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GET OUT AND VOTE

by Della Schmidt

Election Day is Tuesday, November 7. Are you ready to vote? Every election is important, and this year is no different. With contested seats for Burlington City Council, local school boards, and other municipalities, it is important for

Greater Burlington residents to engage concerning the local races. The leaders elected to local positions will end up making decisions that will impact the business environment and will affect the everyday life of Greater Burlington citizens in the coming years. Taxes, jobs, healthcare, safety, local economy, and community infrastructure are all impacted by locally elected officials.

Visit the website at GreaterBurlington.com to view Candidate Debates. For more Get Out the Vote resources, the Iowa Secretary of State has an excellent website at voterready.iowa.gov. Residents will also find helpful resources on the Des Moines County election site DMCountyElections.iowa.gov.

Are you ready to vote?

Three Simple Steps:

- Register to Vote. You can do this online, through the mail, or at the polls on Election Day.
- Choose your preferred method of voting, absentee or at the polls. County Auditors will open for in-person absentee voting and can begin mailing ballots on Monday.
- Voting Polls will be open on Tuesday, November 7 from 7 AM - 8 PM
- Remember to bring your ID (Iowa Driver's License, current US Passport, US Military ID, Iowa Voter ID card, Tribal ID card)

Important Dates:

- October 18 - first day for Absentee Voting
- October 22 - deadline to request an Absentee Ballot be mailed to home address
- Monday, November 6 - deadline for Absentee Ballots to be received
- Tuesday, November 7 - General Election Day, vote in person at the polls

Every vote matters. Make yours count. Polls are open 7 AM - 8 PM.

#GOVOTE!



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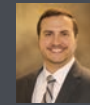
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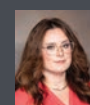
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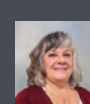
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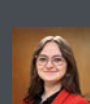
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The Greater Burlington area has a long and rich history of manufacturing the items that keep our economy moving. October is the month set aside to recognize and celebrate the great men and women who make it happen. For example, the dedication and hard work of thousands who produced the munitions that helped us win World War II happened right here in Des Moines County. On the cover is another local company with a long history of making things possible for us to grow and thrive. Ideal Ready Mix has poured the foundations of our homes, and the footings for manufacturing facilities all across our state. Their work makes it possible for us to get the items produced in Greater Burlington out to the world. We celebrate and give thanks for the investment all our manufacturers have made in our communities, and welcome new ones who provide the jobs that make Greater Burlington a manufacturing center for years to come.

*Recognized as Manufacture of the Year in 2022.

ON THE COVER

National Manufacturing Month

MEET THE PARTNERSHIP TEAM



AMY MOYNER

AMY MOYNER, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR DOWNTOWN PARTNERS, INC.

What do you do? I am the director of Downtown Partners, Inc. Besides working with the amazing volunteers to bring events like A Very Vintage Market, Sip, Taste and Stroll, Farmers Markets, and the Lighted Holiday Parade to the Downtown, I also match entrepreneurs with buildings. I recruit business owners to find Downtown Burlington as their new home and work with investors on building renovations and grants to rehab and renovate the historic structures.

What do you enjoy about working at the Partnership? I love meeting community members and helping them follow their dreams of owning a business. One of my favorite things about working at the Partnership and working for Downtown is creating experiences, moments and memories that last a lifetime and will hopefully bring people back to Burlington or keep them from leaving.

What do you love about Greater Burlington? Growing up in Burlington, then leaving to go to a big city and coming back, I absolutely love the character and charm our community has to offer. I love how connected and caring this community is. Greater Burlington is the gem of the Midwest. We have amazing food options, unique shops, and stunning views.

Share a hobby/interest or fun fact about yourself: Outside of work, I enjoy spending time with my family. We love to take weekend trips and have staycations around the area to experience everything our region has to offer. I love to challenge myself with new recipes and try to master my favorite dishes.



