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TOWN OF UNION ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES “SMALL BUSINESS GRANT ACCESS PROGRAM (GAP)” TO BENEFIT START-UP & ESTABLISHED BUSINESSES

(Endwell, NY) The Town of Union Economic Development Office announces the creation and implementation of a new competitive grant (non-repayment funding) program – the ‘Small Business Grant Access Program (GAP)’ – to help start-up and established businesses throughout the Town of Union, which includes the villages of Endicott and Johnson City. The program funding can be used on a stand alone basis or supplemental with other loan proceeds.

The ‘Small Business Grant Access Program’ is a funding initiative that encourages expansion and retention of for-profit start-up and existing businesses with five or fewer employees. The GAP is designed to provide Town of Union businesses with further opportunities for growth and expansion.

Businesses desiring to participate in the grant program should visit the Town of Union Economic Development Department web page at <https://www.townofunion.com/departments/economic-development/low-interest-loan-programs.html>. Applicants must first complete and return a Small Business Grant Access Program “Intent to Apply” Form to the Economic Development Department by the deadline of July 1, 2019. The form is listed on the web page under Economic Development Low Interest Loan Programs (GAP). Specifics about the amount of grant funding awards can be found on the web page.

In discussing the program, Director Moody said, “We’re excited to offer this initiative to Town of Union businesses. As a competitive pilot grant program, the ‘Small Business Grant Access Program (GAP)’ will compliment other Local Development Corporation loan programs.”

For further details and information about the ‘Small Business Grant Access Program (GAP),’ please contact Town of Union Economic Development Director Joseph Moody at (607) 786-2945.

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