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Weekly Update of Business & Job Development in the City of Dayton

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Business Resource Center to Open in January

Supporting business growth will be the purpose of a new service center to open in downtown Dayton on January 5, 2009.

The Dayton Business Resource Center, to be located at 371 W. Second St., will provide business customers with a one-stop "shop" for construction and expansion permits, zoning and plan review, and growth resources such as financing referrals and incentive options. The Center will also coordinate business outreach efforts through one-on-one visits with local companies.

At the Business Resource Center, businesses seeking to grow or locate in Dayton will be able to meet with representatives of Dayton's Office of Economic Development, CityWide Development Corporation, the Dayton Area Chamber of Commerce, and the Downtown Dayton Partnership.

An all-inclusive, one-stop business service center was one of the key recommendations of a study conducted in 2007 to evaluate and strengthen Dayton's economic development efforts.

To accommodate the Center, the City of Dayton is renovating more than 2,300 square feet of office space in a facility that is already home to its Department of Building Services.

For more information, contact Bart Schidecker, Special Projects Administrator in the Dayton Office of Economic Development, at 333-3629.

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