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## **Saratoga Economic Development Corporation Announces New Board of Governors**

(Saratoga Springs) – The Saratoga Economic Development Corporation is pleased to announce the creation and implementation of its new Board of Governors. By unanimous vote of its Board of Directors, SEDC has created an advisory board consisting of 45 members across multiple industries which it will rely on and engage with to tackle the economic development matters at hand in Saratoga County.

This new advisory group will meet quarterly with the Board of Directors and SEDC staff and be briefed on specific economic development challenges and discuss ways their talents and expertise may be enlisted to address these challenges. Please find below a comprehensive list of all members that have been approved by vote to the SEDC Board of Governors.

Mark Baker, Saratoga Springs City Center  
Megan Bast, Bast Hatfield Construction  
John Bove, G.A. Bove Fuel Inc.  
Dan Burke, NBT Bank  
Robert Camoin, Camoin Associates  
Brian Carmer, Stonebridge Iron & Steel  
Bryant Casella, Key Bank  
Sue Commanda, Hudson River Community Credit Union  
Barb Corsale, Mechanicville/Stillwater IDA  
Gary Dake, Stewart's Shops  
Chris Dowd, Ballston Spa National Bank  
Kris Duffy, SUNY-Adirondack  
Robert Feldman, Logistics One  
Steve Ferraro, SAX/BST  
Richard Ferguson, Saratoga National Bank  
Fil Fina, Aztech Technologies  
Bill Flaherty, National Grid  
Peter Fort, Clifton Park IDA  
Dan Frankowski, Quad/Graphics  
Todd Garofano, Saratoga Convention & Tourism Bureau  
Ed Garrigan, C.T. Male Associates  
Raj Ghoshal, Polyset Co.

Jim Harris, Jr., Janitronics Facility Services  
Brien Hollowood, Unlimited Potential Inc.  
Mike Ingersoll, The LA Group  
Dave Jersen, Jersen Construction Group  
Erinn Kolligan, Dennis Land Development  
Doug Leavens, WSWHE BOCES  
Scott Martel, Plumbers & Steamfitters Local 773  
Drew Matanok, Hudson Valley Community College  
Terry Middleton, Millwrights Local 1163  
Valerie Muratori, Saratoga Bridges  
Steve Obermayer, BBL Construction Services, LLC  
Brian Osterhout, MJ Engineering and Land Surveying  
Frank Parillo, Saratoga Prime Properties  
Mike Phinney, Phinney Design Group  
Guy Prenevost, Cascade Tissue Group  
Steve Rowland, Butler Rowland Mays Architects, LLP  
Jim Salmon, New York State Electric and Gas Corp.  
Tom Savino, CBRE-Albany  
Theresa Skaine, Lemery Greisler, LLC  
Jason Tommell, Tommell & Associates  
James Valachovic, Richmor Aviation Inc.  
Alan Winslow, Espey Mfg. & Electronics Corp.

SEDC Board of Directors

Tom Longe, D.A. Collins Construction Co., *Chair*

Cindy Hollowood, Holiday Inn, Saratoga Springs, *Vice Chair*

Steve Seaboyer, Business Operations & Succession Consultant, *Secretary /Treasurer*

Todd Shimkus, Saratoga County Chamber of Commerce

Angelo Calbone, Saratoga Hospital

Joe Dragone, Ballston Spa Central School District

John Munter, Munter Enterprises

Steve von Schenk, Adirondack Trust Company

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About Saratoga Economic Development Corporation

The Saratoga Economic Development Corporation (SEDC) is a private sector, non-profit consulting firm, established in 1978, that works to retain existing businesses while creating new jobs in Saratoga County, New York. SEDC is the central point of contact for business development in Saratoga County and its mission is to create jobs and diversify the tax base while improving the quality of life for county residents. SEDC accomplishes this through the retention of existing business, attraction of new industry, and improvement of Saratoga County. Over the past 35 years, SEDC was instrumental in the attraction of major employers like Ball Metal Container, QUAD/Graphics, State Farm Insurance, Target and Ace Hardware distribution warehouses and more recently, the development of the Luther Forest Technology Campus (LFTC) and the attraction of GlobalFoundries. SEDC has worked to bring over 17,000 jobs to Saratoga County, over \$10 billion in capital investment which has brought more than \$2.1 billion in new assessment to the Saratoga County real property tax rolls and added \$34 million per year in county, school and local taxes. For more information visit our Web site:

[www.saratogaedc.com](http://www.saratogaedc.com).