MARY BETH SANCHEZ

MARY BETH SANCHEZ, DIRECTOR OF FINANCE

What do you do? As the Director of Finance, I oversee the finances, input data into our accounting software and prepare financials for seven organizations. I also oversee all Payroll/HR and banking activities.

What do you enjoy about working at the Partnership? Coming from a 40-year background of running a family Technology Company that was a Chamber member, it has been very interesting to learn all things GBP does and how they do it. All the staff here work very hard to support the Greater Burlington region in all ways possible and make a lot of fantastic things happen that would not happen without their efforts.

What do you love about Greater Burlington? I've come to appreciate the team here at GBP. They truly care about the people and their respective businesses of our communities. Our Downtown is rocking it bigtime, our sports facilities are busy hosting tournaments and that is going to grow even more with the Courts coming. Riverboat cruises with people coming into town and raving about our community, manufacturing/government investing in our region and bringing in better paying jobs. I could go on and on about all the positive things that makes the Greater Burlington area a great place to live and raise a family.

Share a hobby/interest or fun fact about yourself: Spending time with my family, I have four children and one Grandson – making memories with them is priceless to me. I also compete with my Labs in agility and dock diving to keep myself in shape and busy.

MAC HOLFORD, EVENTS MANAGER | YOUNG PROFESSIONALS DIRECTOR

What do you do? I plan the formal Chamber functions such as the Annual Dinner, Manufacturers Luncheon, Holiday Showcase, and Small Business Breakfast. Additionally, I'm in charge of planning and hosting 17+ unique Young Professionals events per year, which has been such a fun journey. A large part of my job is making each event feel unique by creating a vision that ensures a theme, good atmosphere, and overall success.

What do you enjoy about working at the Partnership? I love creating events that really 'wow' our members. Whether it's a formal dinner, an award ceremony, or social function, it's truly an honor to be able to plan events that recognize award winners, connect our members, and celebrate all of the awesome things that make Greater Burlington...well, great.

What do you love about Greater Burlington? Greater Burlington is the first place I've ever visited that felt like home. When my husband and I arrived two years ago to check out a career opportunity for him we were astonished by how quaint the town is and how charming the people are.

Share a hobby/interest or fun fact about yourself: I'm actually an Art Major and spend most of my free time creating digital art or crafting. While acrylic paint was my preferred medium through school, I've become enthralled with digital art and am often drawing whimsical scenes and sci-fi fanart.



MAC HOLFORD



Transfer VR 2.0 Pilot in Des Moines County Schools

The Greater Burlington Partnership is piloting the new Transfer Virtual Reality 2.0 Career Exploration modules this fall in Des Moines County School classrooms. The new version of these modules offers dozens of significantly shorter simulated experiences, making it easier to bring into classrooms, and take students through real-life work scenarios.

The modules bring engaging job shadowing experiences to students. For example, students can learn how to:

- Weld on the job
- Assist as a Surgical Technologist during a surgery
- Provide patient care as a Registered Nurse
- Install solar panels as a Solar Panel Technician

These new modules are realistic and engaging, apply to scenarios in the workplace, and teach new skills and information to users about in-demand jobs. The students who will be participating in these career exploration activities are 8th graders and high school Career and Technical Education students to help them develop foundational skills for employment. The Greater Burlington Partnership's goal for this project is to increase student interest in Career and Technical Education programs in Des Moines County Schools as well as helping students become proficient in essential skills for employment. To learn more about Transfer, visit Transfrinc.com.

For more information contact Telisha Fedele, tfedele@greaterburlington.com.

SAVE THE DATE: 5th and 8th Grade Career Fairs, December 18 and 19 at Southeastern Community College.



Teachers Appreciation Reception was a Success!



Thank you to Premier sponsor:



Platinum sponsors: **Buena Vista University and KimAnne Photography**

SAVE the DATE!

