Warrensburg June Economic Development Report

The WEDC met on June 6th and continued our discussion on the CDGB Grant application process. One of our top priorities is to identify contractors who are qualified to do the work once the grant is received. Part of the application process is to identify them up front as they need to meet certain criteria to be included on the list. We are providing Supervisor Geraghty with the current application so that it is available at the Town Hall for any contractors who may be interested in participating. The plan is to establish this list in an effort to be prepared for work that will come in about a year.

We congratulate Julie Gallup on her new sign and opening at her new location. We wish her and Mandy the best of success as they tackle another season. I personally recommend all that they have to offer.

Progress continues at the old Bill's Diner location, and we look forward to sitting down for a meal there soon.

I haven't had the opportunity to stop in for a bite at the south end of Town where another eatery has recently opened but have heard that their menu has some wonderful offerings.

New Way Lunch and Lucky Star continue to provide terrific food and have both stated that their number one challenge is finding enough help to keep the doors open. Both are well established business's and would be an excellent opportunity for college bound students to add to their savings before heading off to school.

We appreciate the efforts of all of our business's and ask that the community shop locally when feasible. We would also like to thank Teresa and her friends for doing a wonderful job of keeping Warrensburg looking beautiful.

Respectf	ully,

Rich Larkin