

**TOWNSHIP OF SOUTHGATE
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Southgate Business Information Survey

Business Name: _____

Business Address: _____

Business Phone Number: _____

Business Owner: _____

Contact Cell Number: _____

Contact Email: _____

Business Website: _____

Descriptions of your Business:

1. ☐ Commercial ☐ Industrial
2. ☐ Food Service ☐ Manufacturing ☐ Retail
- ☐ Service Provider ☐ Wholesale ☐ Other: _____

3. Please provide a description of the specific products and/or service you provide:

4. Would you be interested in setting up an online store to help you expand your business and sell your products? **Yes or No**

Note:

1. This information with your approval below will be used to develop and maintain an online business directory on the Township's website. We will also distribute your information to advertise our local businesses to make sure the community is aware of the goods and services we have access to and promote buying locally.
2. This form is on our website and we ask you to update and resubmit to the Township of Southgate any time your business information or the products you manufacture changes.

Business Owners Approval: _____ Date: _____



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Number of Employees (including ownership & family): _____

Non-Family or Ownership Employees: _____

What are the 3 biggest challenges you have in your business today?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

What could the Township or the County do to help you with your business success?

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| • Employee skills training | Yes or No |
| • As business owner would employee management or financial training help & would you attend | Yes or No |
| • Refinancing of business loans | Yes or No |
| • Restart a Chamber of Commerce to get business owners working together on community events. | Yes or No |

Other general business questions:

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| • Was your business impacted by the COVID? | Yes or No |
| • Were you able to receive COVID support funding? | Yes or No |

Are you considering expanding your business in the next 3 years: **Yes or No**

What are the 3 issues you see as hurdles to expanding your present business?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

The Southgate Community Improvement Plan is a Plan and Vision to make improvements in the Business Community related to increasing your marketing opportunities in downtown and rural businesses by becoming an inviting place, increasing services, dealing with parking issues and accessible entry to businesses.

What do you suggest we should do?