Greater Burlington Partnership will host the 5th and 8th grade career fair at Southeastern Community College on December 18 and 19.

To become a speaker at this event, contact Telisha Fedele.



Meet the keynote speaker, Hank Norem
Romco Innovations' Chief Executive Officer.

Join the celebration for all things
manufacturing and celebrate the winner
of the 2023 Manufacturer of the Year!

FREE for Chamber Members, RSVP Required

2023

MANUFACTURERS APPRECIATION LUNCHEON

OCTOBER 6



You're Invited to the Manufacturers Appreciation Luncheon

October 6 | 11 AM - 1 PM | Doors open 11 AM | Lunch served 11:30 AM

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Enjoy a beverage, light hors d'oeuvres, door prizes, and a chance
to network with fellow Chamber of Commerce members.



GROW YOUR EVENT IN 2024

For fifteen years, the Convention & Visitor Bureau Community Event Funding grant has offered event organizers who bring visitors to Greater Burlington the support they need to grow their events. For 2024, the name of the grant is changing to reflect this singular purpose.

Applications for the new Grow Your Event grant are now being accepted!

Since 2008, this grant has awarded over \$300,000 for events in Des Moines County. In 2023 alone, events supported by the grant attracted more than 20,000 attendees to the area. Organizers interested in creating a new event or enhancing an existing event are encouraged to apply.

To qualify, events must:

- Be hosted in Des Moines County and attract tourists from outside a 50-mile radius
- Occur between January 1 and December 31, 2024
- Be able to demonstrate economic impact, including the number of hotel stays generated

Applications are available online at:

GreaterBurlington.com/convention-and-visitors-bureau/host-an-event/cvb-grants

The deadline to apply is October 31, 2023. Email completed applications to cgram@greaterburlington.com.
Have questions? Email Chris Gram, or call (319) 208-0045.



DOWNTOWN PARTNERS, INC. FUNDRAISER Campaign

Downtown Partners, Inc. (DPI) is launching a Fundraiser Campaign. The campaign is a fun way to support Downtown Burlington!

The new Streetscape project means new Downtown décor is needed, so all donations will be going towards new holiday decorations. The first 50 Investors who donate \$100+ will receive two (2) V.I.P. second-story indoor seats at The Busted Cup Brewhouse at the 2023 Lighted Holiday Parade on November 25, as a special donor THANK YOU from Downtown Partners, Inc. The V.I.P. section includes a free drink, light appetizers, and a warm, dry spot to watch the 2023 Lighted Holiday Parade. Plus, be the first to experience the new location!

For more information, please visit Downtown Burlington Iowa Facebook page, reach out to a board member or contact Amy Moyner at 319-208-0056 or amoyner@greaterburlington.com.

Downtown Partners, Inc. works hard to present special events, encourage building and business improvement, and beautify the city center. We hope you will show your support for our activities by contributing at a level that is meaningful to you. The proceeds of this campaign will go towards new holiday decorations in the Downtown!



Thank you to
The Busted Cup Brewhouse
sponsor of the V.I.P. section.



"Grow with Google Workshops"

LINDSEY NEWLAND

Workshop - October 10 beginning at 8:30 AM, Greater Burlington Partnership

Are you a business owner, entrepreneur, or someone who is interested in starting a business? This FREE all-day workshop is for you! Registration is required. Greater Burlington Partnership and Grow with Google have teamed up to bring you a learning experience to help you grow your business online and in person. You do not have to attend the whole day. Pop in for one class or take all three!

Launch Your Business with Customer Focused Marketing – 8:30 - 9:30 AM

As an entrepreneur, you will need more than good products or services to grow your business. It is also important to have strong customer-focused marketing strategies to reach your audience and turn them into loyal customers.

Establish a Professional Domain, Website & Email for your Business – 10 - 11AM

If you're curious about bringing your existing business online, or you're just starting a business and want to know where to begin, it all starts with a domain: your online address and home on the web.

