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Message From the President

Dear Chamber Member:

I write these words the day before the Chamber's annual golf classic. Then the next week following is the Chamber's strategic planning session. So it is indeed a busy time. The golf outing is of course the Chamber's leading fundraising program and I want to thank in advance the golf committee, Teri Wise, Chris Chalfin, Matt Green, for all their hard work and great ideas. I would be remiss in not thanking the Ambassadors as well for all the efforts they put into making the golf outing a great success. And finally thanks to our many sponsors and other volunteers who make the event possible.

The strategic planning day is a critical one for the Chamber. I believe we have brought on board a great firm, Oakwood Associates to facilitate the planning. The document that comes out of this day will be the road map for the Chamber for the next three or four years. I am eagerly awaiting the results of the planning session. Your thoughts and ideas will be the building blocks of that document and I look forward to implementing the plan.

We are taking a hard look at what the Chamber offers, and the business it conducts. My number one goal is for better customer service. I want us to work together to build a Chamber of Commerce that is truly a business services organization that offers real value to its investors. We will soon be unveiling our member benefits program and working to execute that program. I think that you will be pleased with what the Chamber has to offer and we will be using it to attract new members. Our strength is in our numbers. To this end if any of you have any suggestions I would be delighted to hear them. Please don't hesitate to call me.

Best regards,

—Anthony Allen



Ohio Business Votes



Your guide to Ohio's Elections and Elected Officials

Ohiobusinessvotes.org is a Web site developed by the Ohio Chamber of Commerce to provide voters with information that is relevant to them in their daily lives, their jobs, their homes and their families.

Ohio Business Votes is Ohio's most inclusive web-source for election information. Information is continually updated, keeping you on top of information that is important to our state. This site offers information on:

- ◆ **Ohio Voters' Guide**—get valuable information on every candidate for the Ohio General Assembly.
- ◆ **Legislative Business Voting Record**-Track every legislator's vote on major business issues.
- ◆ **Find Elected Officials and District Maps**-Information to download and print at your fingertips.
- ◆ **Ohio Court Watch**-Become an educated voter in judicial elections.
- ◆ **Voting Information**-Easy access to voter registration.

Local issues, candidates and election information can be included by e-mailing information to the director of communications at: jfeasel@ohiochamber.com. There is no charge to add local information to the website and we encourage our members to use this important tool.

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How Small Is Small?

What constitutes a "small business" by federal government criteria? Generally speaking, if the company provides a product (i.e., actually manufactures an item), then size is determined by the average number of employees over a 12-month period. Currently, that number may range from 1 to 1,500 employees, depending on the type of products) manufactured. However, if the company provides a service, then size is based on average annual sales over a three-year period. Currently, the cap on the three-year average ranges from \$0.5 million to \$20 million, depending on industry.

The Small Business Administration is responsible for setting size standards, based on industry. The SBA has established two widely used size standards--500 employees for most manufacturing and mining industries and \$6.0 million in average annual receipts for most non-manufacturing industries.

Due in large part to the U.S. Chamber's efforts, the Small Business Administration (SBA) is withdrawing a proposed rule that would have rendered tens of thousands of existing small businesses ineligible for special small business procurement opportunities, regulatory outreach and loan programs.

SBA maintained that the goal of revising its definition of what constitutes a small business was to simplify the application process for government programs by reducing the number of different size standards. But after receiving thousands of negative comments from small business owners and Chamber members, the agency reevaluated its proposal and agreed to leave the size standards alone.



* Source: *The U.S. Chamber of Commerce, August 2004*



Chamber Car Show : 2004

Level Sponsors were American Disposal Services, Clouse Construction, American Electric Power, Charter Steel, Norton Manufacturing, Fostoria Beverage Center, and Roppe Corporation.

Serving up refreshments were: Geary Family YMCA, Catholic Charities, Fostoria High School's National Honor Society, American Cancer Society (Phyllis Gerritsen), East of Chicago Pizza, and the Clubhouse Coffee Shoppe.

