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Business Basics in Walker on March 12th

Starting a new business is an exciting process. At the Cass County EDC, we understand how overwhelming it can be and we have the knowledge and expertise to help you achieve your goals.

Please join us on Monday, March 12th, at 6:00 PM to learn more about starting a new business. The 3 hour seminar will be held at the Walker City Hall and there is no cost to attend.

Gail Leverson, of the Cass County EDC will present the topics of Business Structure, Filing a Business Name, Estimating a Total Project Cost, Writing a Business Plan, Securing Business Financing and others. The Cass County EDC has assisted over 70 businesses complete their business plans and secure financing for their projects.

Greg Smith, Leech Lake Brewery, successfully turned his hobby into a business using the help of the Cass County EDC. He will speak about the process of starting a new business in this area - what he would do the same and what he would do differently.

Please pre-register for the seminar by calling 218-947-7523 or emailing at [cass.edc@co.cass.mn.us](mailto:cass.edc@co.cass.mn.us). Materials will be provided at the seminar.

The Cass County Economic Development Corporation is a local non-profit corporation that provides technical assistance for businesses to help them create jobs and capital investment in Cass County. The organization is supported by Cass County, memberships and fees for services. If you would like to get involved contact one of the board members or the office in Backus at 218-947-7522.