



Zanesville & Muskingum County Economic Development Newsletter

May 2023

May Application Period is Open



Upskill your
workforce today
with TechCred

Ohio Lt. Governor Jon Husted announced the results of the March round of TechCred:

- **391 employers were approved for funding;**
- **4,656 Ohioans earned tech-focused credentials; and,**
- **Manufacturing was the industry with the most applications.**

TechCred helps businesses address their workforce needs by:

1. **Upskilling current and prospective employees.**
2. **Businesses of all sizes, from any industry, are eligible for up to \$30,000 per round and up to \$180,000 per year.**
3. **Top industries from this round include Manufacturing and Professional, Scientific and Technical Services.**

Current application period:
**May 1, 2023 -
May 31, 2023 (3:00 PM)**

APPLY NOW

Congratulations!!



L to R: Joseph Bailey, Angela Bailey, Brent Mirgon, Tessa Dickinson, Kenneth Dickinson, Jr.



A Taste of Ohio Wine, Bourbon & Beer won first place at the Shark Tub Pitch Competition on April 25, 2023. It was

a tough, close competition with 13 amazing businesses.

A Taste of Ohio is a self-serve Wine, Bourbon & Beer lounge where you can choose between 16 wines, 8 bourbons, and 8 beers. All products are locally sourced in Ohio, highlighting all that Ohio has to offer. All beverages are purchased through machines with an activated scan card, allowing customers to sample a variety of Ohio products.

Keeping with locally sourced products, an open kitchen will feature a standard menu as well as a rotating menu to showcase seasonal items.

The 5,000 sq. ft. of mixed use space on the

upper levels is available for rent. and lends itself to being customizable. In addition, we are excited to be part of the Art Community and wall space will be available for rent to display Artists' work.

Taste of Ohio plans to open later this summer Thurs - Mon, but will be offering soft openings in advance. If you are interested in participating in a soft opening, click [HERE](#).

[Click Here to Learn More About the Owners!!](#)

Downtown Sites

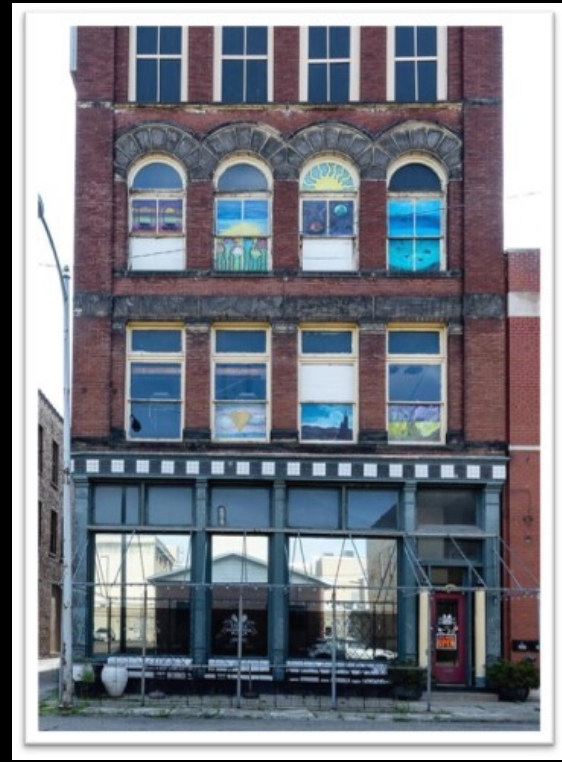


Conwell Building

28 N. 7th St., Zanesville, OH 43701

A QUICK LOOK

- Located within Downtown Zanesville's DORA district
- First level commercial space; second level apartment; third floor unfinished
- On-site parking included/could be converted to patio space
- New HVAC



Urban Comforts Building

32 N. 3rd St., Zanesville, OH 43701

A QUICK LOOK

- Historic gem in heart of Zanesville's DORA District
- Previously used as restaurant/bar
- Sit-down dining room (capacity 180) and separate sports bar
- Complete remodel in 2022
- Large parking lot/room to add

outdoor patio

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Did You Know....

Careers in the trades span multiple industries that are rapidly evolving and tradespeople are some of the most smart & informed professionals in their fields.

As the new technologies develop & evolve, there are more reasons than ever to choose a trade career:

**DOLLARS & SENSE: EARNING
POTENTIAL & EDUCATION COSTS**

**OWN YOUR TRADE &
BE YOUR OWN BOSS**

**BUILDING A SOLID FOUNDATION:
JOB SECURITY & STABILITY**

FUTURE OF THE TRADES

DO THE MATH!



**How do the earnings stack up over time?
Use the calculator created by the publication Trades Nation
to plug in your numbers and figure out career earnings.**



Trades Career vs. College with Debt

"What is Your Best Financial Option?"

PLUG IN *YOUR* NUMBERS!!!!

Road At Eastpointe Business Park Renamed in Honor of Local Businessman - Alan A. Baker

In 2012, Halliburton Energy Services was looking for a site for its new Northeast American headquarters.

The Halliburton CEO in 2012, Mr. Alan



Baker, had grown up in Duncan Falls, Muskingum County and was instrumental in the final decision to locate in the Eastpointe Business Park. His initiative brought hundreds of well paying jobs to his former hometown and established the world's second largest oilfield service company as one of Muskingum County's largest employers.

In recognition of the enormous contribution Mr. Baker made to the landscape of the Eastpointe Business Park and the Muskingum County community, the road located parallel to the Halliburton Energy Services site, between Jim Granger Drive and Bateman Road, has been renamed **"Alan Baker Drive"**.



Alan A. Baker earned his Bachelor of Science degree in petroleum engineering from Marietta College, graduating in 1954. Following graduation, Baker joined Halliburton Services, a former division of Halliburton Company in Zanesville, OH, and held a series of engineering and managerial assignments across the United States before being named Vice President of Domestic Operations in 1977..

In 1981, he was transferred to Singapore as Senior Vice President for the Far East region. Mr. Baker continued to work his way through the leadership ranks, finally being named Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Halliburton Energy Services Group in 1989 until his retirement in 1995.

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