Trophies and plaques were provided by: Mayor John Davoli, The Fostoria Chamber, Fifth Third Bank, Paul Cole Motors, Wagner Lincoln Mercury Mazda, Graff Automall. Merchant Awards were provided by: Good Shepherd Home, Advance Auto Parts, Chris Schiefer Insurance, Expert Tire, Schreiner Construction, Time Warner Cable, Readmore's Hallmark, Reinhart's Auto Body, J & C Motor Carriages, Fruth & Company, PLL, Hoening Funeral Home, Holman's Garage, Uniboard Fostoria, Inc. (2), East of Chicago Pizza, First Federal Bank, AM Vets Post 69 and Alpha Coatings. Several classes of vehicles were awarded and complimentary dash plaques were given to the first 100 registrants. Thank you so much for your support!

The Chamber wishes to thank the following door prize sponsors: Paul Cole Motors, Big Bear Muffler, Wagner Lincoln Mercury Mazda, Carquest Auto Parts, Autozone, Advance Auto Parts, Sky Bank, Beerco, Arnold Vending Company, Trico Glass, Southside Carry Out & Drive-Thru, Fostoria Pantry, The Review Times, Readmore's Hallmark, St. Catherine's Care Center, Jack's Carry Out, Pharm #923, Family Video, The Kroger Company, Pizza Hut, North Towne Motors, Mann-Hare Funeral Home, Graff Automall, Striff



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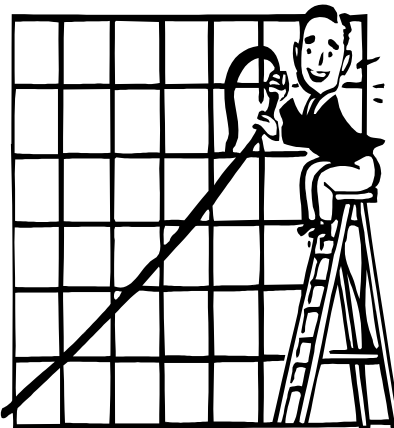
Our thanks to all who supported this event, we look forward to an even bigger and better car show next year.

After several months of planning the Chamber's Car Show Committee, consisting of Mike Holcomb Chairman, Fred DeMars, Robert Feasel, Ron Haynes, Tony Howett, Don Nelson and Beverly Barber, were delighted at the turnout of 120 cars, trucks and motorcycles of various vintages who were proudly displayed "hoods up" at the Fostoria Area Chamber of Commerce's Second Annual Chamber Car Show July 8th.

A beautiful summer evening prevailed as participants arrived from as far away as Mt. Vernon, Richwood, Fremont, Risingsun, Bowling Green, Wayne, Findlay, Bradner, Tiffin, Carey, New Riegel, North Baltimore, Kansas, Republic, Marion, McComb, Greensprings, Forest and Fostoria.

The event was held on Key Bank's Tiffin Street lot. Steinacker and Sons Ace Hardware provided a tent and seating. Program Sponsor for the Event was Fostoria Industries. Cruiser

What's the Benefit of My Chamber Membership?



- ◆ Business Referrals
- ◆ Legislative Affairs Council
- ◆ Worker's Compensation group rating program
- ◆ Member to Member Marketing Program
- ◆ Business Service Center
- ◆ Quarterly Fostoria FYI Newsletters
- ◆ Free Ad Placement in FYI Newsletter *
- ◆ "Chamber Corner" Advertising
- ◆ Free Website Links
- ◆ Community / Chamber Calendar of Events
- ◆ The Ambassadors
- ◆ Promote Fostoria
- ◆ Fostoria First Gift Certificates

The Chamber and Ambassadors
Welcome Businesses at these
Recent Ribbon Cuttings:

Chris Schiefer Insurance
Sterling Store
Custom Corner
D's Body Shop

* Some restrictions apply, call the Chamber office for additional information.

THANKS TO OUR RENEWING MEMBERS (May thru August)

May Renewals: Mennel Milling Company, Mann-Hare Funeral Home, Hancock-Wood Electric Co-op, Heartland Board of Realtors, Peterman & Associates, Davis & Newcomer Elevator, MMC Transport, Class 8 Truck Repair, Better Business Bureau, Yonker's Insurance & Real Estate. Fruth & Company, PLL, Goddard Murphy Company, Time Warner Cable, Geary Family YMCA, Edward Jones (Irwin Agency), WCOS Community Action Commission, Greenbriar Florist & Catering, First Ohio Credit Union, Oberfield Building Materials.