Make Better Business Decisions with Analytics – 12:30 - 1:30 PM

Learn best practices and analyze trends about how customers engage with your business online, then turn these insights into well-informed, actionable decisions.

If you have any questions, reach out to Lindsey Newland lindseyn@growwithg.com or Steven Brody at sbrody@greaterburlington.com.



Join Us for The 2023 Holiday Business Showcase November 16, 5 - 7 PM | HERITAGE GARDEN EVENT CENTER

Mark your calendar for the Chamber of Commerce annual Christmas party!

Enjoy drinks, appetizers, music, lots of prizes, and booth bingo to keep you rocking around the Christmas tree all evening long. Stay tuned for more information coming in Friday Facts and the November newsletter.

Interested in hosing a booth at this event? Contact Mac Holford at mholford@greaterburlington.com

OCTOBER 27, 4 - 6 PM DOWNTOWN TRICK OR TREAT

Bring your ghouls, goblins, princesses & superheroes and Trick or Treat at businesses along Jefferson Street.



WITCHES Night Out

DOWNTOWN BURLINGTON
OCTOBER 20, 5 - 8 PM
DOWNTOWN BURLINGTON

Grab your Ghoul Friends and fly over for a fun-filled evening in Downtown Burlington. Purchase your witch's hat to take advantage of 'spell'tacular savings at Downtown businesses. With a purchase of a \$12 ticket, receive a hat and all the spooky bling needed to cast a bewitching spell!

Tickets available online starting October 1.

Quantities are limited.




DISCOVER DOWNTOWN for the Holidays

Holiday Open House

November 12, 10 AM - 4 PM

Kick off your holiday season with a favorite event - Downtown Burlington Holiday Open House on Sunday, November 12! Get a head start on holiday gift buying and register from 10 AM - 4 PM at participating businesses for the \$1000 in Downtown Dollars give away.




Lighted Holiday Parade

Start Planning Now

Presented by Downtown Partners, Inc., the Lighted Holiday Parade will take place on Jefferson Street on Saturday, November 25 at 5 PM. Although it seems like a long way off, it is not too early to start planning your entry!

Visit GreaterBurlington.com for more details and application forms.

ELECTION FORUMS

Learn Where the Candidates Stand

The Government Relations Committee will be hosting General Election Forums for local, contested races. Please watch Friday Facts and your inbox for location, date, and times.

COFFEE WITH THE CHAMBER – October 25

Chamber members are invited to the next Coffee with the Chamber on October 25 from 8 - 9 AM in the Wineyard Room at the Greater Burlington Partnership offices. Chamber Executive Director Steven Brody and Membership & Guest Services Director Marty Mogk would like to meet with members to share the latest Chamber news and answer questions regarding Chamber membership benefits. Members who have not already set up Info Hub accounts are encouraged to bring laptops so that Chamber staff can assist with getting accounts established.

Members, you are appreciated and valued. Please come to Coffee with the Chamber and explore how to maximize your Chamber investment. *RSVP to Marty Mogk at mmogk@greaterburlington.com.*



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Have you missed All Things Greater Burlington? If you had been listening to the podcast last month you would have learned about the Hope Haven story from Cheryl Plank. Your tastebuds would have started watering listening to Han Oh talk about Shearer's Snacks. Steve Ritter shared how the Ritter's family business has flourished for 50 years.

The podcast and its episodes can be heard on Greater Burlington.com, Amazon Music, Google Podcasts, Spotify, Apple Podcasts, Castbox, and Stitcher. Binge listening is highly recommended to get caught up!

Make sure to subscribe to stay informed when new episodes become available. Do you have a suggestion on who should be interviewed? Please contact Steven Brody.

What Just Happened?

Burlington Behind the Scenes

An exclusive group of Young Professionals attended a Burlington behind the scenes event where they went on a private guided hike at Starr's Cave Nature Center. Young Professionals learned about wildlife, preservation efforts, wildflowers, and the new trails coming soon.



