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Make it Macomb
A MESSAGE FROM MACOMB COUNTY EXECUTIVE MARK A. HACKEL

Integrally connected to the greater Detroit region, Macomb County is a top choice for business expansion.

Our 27 communities are business-friendly, development-ready and safe – all factors that help to keep costs low.

New policies and programs make now an especially good time to invest in Macomb County. Michigan’s 6 percent flat corporate income tax is among the lowest in the nation and ranks in the top 15 overall. Michigan has ranked in the top seven states for new investment for the last three years.

Serviced by DTE Energy, Consumers Energy, SEMCO and a network of telecommunications providers.

For help with your business expansion projects, contact Macomb County Planning and Economic Development at (+1) 586-469-5285.

“Resilient, adaptable and capable, you will find a workforce of more than 430,000 residents who are ready to fill your talent needs.”
— Mark A. Hackel

LOCATION ADVANTAGE

Bordering the city of Detroit in southeast Michigan, Macomb County is conveniently within 500 miles of half the population of the U.S. and Canada.

Infrastructure here is reliable, safe and efficient.

Centrally positioned between three international crossings to Canada where more than $250 billion in trade crosses annually.

70 miles of rail corridor.

Interstate 94 (I-94) runs along the eastern border of the county leading to the Blue Water Bridge to Canada and the I-69 International Trade Corridor in one direction and Chicago in the other.

I-696 crosses the southern portion of the county providing a vital link between I-94 and I-75.

Connected to the Great Lakes where thousands of vessels from more than 50 countries transfer bulk cargo and manufactured goods in and out of the United States each year.

A network of state of Michigan highways, including M-53, M-59, M-97, M-3, M-19, M-102 and M-29, helps provide important regional transportation linkages. Home to two International Trade Zones, minutes from the Detroit Port Authority.

Less than an hour’s drive from world-class Detroit Metropolitan Airport (DTW) where more than 600 flights depart daily to 150 destinations across the globe.

Macomb County Communications & Technology Center (COMTEC) is the hub for a countywide Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) communications network of advanced traffic signal systems and cameras that are capable of real-time monitoring of traffic flow, signal operations and special event traffic coordination.
More than 430,000 residents are in the workforce, with 2 million more throughout the region.

Michigan ranks first in the nation: Electric, mechanical and industrial engineers.

Overall, the region’s high-tech workforce ranks third in the nation for the number of engineers (87,000), research & development specialists (70,000) and journeyed skilled tradespeople (75,000).

Nearly 60 percent of Macomb County residents over the age of 25 have some college education; 22 percent have a bachelor’s degree or higher.

Michigan colleges produce more than 62,000 graduates in a full range of disciplines each year.
General Motors - $1 billion and 2,600 new jobs for its Technical Center in Warren including new design studios, renovated labs, an IT Center and additional testing facilities at its Advanced Energy Center.

Portugal-based Sodecia, a global Tier I supplier of chassis, powertrain and “body in white” commodities - $84 million and 300 new jobs to develop its North American headquarters in Center Line.

UK-based Cosworth, high performance automotive engineering and manufacturing group - $30 million and 50 new jobs in Shelby Township.

Transform Automotive LLC, manufacturer of precision powertrain and engine components as well as tool and die equipment - $28 million and 135 new jobs.

Paslin, robotic assembly line designer, assembler and integrator - $22 million and 225 new jobs.

Art Van Furniture, a family-owned retailer with 39 stores in four states - $18 million and 166 new jobs for their headquarters in Warren.

Germany-based KUKA Systems North America, manufacturer of automated systems and assemblies for the automotive, aerospace and alternative energy industries - $10 million and 100 new jobs in Clinton Township.

Global Tooling Systems, key supplier of aerospace assembly tools and tooling designs - $3.6 million and 70 new jobs in Macomb Township.
Approximately 3,400 businesses in Macomb are certified minority- and/or woman-owned.

- In 2014, Macomb’s GDP was $38.6 billion.
- More than 70 firms with headquarters outside the U.S. have operations in Macomb County.
- As of June 2016, at least 9 million square feet of industrial space was available in the county as well as an estimated 2.2 million square feet of office space.

**TOP Establishments**

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**TOP Employers**

- General Motors
- U.S. Army TACOM Life Cycle Management Command
- Fiat Chrysler America
- Ford Motor Company
- St. John Providence Health System
- General Dynamics Land Systems
- McLaren Macomb Health Care
- Faurecia North America
- Johnson Controls
Advanced Manufacturing

MACOMB COUNTY BY THE NUMBERS

With more than 1,600 manufacturers in Macomb County, the industry accounts for more than 1 out of every 4 jobs in Macomb County.

$13 billion
Annual economic impact

3rd
In the nation for growth in manufacturing

285
Tool and die makers in Macomb County

TOOL & DIE Capital of the World

A critical stage for manufacturing of all types, Michigan has more toolmakers than any other state.