June Renewals: Good Shepherd Home, Seneca Lanes, Sherwin Williams, Kaminsky & Son Jewelers, Commercial Carpet & Tile.

July Renewals: Fostoria Pet Hospital, Time Services, Inc. KeyBank, Fostoria Grain Inspection, Weis & Associates, Steinmetz Accounting Services, Expert Tire, Seneca County Opportunity Center, Ballreich Furniture, Bascom Mutual Telephone Co./Bright.net, Fostoria Elks Lodge #935, Med Center Pharmacy.

August Renewals: Centralized Services, Inc., Judge John Hadacek, Paul Cole Motors, Inc., Caliber Auto Transfer of Ohio, Inc., Financial Design Agency of Ohio, Seneca Millwork, The Fostoria Focus, Roppe Corporation, SBC Ameritech, Readmore's Hallmark, Machine Tool & Fabrication, Wesley Commons, Southside Drive Thru and Carryout, Schreiner Construction, Atty. Robert Burger, Dr. Robert Hadacek, & St. Catherine's Care Center.

Ladies Golf

Eight teams of Ladies gathered at Loudon Meadow Golf Course Tuesday, June 15th for the 4th Annual Ladies Golf Outing. Sunny skies prevailed as the ladies enjoyed a wonderful breakfast provided by Ron Hipsher and The Black Cat. Part of the fun of the morning was the Caddy Auction at which 8 men put their "best assets forward" to become the chosen few, "the caddies" bid upon by the ladies to be the "fourth" in their foursome.

All bets were off as the men offered everything from sweet treats to flowers to make themselves desirable and the first to be chosen. Matt Green of Cameron Fruth & Green brought in a whopping \$105 with his most personable revue in front of the group.

Other caddies including several "first timers" were: Randy Laney – Steinacker's Ace Hardware, Chris Chalfin – Fruth & Company, PLL, Dan Schatzinger – ThyssenKrupp Atlas, Greg Flores -Wils Bar & Billiards, Cory Gregg – Fostoria Fire Dept., Joel Sensening – The Review Times, and Tim Weis of Weis & Associates.

The Ambassadors along with co-chairs Linda Martinez and Susan LaMarche of Sky Bank, coordinated this fun and successful event. The ladies met again at noon after 9 rounds to partake of a delightful lunch again provided by the Black Cat. Awards were handed out to the winning teams with the Weis & Associates Team consisting of Cathy Weis, Harriet Moore, Jill Pixley and Tim Weis taking first place. Loudon Meadows players Nancy Herge, Linda Mauer, Marilyn Hauser and Matt Green wound up in second place and First Ohio Credit Union took third place with their foursome of Patti Essman, Kim Biddle, Jill Auchmuty and Greg Flores. All had a good time, and believe it or not, even the "shyest of men" proclaimed they would do it again next year!

Our thanks to Loudon Meadows for providing a fantastic course, the Ambassadors who put it all together, thanks so much: Cathy Margraf, Amie Hathaway, Jenny Karcher, Jane Frankart, Patti Essman, Susan LaMarche, Linda Martinez and Kim Biddle) all of the fun-loving caddies and ladies who participated, the Black Cat for the delicious meals and all of the great sponsors without whom this event couldn't have been possible. We are hoping to make this a community wide event in the future, so please consider joining us for a fun-filled day next year.

Congratulations Good Shepherd Home on your anniversary celebration and rededication ceremony!



Train Tourism

Please join us for the
3rd Annual Fostoria Railroad Festival:
Saturday, October 9, 2004
from 10 a.m. till 5 p.m.
(Downtown Fostoria)

This year's festival will include some new features and expand on successful events of the past.



Saturday: Potato soup cook-off; historic train information; Bob Lorenz autographing session; Rail Races for adults and youth; organ; Medicine Man show; games for the kids; Lens-Eye View Photo Contest; and Train Swap Meet.