Want to Join the Young Professionals?

Now is a great time to join and experience the program! Membership rates are reduced at the end of season. Sign up today and attend the remaining five events.

Young Professionals
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Greater Burlington Young Professionals

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WELCOME

NEW MEMBERS

Please welcome these new Chamber of Commerce members by sending an email, liking their Facebook page, or visiting their website. Even better, stop by to introduce yourself, exchange business cards and help grow their network as well as your own!

For information on membership, to schedule a Ribbon Cutting or Grand Opening, contact **Marty Mogk** at mmogk@greaterburlington.com.

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It's that time of year!

By now you should have received your 2024 Total Resource Campaign booklet. If you have not already connected with Marty, he will be reaching out to confirm which events you'd like to renew using your first right of refusal, and express interest in any new events, sponsorships, or ads. Marty will be happy to schedule a visit to your location, discuss by phone, or handle through email. The deadline to confirm your past events and use your first right of refusal is October 27.

NEW opportunities this year include:

Visit **Greater Burlington Iowa Tourism Guide** – commit by 10/2, print-ready add by 10/13

NEW Downtown sponsorships:

Farmers Market, FULL SEASON! – Entertainment Sponsor \$1,250

A Very Vintage Night Out, July 19 – Entertainment Sponsor \$200

Spring Downtown Open House, April TBD – Premier Sponsor \$600

Sip, Taste & Stroll, September 20 – After Party Sponsor \$250 to host

Witches Night Out, October 18 – After Party \$250 to host, Entertainment Sponsor \$200

Holiday Downtown Open House, November 10 – Premier Sponsor \$600

Lighted Holiday Parade, November 30 – VIP Section Sponsor \$500

***You do NOT have to be a Downtown business to sponsor a Downtown event! Sponsorships open to all Chamber of Commerce members!

REMINDER: The 2023 Golf Classic was a COMPLETE sell-out! Exercise your first right of refusal to renew for this popular event for 2024 by October 27! We still have available for 2023: Manufacturers Luncheon Booth BINGO \$500 and Holiday Business Showcase Premier Sponsor \$750, Entertainment Sponsor \$300.

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EVENTS

View more events at GreaterBurlington.com/Events

- 1 – Fall Cemetery Tour
Aspen Grove Cemetery, 1:30 PM
[Facebook.com/dmcogensoc](https://www.facebook.com/dmcogensoc)
- 4 – ARTIST to ARTIST
Art Center of Burlington, 6 - 8 PM
BTownArt.com
- 5 – Comedy Thursday
Memorial Auditorium, 7 PM
BurlingtonRiverfront.org
- 6 – Manufacturers Appreciation Luncheon
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- 6 – Stumptown
Wake N Bake Breakfast Company, 6:30 PM
[Facebook.com/wakenbakebreakfast](https://www.facebook.com/wakenbakebreakfast)
- 6 – Twitty & Lynn
Legacy Theater, 7 PM
TheLegacyTheater.com
- 6 – The Johnny Rogers Show
Capitol Performing Arts Center, 7:30 PM
BurlingtonCapitolTheater.com
- 10 – Grow with Google Workshops
Greater Burlington Partnership Offices
8:30 AM, 10 AM, 12:30 AM
GreaterBurlington.com
- 12 – Business After Hours
Heart Song, Inc., 5 - 7 PM
GreaterBurlington.com

