny.frb.org](http://www.ny.frb.org)

### **New York State Banking Department**

One State Street  
New York, NY 10004-1417  
(800) 522-3330  
[www.banking.state.ny.us](http://www.banking.state.ny.us)

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