- ◆ The Lens-Eye View Photo Contest has been added to this year's Fostoria Railroad Festival. Deadline for entries is midnight on Thursday, Sept. 30. A panel of professionals will do the judging. Festival Visitors will have the opportunity to vote on the People's Choice award throughout the festival. Winners will be announced at the Festival.
The **Grand Prize winner** will receive **\$200.00, an award certificate and select piece of train memorabilia**; **2nd place** will receive **\$50.00 and piece of train memorabilia**; **3rd place** will receive a piece of **train memorabilia**.
- ◆ A Train Swap Meet will take place during the festival at the Masonic Temple on Tiffin Street. The Swap Meet will allow train enthusiasts to buy and sell memorabilia and items of interest (Tables are \$15 each).
- ◆ Potato Soup Cook-off will be held this year. Be sure to join us and sample the area's best potato soup cook-off. Forms to enter the cook-off are available by calling Ellen Gatrell at (419) 435-1781.
- ◆ Last year's Rail Races will be expanded this year to include Youth teams. Each team is comprised of 2 people who will complete a multi-task race. The winner for each category (Youth and Adult) is the team who completes the race in the least amount of time. Seconds will be added from the final time of each race for incomplete tasks - for example dropping a piece of "coal" will add 5 seconds for each piece of coal dropped. As usual, the exact events during the race will be kept a secret until Race time. However, last year's events included the Coal Toss, the Peddler Pack, Coal Carry, Fostoria Express, Human Train and 3-Legged Race.

Entry forms for the Fostoria Railroad Festival events are available at the Chamber office or can be downloaded from www.VisitFostoria.com

Watch for information on "Chamber Corner" for spotlights on Chamber Businesses and upcoming area events.



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Fostoria, OH
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DeaLynn Keckler
134 E. Tiffin St.
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Frank Kinn

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1312 Stratford
Fostoria, OH
Phone: 419-435-1760
e-mail: FDKIN@aol.com

Membership Matters

Welcome to Tom Walker, new golf pro at the **Fostoria Country Club**, who assumed his duties on March 27th. Tom comes to Fostoria after serving as first assistant and head golf pro at Hickory Hills Golf Club in Grove City, Ohio. He is married and has two daughters.

Pauline Milligan has been appointed to the position of Vice President of Business Development for the **ACI Construction Company** (Formerly Alvada Construction). Pauline received her new position in June and will be responsible for expanding ACI's market penetration in Hancock, Seneca and Wyandot Counties. Welcome Pauline! ACI is also celebrating their 35th year in the construction industry... Happy Birthday ACI—and many more!

Congratulations to Betsy Faeth who was honored as being **Fostoria Community Hospital's** 2004 Nurse of the Year. Betsy is director of OccuHealth South Region and Health and Safety officer. She was chosen by a selection committee of peers and supervisors to receive the Mary Jane Smith Nursing Excellence Award in March.

Kudos to the **Fostoria Community Arts Council and the Glass & Heritage Festival Committee** for a successful Sesquicentennial Glass & Heritage Festival, and for bringing the unique experience of Chautauqua to Fostoria. You folks do an excellent job in bringing art and culture to the Fostoria Community.

The Lunch on the Lawn series held it's last concert for the summer on Wednesday, August 18th on the City Building Lawn. These free to the public performances have been brought to you this summer through the efforts of **the Promote Fostoria Association**, Fostoria Fair Housing, First Federal Bank, Steinacker Ace

Hardware and the Fostoria Area Chamber of Commerce. Hats off to the Promote Fostoria Association who do so much to bring fun family events to Fostoria.

The **Promote Fostoria Association** featured twelve gardens in their summer Garden Tour held on Sunday, June 27th. This most successful event featured all varieties of floral gardens including a "train garden" which brought over 70 visitors to Fostoria from Sandusky, Pennsylvania, Mount Blanchard, Findlay, Arlington, and Genoa to Fostoria. Carol Hall, Garden Tour Coordinator, noted that this was the fifth year for this event and she already has gardens lined up for next summer's tour!

Thank you **Promote Fostoria Association** for providing the new decorative banners seen in Fostoria's Town Center and throughout the community. This group works all year to provide funding for community projects and bringing such fun events as the Community Easter Egg Hunt, Santa's visits and the New Year's baby contest. A special thank you for being the special volunteers that you are!

Happy Birthday to the new **Custom Corner, Ltd.** (formerly the J. Miller Company) who are celebrating their 30th Anniversary this year and have opened fully under their new name. This event was capped off with a ribbon cutting ceremony by the Chamber Ambassadors on Tuesday, August 17th. Congratulations Dana Benoit and the employees of Custom Corner, Ltd.

