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Kawartha Lakes - The City of Kawartha Lakes Economic Development, including the Small Business and Entrepreneurship Centre (KLSBEC), remains available to support our business community. Although municipal facilities are closed, Economic Development and KLSBEC services are available by phone and electronically.

"The health and well-being of residents and staff remains our primary focus, but

we recognize this pandemic has also created many challenges for businesses in Kawartha Lakes," commented Andy Letham, Mayor, City of Kawartha Lakes. "I applaud the work our Economic Development team is doing during these unprecedented times and hope their resources help support our business community."

Kawartha Lakes Economic Development and partnering agencies are committed to supporting you and your business during COVID-19. Economic Development is part of **Team Kawartha Lakes**, which includes KLSBEC, Lindsay and District Chamber of Commerce, Lindsay Downtown BIA, Coboconk, Norland and Area Chamber of Commerce, Fenelon Falls and District Chamber of Commerce, Bobcaygeon and Area Chamber of Commerce, Impact 21, the Innovation Cluster, Kawartha Lakes CFDC, VCCS Employment and OMAFRA Regional Staff.

The Team is working collaboratively to ensure that local businesses receive up to date and accurate information. To stay informed and prepared, we encourage you to:

- Check out [COVID-19 Business Resources \(/en/business-growth/covid-19-business-resources.aspx?mid=31031\)](https://www.kawarthalakes.ca/en/business-growth/covid-19-business-resources.aspx?mid=31031) for self-help and ways to connect
- Subscribe to the [Economic Development Newsletter \(https://kawarthalakes.us3.list-manage.com/subscribe?u=edfce01e466d93432976571c3&id=89fcd041cf\)](https://kawarthalakes.us3.list-manage.com/subscribe?u=edfce01e466d93432976571c3&id=89fcd041cf) to stay informed

- **Subscribe to the [Business Events Calendar](https://calendar.kawarthalakes.ca/default/Month?&Events%20=Economic%20Development%20and%20Small%20Business)** (<https://calendar.kawarthalakes.ca/default/Month?&Events%20=Economic%20Development%20and%20Small%20Business>) **for upcoming webinars**

“COVID-19 is not only a threat to our health, but to our local economy and businesses as well,” Rebecca Mustard, Manager, Economic Development, City of Kawartha Lakes. “In Kawartha Lakes we’re fortunate to have a unique, diverse and thriving business community. We know these are tough times for business and we’re here to help our business community. We hope our tools provide some support and relief.”

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