

News & Updates

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Attention All Essential Businesses

Please take a minute to review the Ohio Department of Health's <u>COVID-19 Guidance for Essential</u> <u>Businesses and Operations</u>

COVID-19 Resource Updates

We recognize the continued challenges being faced by the employers and workforce in our community as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic. The Port Authority is providing continuous updates on our website to assist businesses in Muskingum County respond to the challenges of COVID-19.

Click <u>HERE</u> to access the Port Authority's COVID-19 Resource Page for links to Federal, State, and Local Assistance.

- **<u>CARES Act Explained</u>** Information from the Small Business Committee
- <u>SBA Low-Interest Disaster Loans</u> Attention Small Business Owners and Nonprofits. If you applied for the SBA's Economic Injury Disaster Loan before 3/30/2020 and you want to receive your forgivable \$10,000 loan advance, you must

reapply at the SBA's newly launched portal.

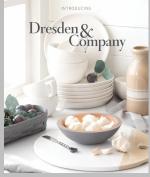
- <u>ODJFS SharedWork Ohio</u> Resources to equally cut back worker hours and allow unemployment compensation to fill the gap
- <u>Ohio Manufacturing Alliance</u> Resources to determine if there are opportunities for your business.
- <u>Ohio Statewide Development Corporation</u> Resources on the Paycheck Protection Program and Economic Injury Disaster Loans.

Featured Business Dresden & Company

Our difference is in the details!

Dresden & Company is a boutique-sized, locally owned Direct Sales business, offering the highest quality products in a variety of categories. Our operations are all based in Dresden where our handcrafted baskets are woven. Our other products are sourced from partners around the state and across the country that share the Dresden & Company vision of crafting unique items that are a step above the rest.

Our Independent Proprietor opportunity allows individuals the freedom to build their own business sharing our products with friends and family. Each D&Co. Proprietor has their own website, earns up to 25% commission on their personal sales, and has access to a wide array of sales and support tools.





When shopping through a Dresden & Company Proprietor, customers receive Insider Pricing, immediately saving 20% off the regular retail price. All D&Co. orders are packaged by hand and ship to customers 10 to 15 days from when we receive the order.

We pride ourselves in being a local company with strong ties to our community. We take our mission to create quality jobs in our area and across the country seriously.

We have a wide selection of items for your home and life as well as many that are perfect for corporate gifts with a local, and personal, touch. We invite you to visit Bobbi Lepi's online D&Co. store (see below) and save 20% with *Insider Pricing*.

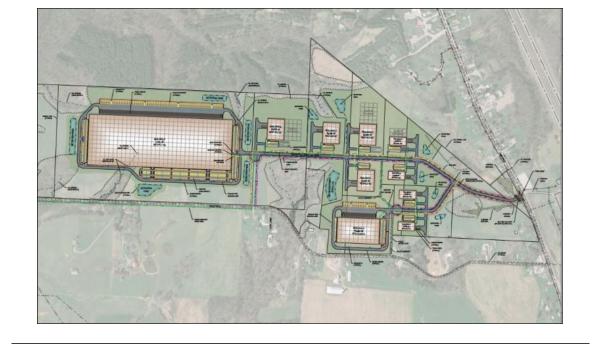
> Bobbi Lepi, Independent Proprietor 740-891-1068 www.dresdenandcompany.com/bobbilepi

Featured Site National Road Business Park

This greenfield site is located adjacent to the Airport Business Park and provides numerous parcels ranging in size from 20 to 200 acres. It is located along State Route 40 east of Zanesville. The site is visible from Interstate 70, which averages over 50,000 vehicles a day. The site is a prime location for any business or industry looking for excellent access. All utilities are located on site, which provides for a quick turnaround for any company looking to locate their business.

Click <u>here</u> for more information this site and click on the photo to veiw a flyover drone video of the site..





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The Ohio Department of Health website is an excellent resource for both professional and personal information on the COVID-19 pandemic.

Click on the logo to be taken to Ohio Department Of Health's COVID-19 Resource Page. It will be updated daily.

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Muskingum County Home to Two Opportunity Zones

Working with the U.S. Treasury, Ohio established 320 Opportunity Zones throughout the state in 2017. The selected areas typically show potential for job creation and contain opportunities for investment and development. Through this website, Ohio is committed to connecting potential investors with the opportunities presented by communities and development organizations in the zones. Click the action buttons below to obtain more information or click <u>here</u> for a searchable map of Ohio's Opportunity Zones.

Provide Community Information Communities may offer specifics about what makes their areas attractive to investors, provide contact information for economic development personnel, and detail any available incentives.

Submit Your Project

Find an Opportunity Project owners, developers, and economic development organizations may provide descriptions of their projects, details about support for their projects, and contact information.

Potential investors may search the projects submitted in the Opportunity Zones and use that information to find the most suitable options for their business enterprises.

Eastpointe Business Park: Then and Now



Looking Back: This photo shows the Eastpointe Business Park in September 2004, when the only two businesses were Dollar General (left) and Bimbo Bakeries (right). The large site at the rear of the photo is now home to Halliburton, and the site in the foreground is now home to AMG Vanadium. Behind Bimbo Bakery, The Bilco Company and TRP Zanesville now have their facilities.



Today: With construction under way on the new AMG Vanadium facility, the Eastpointe Business Park is near capacity. Current tenants include Avon, Bimbo Bakeries, Bilco, Halliburton, and TRP Zanesville. A rail transfer station is also located in the park. Click on the above photo to view a 360* video of the Eastpointe Business Park.

Property for Sale Under Competitive Bid

The Muskingum County Commissioners have authorized the sale of property at 655 Zane Street, Zanesville, OH. The full listing can be viewed <u>here</u>.

Parties interested in viewing the property may contact Pat Fisher, Facilities Manager, at 740-453-4829.