Bridgett Gamby-Mundy of **Independence House** recently received her license as a nursing home administrator. Bridgett will continue to serve as social services director at Independence House

where she's worked for seven years. Congratulations Bridgett!

G.P. Slammers has spent the summer enjoying their new patio area featuring 12 umbrella-topped tables and adding an additional 50 seats to the local restaurant, drive-thru distributor and bar. Best wishes Gary Hagen with your expansion.

SCORE Counselors to America's Small Business have a new location: Mercy Healthcare Center, Toledo SCORE Chapter 80, 2200 Jefferson Ave., 1st Floor, Toledo, OH 43624. Phone: 419-259-7598 Fax: 419-259-6460 E-mail: Scoretoledo.org

Bill McCallister, Director of the **Geary Family Y.M.C.A.** has a new e-mail address:

bmcallister@gearyfamilyymca.org

Their website is: www.

gearyfamilyymca.org.

Brian C. Feeney is the new manager of our local **Sherwin Williams** store. Brian welcome to Fostoria.

Jeff Bryden of **North Coast Business Journal** reports a new e-mail address jbryden@ncbj.net and his phone number is 419-734-4838.

Mann-Hare Funeral Home notes a new website: www.mann-hare.com

The **Greater Fostoria Community Foundation** reports the deadline of August 31st for fall applications is fast approaching. Grants are awarded only to non-profit charitable organizations, tax exempt under 501 (c) 3 of the Internal Revenue Service. These grants will be awarded in November after the approval of the Board of Trustees. Please contact the GFCF office for more information at 419-435-2823 or stop in at 112 N. Main Street.

The Fostoria Area Chamber of Commerce Launches an Intensive Strategic Planning Process

to unlock the Chamber's future, setting the focus and direction for the next several years.

The Chamber has long recognized the fact that a critical part of the planning process involves its membership. Your voice will help shape the way the Chamber provides you (and the rest of the community)



support, services, and resources. Dr. Donna Brown, president and

founder of Oak Wood Associates, Ltd., facilitated the process and will continue to work with the Chamber to bring the plan to life so we can begin deployment of actions this fall, accomplishing our targeted goal: *Serving the community of Fostoria better.*

**Thank you —
Fostoria Community Hospital for
making your conference room
available for the planning
session.**

Men's Golf Classic: 2004

The Chamber's 27th Annual Golf Classic was held Wednesday, August 18th at the Fostoria Country Club. Honorary Chairman for the event was Frank Kinn; joining him was Dolores M. Also attending were State Representative Jeff Wagner and Findlay's Mayor Tony Iriti. Twenty-five teams matched wits and skills to provide a fun and enjoyable day on the links. This was the largest drawing of players in the Chamber's history. First place winner (by club rules) with a game of 57 were: The First Ohio Credit Union team consisting of Jason Parkins, Sean Swisher, Rich Focht and Mike Natazshak. Second place (also with a score of 57) was Loudon Meadows foursome - Keith Scaife, Todd Boes, Tony Swangan and Nick Frankart. Snyder Environmental (Jason Miller, Mike Rietzke, Ryan Freshour and Cory Freshour) came in 3rd.

Other Winners:

LaVerne Anderson - Longest Drive / Women's Division
Matt Green, Cameron Fruth & Green Agency—Longest Drive / Men's Contest
Bob Holderman, Centra-Comm Communications—Closest to the Pin 2nd Shot
Ed Ingold, Findlay—The Marshmallow Drive
Bob Dowling, Whitta Consturction—Longest Putt

Oops! In our golf program, we omitted Good Shepherd as a special event sponsor. Our apologies to Chris Widman and his staff!

A hospitality tent, compliments of KeyBank, Fostoria Industries and Steinacker and Son Ace Hardware, provided snacks and beverages throughout the day. A New Holland Grill representative was on hand to grill on one of the three grills represented for the Raffle Drawing. Grills and tent provided by Steinacker's. An excited Cathy Margraf of Old Fort Bank was the grill winner! The 2nd prize, Stihl Chainsaw provided by Kuhn's Sales and Service was won by Bill Tout. Third place winner of two team jackets from Custom Corner Ltd., was Don Gillett. Larry Dunlap of Fostoria Industries was delighted to win the 50/50 Drawing.

