# Thinking of bringing your business to the Ticonderoga Area?

Here are some resources that will help you:

The TACC serves, markets, and promotes the towns of Ticonderoga, Crown Point, Hague, Moriah, & Putnam, NY.

### **North Country Small Business Development Center:**

The North Country Small Business Development Center assists North Country entrepreneurs, small businesses, and industry through advising, training, and research. This is a great first stop in the process of starting a business or for general business assistance. *See the additional information sheet on the North Country SBDC.* 

Website: www.northcountrysbdc.org Phone: 518-564-2042

### **Essex County, New York:**

Useful information about *County* government, services, and programs, as well as general Essex County/Area information.

Website: www.co.essex.ny.us County Clerk: 518-873-3600

### The Essex County Industrial Development Agency (IDA):

The IDA can provide financing through loan and bond programs, economic incentives, assistance with local regulatory agencies, and building/site location assistance.

See the additional information sheet on the IDA.

Website: www.essexcountyida.com Phone: 518-873-9114

#### **Business First:**

Business First is your one-stop shop for all of the statewide economic development programs New York has to offer. Business first is a business-focused portal to the wealth of incentives, programs and resources available to companies (large & small) within New York State and those that choose to relocate here.

**Website:** www.empire.state.ny.us **Phone:** 1-800-STATE-NY

#### **SCORE:**

SCORE, Counselors of America's Small Business Owners, is a national association dedicated to helping small business owners form and grow their businesses. They can give you a personal business coach and provide you with the business tools you need.

Website: www.score.org Phone: 1-800-634-0245

**North Country Chamber of Commerce - SCORE** 

Website: www.northcountrychamber.com Phone: 518-563-1000

# **Adirondack Economic Development Corporation:**

Starting a business or maintaining your business plan, you can find the tools and resources you need to quickly and easily. Whether courses, one-on-one consultations, or online tools the AEDC is here to help you grow your business in the Adirondacks.

**Website:** www.aedconline.com **Phone:** 518-891-5523

### **Adirondack North Country Association:**

One of ANCA's key goal is to strengthen the foundation for business development with a focus on small businesses, creating more family sustaining jobs in rural communities, increase economic diversity and building opportunities for a more efficient economy.

Website: www.adirondack.org Phone: 518-891-6200

### The North Country Workforce/OneWork Source Career Center:

Employment-related services to local businesses and job seekers through a region wide network. Businesses look to the North Country Workforce for skilled employees, expertise in job training and supportive services.

**Website:** www.ncworkforce.com **Phone:** 518-873-2341

#### New York Next Door:

People, Power, Profits, and play can all be found in the North Country of NYS. Whether your interested in relocating an existing business or starting a new one, Upstate New York offers some amazing opportunities.

Website: www.newyorknextdoor.com

#### **O.P.A.L:**

New York State's Online Permit Assistance and Licensing will help you find NYS business permits and will assist you in starting a new business or expanding your current business. You can download a business brochure that is helpful and contains general filing information on starting a business in NYS. It is a quick guide for information on business structures, tax requirements and employer responsibilities.

Website: www.nys-permits.org Phone: 518-474-8275

# Lake Champlain Lake George Regional Planning Board:

The Lake Champlain - Lake George Regional Planning Board operates a regionally based Revolving Loan Fund program that provides financing to support the growth of small businesses through the five-county area. The Loan Fund provides low cost, short term financing to businesses that are unable to obtain conventional bank financing.

Website: www.lclgrpb.org Phone: 518-668-5773

#### **Town Offices:**

**Ticonderoga:** www.townofticonderoga.com or 518-585-6677 **Crown Point:** www.co.essex.ny.us/crownpoint or 518-597-3235

**Hague:** www.townofhague.org or 518-543-6161 **Moriah:** www.townofmoriah.com or 518-546-3341 **Putnam:** www.co.washimngton.ny.us or 518-547-8317

# Other Important Area Economic Development Links:

Pride of Ticonderoga: www.prideofticonderoga.org

Ticonderoga Montcalm Street Partnership: www.timainstreet.org

Plattsburgh North Country Chamber of Commerce: www.northcountrychamber.com

Ticonderoga Revitalization Alliance: www.ticonderoga-alliance.org

Moriah Community Edge: www.porthenrymoriah.com

For a complete TACC business directory, town offices directory, list of area realtors, financial institutions, insurance companies, other services or any additional information contact the:

**Ticonderoga Area Chamber of Commerce** 

518-585-6619 - chamberinfo@ticonderogany.com www.ticonderogany.com