

# E-K Business News

An Economic Development Update

## 2018 - 2022 Economic Development Committee

### Mission Statement:

Under the direction of Council, to manage the development of the Township businesses and industries within an environment that maximizes benefits to the Township and area residents.

### Meeting Information:

The Economic Development Committee meets at 4:00 p.m. the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month at the Main Administration Office in New Dublin. Meetings are open to the public.

### Committee Members

Gord McFarlane, Chair  
Bill Hinton  
Earl Pollock  
Tim Ross

### Council Representatives

Councillor Eleanor Renaud  
Councillor Rob Smith  
Ex-Officio Mayor Brant Burrow

### Staff Resources

Alison Merkley, Deputy Clerk  
Laura Stanzel, Admin. Assistant

## NOMINATIONS ARE OPEN

### BUSINESS<sup>OF THE</sup> YEAR *Awards* 2019 ★★★★★

The Economic Development Committee is calling for nominations for their Business of the Year Award. The award is to recognize the many contributions local businesses have made to the community.

**Deadline to submit is August 2, 2019**

Visit our website, [www.ektwp.ca](http://www.ektwp.ca), for more information.

We will announce the winner of the *25<sup>th</sup> Business of the Year Award* during a fall luncheon. Further information on how you can RSVP and a save the date will be released closer to the event.

### Other Calls for Nominations

Brockville and District Chamber of Commerce Awards of Excellence ([www.brockvillechamber.com](http://www.brockvillechamber.com))

August 23<sup>rd</sup> Deadline

Leeds Grenville Immigrant Entrepreneur Award

([www.leedsgrenvilleimmigration.ca](http://www.leedsgrenvilleimmigration.ca))

September 13<sup>th</sup> Deadline

Bill Thake Memorial Economic Development Leadership Award ([invest.leedsgrenville.com](http://invest.leedsgrenville.com))

September 27<sup>th</sup> Deadline

### Contact Us

We welcome comments and suggestions for the E-K Business News.

Email: [mail@ektwp.ca](mailto:mail@ektwp.ca)

[www.ektwp.ca](http://www.ektwp.ca)

### Stay Informed

Stay informed with municipal business by liking us on Facebook and following us on Twitter.

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/elizabethtown.kitley/>

Twitter: <https://twitter.com/EKTownship>

## Training & Workshops

Please contact the organizers for information. Registration is often required.

### Employment + Education Centre

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

#### Managing Food Safety

Friday, July 26 from 8:30 to 4:30

Cost: \$55

*Assists novices on how to follow safe food handling practise, policies, and procedures.*

### Leeds Grenville Small Business

#### Enterprise Centre

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

#### Starter Company Plus Information Session

Wednesday, August 21 from 4:00 to 5:00

Cost: FREE

*Learn about the program that offers guidance, assists with forming business plans, and more.*

## Networking

### LG Approved Professional

[www.lgapproved.ca](http://www.lgapproved.ca)

#### After Five B2B Event - Brockville Division

Wednesday, July 10 from 5:00 to 8:00

Luna Pizzeria (365 Stewart Blvd, Brockville)

#### Small Business Summit 2019

Monday, July 22

Full Day Event – Preregistration Required

Cost: \$75 or \$250 for Groups of 4

Brockville Convention Centre (7829 Kent Blvd)

### Brockville & District Chamber of Commerce

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

#### Business After 5 Networking

Thursday, August 15 from 5:00 to 7:00

Location to be Determined

*Chamber Members Only*

### Regional Tourism Organization (Zone 9)

[tourismtalk.ca](http://tourismtalk.ca)

#### Annual General Meeting & Tourism Summit

Friday, September 6 from 9:30 to 3:00

Cost: \$20

Four Points Sheraton, Kingston (285 King St E.)

## Funding Opportunities

### Rural Innovation Initiative

[1000 Islands CFDC \(Elizabethtown Area\)](#)

[Valley Heartland CFDC \(Kitley Area\)](#)

To assist small/medium enterprises to expand and grow their businesses through the adoption of advanced business innovation.

### FedDev Ontario (Various Funds Available)

[www.feddevontario.gc.ca](http://www.feddevontario.gc.ca)

Funding streams include business scale-up and productivity, regional innovation ecosystem, and community economic development and diversification.

### AgriMarketing Program

[www.agr.gc.ca](http://www.agr.gc.ca)

Provides support for international initiatives for businesses operating in the agricultural, agri-food, agri-products industry.

### Tourism Development Fund

[www.grants.gov.on.ca](http://www.grants.gov.on.ca)

Provides funding to develop innovative and emerging tourism, capacity building, investment attraction, and grow opportunities.

**Exterior Renovations** are most commonly done over summer for a reason. Materials can often be prepared outside without facing harsh elements and the chance for weather delays diminishes. The additional daytime light and warm weather provides the perfect work condition.

Whether you are doing the work yourself or hiring a company, there is a local business that can help you plan and build your project. Remember to consult the Township of Elizabethtown-Kitley if your exterior renovation will involve any additions/expansions, or structural changes.

## Businesses that can Help

Avalon Windows & Doors  
613-345-0001  
(4001 County Road 29)

Burchell Fencing  
613-345-2406  
(1894 County Road 2, East)

City Glass Windows and Doors  
613-498-0118  
(1889 County Road 2, East)

IN Engineering  
613-803-9899  
(5273 County Road 46)

Precision Contracting  
613-341-3044  
(3069 County Road 29)

R.D. Steele Construction  
613-342-3121  
(3516 Coons Road)

SoulCraft Timberframe  
613-449-0990  
(8835 Gosford Road)

W.J. Sherwood & Sons Construction Co.  
613-345-0300  
(4419 Kilkenny Road)

Bob Perkins Steel Roofing  
613-342-6030  
(5101 County Road 29)

Burnside Windows and Doors  
613-345-2245  
(1536 County Road 2, West)

Glen Murdock & Sons Cement Finishing  
613-865-9773  
(4447 Rowsome Road)

Locke Truss Co.  
613-342-2388  
(3009 County Road 29)

Quality Roofing Ltd.  
613-342-7800  
(4215 County Road 46)

Roddick's Seamless Eavestroughing  
613-342-4623  
(4414 Murray Road)

Thousand Islands Concrete  
613-345-2433  
(3509 Coons Road)

Works of Iron  
613-342-7902  
(4020 County Road 29)

Note: List was created using the Business Directory for Elizabethtown-Kitley.