Macomb Community College received a federal grant to produce 300 apprentices in the industry over the next five years.

Statewide, there are more than 200,000 journeyed skilled tradespeople in the workforce.

Fabricated Metal Product Manufacturing 497
Machinery Manufacturing 419
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing 150
Miscellaneous Manufacturing 102
Printing and Related Support Activities 72
Plastics and Rubber Products Manufacturing 63

Food Manufacturing 47
Computer and Electronic Product Manufacturing 45
Furniture and Related Product Manufacturing 37
Primary Metal Manufacturing 33
Nonmetallic Mineral Product Manufacturing 28

Electrical Equipment, Appliance and Component Manufacturing 25
Chemical Manufacturing 24
Textile Product Mills 21
Paper Manufacturing 17
Wood Product Manufacturing 16

Apparel Manufacturing 13
Beverage and Tobacco Product Manufacturing 8
Petroleum and Coal Products Manufacturing 3
Textile Mills 3
Leather and Allied Product Manufacturing 2
Companies connected to the automotive industry have invested more than $6.7 billion in Macomb County since 2010.

Michigan is No. 1 in automotive R&D where more than 75 percent of nationwide spending occurs in 370 centers across the state.

U.S. automakers FCA, GM and Ford operate 10 facilities in Macomb County covering more than 25 million square feet and employing nearly 39,000 people.

- Technical Center
- Warren Transmission
- Sterling Heights Assembly Plant
- Warren Truck
- Sterling Stamping
- Warren Stamping
- Sterling Axle
- Van Dyke Transmission
- Romeo Proving Grounds
- Romeo Engine Plant

Michigan is No. 1 in the nation for new automotive-related jobs with a growth of more than 200,000 over the past five years.

Michigan builds more cars than any other state with 19 percent of all vehicles produced here.

(Michigan Automotive & Defense Cyber Assurance Team), based in Macomb County, was formed to establish a cybersecurity center of excellence and attract businesses and institutions that support the development, growth and retention of our talent pool.
Macomb County companies design, build and integrate the machinery that makes advanced manufacturing possible.

**INDUSTRY Leaders**
- KUKA Robotics
- KUKA Systems
- Fori Automation
- MAG Automotive
- Paslin
Competencies in automotive translate to an ability to serve the global aerospace industry. Macomb County companies fulfill engineering, tool and die and advanced manufacturing needs for Boeing, Lockheed Martin, Northrup Grumman and NASA.

**Aerospace**

**INDUSTRY Leaders**

- Advanced Integrated Tooling Systems
- Baker Industries
- BMT Aerospace USA
- Futuramic Tool & Engineering
- Gentz Industries
- Schwab Industries
- Triumph Gear Systems
- Models & Tools
Macomb County companies are awarded up to 63 percent of all defense contracts in Michigan.

TARDEC, the Department of Defense’s leading laboratory for research and development of advanced military vehicle technologies.

Selfridge Air National Guard Base is home to all five branches of the U.S. military.

General Dynamics Land Systems (GDLS), a world leader in the design and manufacturing of ground vehicles, employs more than 2,000 here. GDLS was awarded nearly $1.8 billion in contracts during 2013.

BAE Systems was recently awarded a second phase engineering contract for the Bradley Fighting Vehicle which has a value expected to reach $234 million by its final delivery in mid-2017.

Michigan Economic Development Corporation’s Defense Center, offering assistance and support, is located in the heart of Macomb County’s defense corridor.
Agriculture & Food Production

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Macomb County is home to more than 500 operating farms. More than 20 percent of land in Macomb County is actively farmed.

$73.2 million
The market value of products grown in Macomb County in 2012.

TOP FOOD producers
With access to fresh products and support from the manufacturing industry, top food producers in Macomb County include:

- Achatz Handmade Pie Company
- Alexander and Hornung Inc.
- Bosco’s Pizza
- Everfresh Beverages
- Sanders and Morley Candy Makers
- National Coney Island
- Safie Specialty Foods
- Winter’s Sausage Company

Blue Economy

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Home to Lake St. Clair — the “heart” of the Great Lakes.

Proclaimed “the best smallmouth bass fishery on the planet” by Bassmaster superstar Kevin VanDamm, Lake St. Clair attracts anglers from across the state and beyond.

Resting on 32 Miles of Lake St. Clair shoreline and with four glorious seasons, the lake and her tributaries offer year-round opportunities to enjoy the out-of-doors.

Macomb County is home to more than 500 operating farms. More than 20 percent of land in Macomb County is actively farmed.
A coordinated Career and Technical Education system equips students for careers in high-demand fields through more than 200 programs offered at 32 facilities throughout the county. Approximately 14,000 students are enrolled in programs ranging from emergency medical services to automotive technology, law enforcement, culinary arts, manufacturing and others each year.

21 public school districts serve 128,000 students throughout the county.

