



Happy Holidays

Dear ,
As the year comes to a close, we look back on all of the successes it brought and look forward to another exciting year of economic development in Racine County. Thank you and Happy Holidays!

The RCEDC Staff

GREATER RACINE COUNTY INITIATIVE

Greater Racine County New Website Promotes Living in Racine County

Racine County is a great place to live, work and play. RCEDC, Racine County and Real Racine are helping to tell Racine County's story through the launch of the Greater Racine County talent recruitment initiative. GRC recently launched their social media channels ([Facebook](#), [Twitter](#)) and a new [website](#), which we encourage you to engage with and explore.



In addition, on the GRC site is a new Greater Racine County job board - which provides a free, user-friendly way to highlight the opportunities at your business and to reach potential employees. Be sure to register your company online at Jobs.GreaterRacineCounty.com

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ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT NEWS

InSinkerator Unveils New Headquarters

InSinkErator recently opened their new headquarters in Mount Pleasant. The \$34 million facility is home to around 175 employees and was built with state of the art technology to help spur innovation.



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City of Racine Micro Fund
Now Accepting Applications

The City of Racine is now accepting applications for the Micro-Enterprise Revolving Loan Fund. The Micro Fund is available to business owners with a low to moderate income household and a business with five or fewer employees. Qualifying owners can receive between \$3,000 and \$15,000. Applications are due February 15th, 2019.



REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

State of the Area

State of the Area: Complete Report

To fully understand the impact of the Wisconsin Valley Science and Technology park, The Lakota Group led a multidisciplinary group that compiled a report based on analysis of current conditions with recommendations for future development opportunities. The [full report](#) is now available to help inform future development in Racine County.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Living as a Leader Information Session

1/25/2019

Build leadership within your company by participating in the 2019 Living As A Leader 12-Month Open Enrollment series starting in March 2019. **Companies registering before January 1, 2019, save 20%.** You can also learn more by attending an upcoming information series:

Date: Friday, January 25, 2019

Time: 8:00am-9:30am

Location: Real Racine
14015 Washington Ave
Sturtevant, WI

Registration: Email [Lynn Beachesne](mailto:lbeauchesne@rcecdc.org) - lbeauchesne@rcecdc.org

Cost: FREE



WEDC Expotech 2019

1/8/2019, 2/5/2018, 3/19/2019

The Wisconsin Manufacturing Extension Partnership (WMEP) and the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation (WEDC) are bringing Expotech 2019 to Brookfield. This three class event features lessons from real-world experts on how your company can begin or improve international exporting. [Click Here for more details.](#)

Dates: Tuesday-January 8, February 5, March 19, 2019

Time: All Day

Location: Brookfield

Cost: Varied (Scholarships Available)

INFORMATION AND SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

UW-Parkside Career Fair

Engage with diverse and talented students approaching graduation and recent alumni who are seeking full-time, degree-required positions. Most attendees are seeking positions to begin upon graduation in mid-May. Some students may be interested in immediate opportunities, such as professional internships or rotational programs.

Date: Wednesday, February 27, 2019

Time: 11:00am-2:00pm

Location: UW-Parkside
900 Wood Rd
Kenosha, WI 53177

Cost: \$125



[REGISTER HERE](#)

IN THE NEWS

- [I-94 on-ramps at Highways KR and 11 set to reopen](#)
- [Granary Groundbreaking in Union Grove](#)
- [Five Tips for Successful Economic Development Collaboration](#)
- [Racine Unveils Details of \\$50 million Lakefront Development](#)

BECOME AN INVESTOR

What Are The Benefits To Becoming An Investor? Promoting an Active Community

Your support of RCEDC will help to ensure that the quality of life remains an asset throughout Racine County for many years to come. A corporate level contribution includes the following benefits:

- Company listing in the RCEDC Annual Report
- Complete company listing on our current RCEDC Investor Listing page
- Investor communications to keep you up-to-date on project results and special event opportunities
- Investments are tax-deductible; we are a 501(c)3 non-profit corporation.

Contact RCEDC to find out how we can help your business



RCEDC provides Racine County businesses with almost every service needed to complete a project related to:

- Expansion
- Relocation
- Financing
- Workforce

BLP assists companies within the State of Wisconsin with the following:

- Fixed rate, long-term revolving loan fund programs.
- Partners with financial institutions offering more opportunities for financial assistance
- SBA 504 loan program

Workforce Solutions provides dynamic services that produce work-ready employees for business and community growth. The Business Solutions team provides customized services which include:

- Employee Recruitment
- Employee Training

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