



BINGHAMTON LOCAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

2014 Binghamton Business Plan Competition



Sponsored by the Binghamton Local Development Corporation (BLDC) and the SUNY Broome Entrepreneurial Assistance Program (EAP)

PRIZE: \$5,000 Grant

Also includes:

- website design and internet marketing services
- legal and accounting services for your business
- local/internet advertising package - TBA

IMPORTANT: First Place Winner must operate enterprise within City limits or agree to relocate therein.

Eligible applicants must plan to start a business or have an existing business that is no more than five years old. Applicants are strongly encouraged to complete business start-up or management training with the Entrepreneurial Assistance Program at SUNY Broome OR attend the Business Development Workshop presented by the Binghamton Economic Development Office on October 8th, 5:00 - 8:00 pm. PLEASE READ the attached eligibility requirements for more details.

Important Dates

10/8	Business Development Workshop, Holiday Inn Arena, Southern Tier Room, 5:00 - 8:00 pm
10/17	Application and Executive Summary due. Access document at www.binghamton-ny.gov/inghamton-local-development-corporation-blde
10/22	Finalists announced
11/7	Full written business plans due. Email to: rkmurphy@cityofbinghamton.com
11/18, 19	Competitor presentations 5:30-8:30 pm Decker Building, SUNY Broome, Libous Room #117
11/24	Winner announced, City of Binghamton, Mayor's Conference Room, 4th Floor

For more information or an entry form, please contact Robert Murphy at Binghamton Local Development Corporation: 772-7161, rkmurphy@cityofbinghamton.com

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