Utica Industrial Development Agency 2018 Operations and Accomplishments

Operations:

Maintained conformity to PAAA – updated website, implemented needed reports Continued to engage local business owners and developers as to expansion possibilities and new construction opportunities

Accomplishments:

Assisted the following business with expansions utilizing IDA benefits:

Livingston Street Capital

Livingston Street Capital purchased the Schuyler Commons/Colonial Square Associates project including land, buildings and operations. Livingston will continue to operate facility as originally conceived.

Utica Property Development, LLC

UPD has contracted with Utica College and BBL Builders to construct a four building, 144 unit dormitory complex for excelling students. The project takes otherwise tax-exempt property on the campus and places it on the tax rolls. Project costs exceed \$13M and two FTE jobs will be created.

Uniform Tax Exemption Policy

The UTEP is being revised to reflect the number of new project types being developed in the City of Utica. Housing projects ranging from affordable housing to mixed-use/loft style apartments to market-rate housing in the form of garden apartments and townhouses are being developed throughout the City due to Nano-Utica and the potential for a hospital to be constructed downtown. Other areas of the UTEP will also be revised as to PILOT structures.

Application

Reviewed and revised IDA application to conform to best practices and expand scope of needed information.