Thanks to the following who helped make this our largest, most successful annual fundraising event for the Fostoria Chamber:

The Golf Committee of Chris Chalfin, Matt Green, Penny Gregg and Teri Wise who were a wealth of knowledge and advisement; with special thanks going to Teri Wise for producing the programs.

The Ambassadors for providing invaluable assistance at the registration and ticket tables, manning the holes and general maintenance for the event. Thank you Amie Hathaway, Jane Frankart, Jenny Karcher, Cathy Margraf, Penny Gregg, Duane Alt, Tammi Garrett, Bridgett-Gamby-Mundy. We couldn't have done it without you! A special thank you to Jenny Karcher and Perry Corporation for copying our programs.

To **our Chamber Board Members** who helped— THANK YOU—We really appreciate your support!

A huge thanks to **Hitchings Insurance** who sponsored the \$5000 Savings Bond for a hole-in-one contest, the four local car dealers (Graff Automall, Paul Cole Motors, Reineke Ford and Wagner Lincoln Mercury Mazda) for supplying the cars for the hole-in-one contest. To all who provided hole-in-one, hole/tee and/or cart sponsorships, provided prizes and goodie bag items—you have our heartfelt thanks. The Chamber membership has a wonderful asset in those that so frequently support and participate in our programs and events. Your support is what keeps us going—day to day, year to year. **We're here to help you grow..... But it's a mutual partnership!**

And last but not least, a *big thank you too the Fostoria Country Club* for providing excellent service and warm hospitality to our membership and guests. You folks all did an excellent job in feeding us and providing for our needs. Thanks for a job well done!



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Bulletin Board:

- Wed., Sept. 3** **Promote Fostoria**
Chamber office
8:00 a.m.
- Mon., Sept. 6** **CHAMBER CLOSED**
In Observance of Labor Day
- Thurs., Sept. 9** **Train Tourism Focus Group**
Holiday Inn Express
8:30 a.m.
- Tues., Sept. 14** **Fostoria Area Visitors Bureau**
Holiday Inn Express
8:00 a.m.
- Thurs., Sept. 16** **FEDC Board Meeting**
FEDC / FACC Conference Room
8:00 a.m.
- Wed., Sept. 22** **Chamber Executive Committee**
Fostoria Community Hospital
12:00 noon
- Thurs., Sept. 23** **Train Tourism Focus Group**
Holiday Inn Express
8:30 a.m.
- Wed., Sept. 29** **Chamber Board Meeting**
Fostoria Community Hospital
12:00 noon
- Sat., Oct. 9** **Rail Fest: 2004**
Fostoria Town Center
11:00 a.m. – 6 p.m.
- Wed., Oct. 20** **Chamber Executive Meeting**
Chamber office
12:00 noon
- Thurs., Oct. 21** **FEDC Board Meeting**
FEDC / FACC Conference Room
8:00 a.m.
- Thurs., Oct. 21** **Chamber Ambassadors Scavenger Hunt**
Time: TBA
Reception & Prize/Awards following at the Review Times.
- Wed., Oct. 27** **Chamber Board Meeting**
Fostoria Community Hospital
12:00 noon

Watch for
additional
information on
the Fostoria
Rail Festival -
Oct. 9th.

-Also-
Coming Soon:
Your
Chamber's
Website takes
on a fresh
new look!

Area Economic Indicators

Construction Permits:	July		
<i>Residential</i>	0	<i>Remodels:</i>	2
<i>Business</i>	1		
City Income Tax Receipts	\$415,257.22		
County Sales Tax Receipts		Hancock	Seneca Wood
	552,426.63	595,693.29	1,241,677.56
County Employment Statistics:	June		
<i>Labor Force</i>	43,500	29,200	66,100
<i>Employment</i>	41,600	27,100	62,500
<i>Unemployment</i>	1,900	2,200	3,600
Unemployment Rates:			
	4.30%	7.4%	5.5%
Real Estate	Current Month		
<i>Active Listings</i>	131		
<i>New Listings</i>	40		
<i>Homes Sold</i>	18		
<i>Average Price of Homes Sold</i>	\$104,469		