Macomb Community College was one of the first in the nation to pilot a University Center program where degrees from top Michigan colleges and universities are earned in satellite classrooms. Macomb residents can choose from more than 70 disciplines offered by:

- Central Michigan University
- Ferris State University
- Michigan State University – College of Osteopathic Medicine
- Northern Michigan University
- Oakland University
- Walsh College
- Wayne State University
- And others.

More than 50,000 students enroll each year at Macomb Community College, a national leader in workforce training.
Consistently one of Michigan's fastest growing counties, more than 8,600 new housing permits since 2011.

Population – 865,570
Median age – 39

Age breakdown

- 26% Under 19
- 42% Age 35-64
- 18% Age 20-34
- 14% Over 65

More than 1 out of every 10 residents was born outside the United States.

Households – 343,177
Average household size – 2.5

71 percent of homes in Macomb County are owner occupied.

Resident employment – 320,189

Median household income – $53,996
Median housing value – $157,000
Mean travel time to work – 26.2 minutes
Macomb is Michigan’s third most populated county. An average of 13 new residents make Macomb their home each day.

From neighborhood playgrounds to expansive parkland, there are more than 180 parks covering 17,500 acres of recreational land in Macomb County.

Quality of Life

Home to three regional parks
- Stony Creek
- Wolcott Mill
- Lake St. Clair Metro Park
As well as Michigan’s 900-acre Wetzel Recreation Area

Six public beaches

More than 30 spectacular golf courses

Macomb County has 155 miles of interconnected trails including the 24-mile Macomb Orchard Trail.

Top-name entertainers grace local venues like the Macomb Center for the Performing Arts, Freedom Hill Amphitheater and Andiamo Showroom.

Numerous breweries and wineries, including stops along the Thumbs Up Wine Trail.

Annual community celebrations include Sprint and Splash, Armada Fair, MI Peach Festival, Richmond Good Old Days, Stars and Stripes Festival, Gratiot Cruise, Sterling Festival and more.

More than 1,340 restaurants offer a tantalizing array of tastes that complement our rich ethnic diversity.

From boutique to big box, opportunities for retail therapy abound. There are 2,400 retail establishments in Macomb.

Brand-new Jimmy John’s Field is home to the United Shore Professional Baseball League where three teams compete in a premier $15 million ballpark.

The impressive facility will be available for other events in between seasons.

Health care services in Macomb County include three general hospitals with a capacity of approximately 1,100 beds to serve the area.

- Henry Ford Health System operates the Henry Ford Macomb Hospital in Clinton Township. Specialty services include a Heart & Vascular Institute, offering highly specialized robotic cardiac surgery; the Josephine Ford Cancer Institute; women’s and children’s services; orthopedics; and neurosciences. The hospital also has a 42-bed inpatient rehabilitation program, an ambulatory and minimally invasive surgery center and leading diagnostic imaging.

- McLaren Macomb Hospital in Mount Clemens offers several well-regarded specialty centers within the hospital. Prominent among them are the Mat Gaberty Heart Center and the Ted B. Wahby Cancer Center, both of which offer comprehensive diagnostic and surgical services.

- St. John Providence Health System has established Centers of Excellence for a wide range of in-patient and outpatient services at St. John Macomb-Oakland Hospital, Macomb Center in Warren. These include behavioral medicine services, cancer care, cardiology services, an emergency center, physical medicine and rehabilitation services, surgical services, women’s health services and the state-of-the-art Webber Cancer Center.
MACOMB COUNTY, MICHIGAN

With more than 865,000 residents, Macomb County is one of Michigan’s most densely populated areas. Located in greater Detroit, there are nearly 17,000 businesses that employ more than 377,000 individuals.

With an industrial base built on more than 100 years of creating the evolution of the automotive industry, companies have expanded to serve many industries. Here, you will find an unparalleled supply chain, exceptional workforce and modern infrastructure.

Add safe communities, excellent schools, outstanding health care and four glorious seasons to enjoy, and it becomes easy to see that Macomb County offers an amazing quality of life that only Pure Michigan can provide.

MACOMB COUNTY BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

The Macomb County Department of Planning and Economic Development serves as the county’s premier agency for advancing business growth. Our seasoned staff of business development specialists stands ready to meet the evolving needs of the industry. With an exclusive blend of knowledge, resources and skill, our primary goal is to foster economic growth within our expansive regional network. We aim to tailor an assistance program to meet your company’s unique needs.

RESOURCE LIAISON FOR COMPANIES OF ALL SIZES:

• Site selection
• Access to development incentives
• Workforce recruitment and training services
• Guidance for moving through local and state permitting
• Introductions to a vast supplier network of “cradle to grave” suppliers that only the Motor City can deliver
• Market research including deep demographics, workforce capacity and infrastructure support
• Access to financing options including venture capital, low-interest redevelopment loans and other government programs

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