- 13 & 14, 20 & 21, 27 & 28 – Haunted Auditorium
Memorial Auditorium, 7 - 11:45 PM
BurlingtonRiverfront.org
- 13 – The Ultimate Garth Brooks Tribute
Capitol Performing Arts Center, 8 PM
BurlingtonCapitolTheater.com
- 14 – Fire Trucks & Helicopter
Appleberry Orchard, 1 - 4 PM
AppleberryOrchard.com
- 14 – Track or Treat
34 Raceway, 2 PM
34Raceway.com
- 20 – Witches Night Out
Downtown Burlington, 5 - 8 PM
GreaterBurlington.com
- 20 & 21 – Haunted Auditorium
Memorial Auditorium, 7 - 11:45 PM
BurlingtonRiverfront.org
- 20 – Jimmy Ryan
Capitol Performing Arts Center, 7:30 PM
BurlingtonCapitolTheater.com
- 21 – I Am King
Legacy Theater, 7 PM
TheLegacyTheater.com
- 25 – Coffee with the Chamber
Greater Burlington Partnership Offices
8 - 9 AM
GreaterBurlington.com
- 27 – Downtown Trick-or-Treat
Downtown Burlington, 4 - 6 PM
GreaterBurlington.com

- 27 & 28 – Haunted Auditorium
Memorial Auditorium, 7 - 11:45 PM
BurlingtonRiverfront.org
- 27 – Jive Radio
Wake N Bake Breakfast Company, 7 PM
[Facebook.com/wakenbakebreakfast](https://www.facebook.com/wakenbakebreakfast)
- 28 – Ghouls on the Run 5K & Spooky Sprint
Burlington Area YMCA, 9 AM
BurlingtonY.org
- 28 – A Night of Billie Holiday
Art Center of Burlington, 7 PM
BTownArt.com
- 28 – Yollween Costume Party
Wake N Bake Breakfast Company, 8 PM
[Facebook.com/wakenbakebreakfast](https://www.facebook.com/wakenbakebreakfast)
- 28 – Farney's Halloween party
Farney's on Jefferson, 8 PM
[Facebook.com/100057375282600](https://www.facebook.com/100057375282600)
- 29 – Cider Run Car Show
Appleberry Orchard, 11 AM - 4 PM
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THE ULTIMATE GARTH BROOKS TRIBUTE

October 13, 8 PM | Capitol Performing Arts Center

Shawn Gerhard's live performance is an unrivaled celebration of Garth Brooks and has ignited crowds across the country.

The Ultimate Garth Brooks Tribute Shawn Gerhard is a high energy show based out of Nashville and features unparalleled showmanship, top level musicianship, and promises guaranteed excitement for all ages.

When not touring, Shawn Gerhard is in residence with Legends in Concert in Las Vegas as their 'go-to' Garth Brooks.

The Ultimate Garth Brooks Tribute featuring Shawn Gerhard is one of the longest continually performing Garth Brooks tribute acts in the world.

AMERICAN QUEEN RIVERBOAT DOCKING

October 7, 8 AM - 3 PM

Welcome back the American Queen riverboat to the Greater Burlington Riverfront!

VIKING MISSISSIPPI

October 10 and 19, 8 AM - 3 PM

Help welcome Viking Mississippi guests to Greater Burlington!

HAUNTED AUDITORIUM

October 13 & 14, 20 & 21, 27 & 28 | 7 - 11:45 PM

Four floors of pure terror! New scares and surprises around every twist and turn await you...if you dare on the Riverfront at Memorial Auditorium.

For more information email info@burlingtonriverfront.com.

CIDER RUN CAR SHOW & TRICK OR TREAT AT APPLEBERRY ORCHARD

October 29, 11 AM - 4 PM

Join Appleberry Orchard for their 10th annual Cider Run Car Show in the orchard at Appleberry! Plus, trick-or-treat around the orchard, too.

Cars, trucks, bikes, rat rods and tractors all welcome. Bring it and show it! Fun show, no entry fee, and no awards. Raffle prizes. Shirts available for purchase.

Make sure your children wear costumes. They'll be able to Trick-or-Treat around stations here at Appleberry Orchard.

On October 29, Appleberry Orchard will be open till 6 PM. Last day of the fall season will be October 30, closing at 5 PM. Come and stock up on your favorites, donuts, baked goods, salsas, preserves and more!



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