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Big changes are coming for Minnesota small businesses

Is your business ready for the new retirement mandate?

Starting January 2026, employers with five or more employees who don't offer a qualified retirement plan will be required to participate in the state-run Minnesota Secure Choice Retirement Program.

Don't wait until the deadline—get ahead now by learning your options, understanding your responsibilities under the new law, and building a retirement plan that fits your business and supports your team.

Here's what you need to know

- Participation is mandatory for employers with five or more employees who do not already offer a qualified retirement plan.
- Employers are required to withhold contributions from employee paychecks and submit them to the state-run program. Employees may opt out of the program.
- The proposed initial contribution rate is 5%, with automatic 1% annual increases, up to a maximum of 8%. Employees will be able to increase or decrease contributions.
- Employers cannot contribute—the program is funded solely by employee deferrals.

With more than 48,000 Minnesota employers expected to be affected, taking action early can give your business a strong advantage.



Contact us at 507-637-8139 or thrivent.com/redwood and let's create a plan that works for your business.

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Calling All Artists

Showcase your creativity at the
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- * Limit 2 works per artists - must be original and gallery-ready.
- * 23 Cash Prizes Awarded in multiple categories.
- * Entry forms/criteria are available at the Springfield Public Library (507-723-3510).
- * Art Submissions can be dropped off at the Springfield Public Library on:

Thursday, October 2nd: 2:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Friday, October 3rd: 9:30 – 11:30 a.m.

Monday, October 6th: 4:00 – 6:00 p.m.

Don't miss the opportunity to share your vision, connect with fellow creatives, and have your art seen by the community!

**Brown County Historical Society
presents**

NEW DATE ADDED!

**HERITAGE
CHORES
CAMP**

\$25

**Register
by 9/5**

**~~AUG. 14~~ AND SEPT. 13
9AM-1:30PM**

Step back in time and learn about a typical day in the 1800s. Children will complete chores such as hand washing laundry, butter making, sewing, textile arts and more! The program will take place at the Kiesling House located on Minnesota Street in New Ulm, MN.

Our Aug. 14 camp is full, but we have added a new date on Sat., Sept. 13. To register, contact BCHS by emailing education@browncountyhistorymn.org or by calling 507-233-2621



Brown County Historical Society presents

Lunch and a Bite of History *Funny Money*

Guest Speaker
Julie Ferrell



Julie Ferrell, a retired U.S. Secret Service agent, will join us to share highlights from her career, explore the world of counterfeiting, and connect it all with stories from right here in Brown County.

Thursday, Sept. 25th | 12 p.m. – 1 p.m.
Free Admission | Reservations Required

Brown County Historical Society Museum Annex
12 N. Broadway, New Ulm, Minnesota
Email: education@browncountyhismn.org
or call: 507-233-2616





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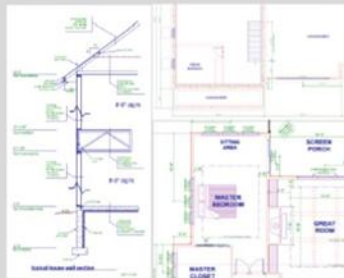
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Slab on Grade



2-Story



Elevations Foundation Plan
Floor Plans Wall Sections
Site Plan Detail Pages

Pole Buildings



Machinery Storage Options



Shop House and Shop Office Options



Post Layouts, Wall Sections & Detail Drawings

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Floorplan Layouts

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Site Visit to map out existing floorplan

Concept drawings with options



Decks



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Chamber Chatter is a publication of the
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It is published monthly to keep members
and friends informed on events, activities,
and programs in and around the community.

Mission Statement – The mission of the Springfield Area Chamber of Commerce/CVB is to strengthen the business community and take a leadership role in promoting economic growth in a spirit of cooperation and team work.

Vision Statement – Promote economic growth through the recruitment and retention of quality businesses and industries that will contribute to the overall economic health of the community. Provide the membership networking opportunities, referrals, internet promotion and other membership services to promote and enhance their business. Develop and nurture relationships with local government and other community sectors to help facilitate the needs and interests of the business community and enhance the overall quality of life within the community.

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