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Medina City, Quarterfinalist



Congratulations to the City of Medina on being named a Quarter Finalist in Frontier's America's Best Communities program; one of 50 vying for a top prize of 3 million dollars.

Mayor Dennis Hanwell said, "As a quarter-finalist, the Medina City Development Corp. will work diligently to take advantage of this great opportunity to invest in the future of our community and further cement our collective goal of making Medina America's Best Community. This will only be successful with the help of our current local community partners – 620 Corporation, Root Candles, the City of Medina, The Community Design Committee, Discount Drug Mart, Gerspacher Real Estate Group, The Greater Medina Chamber of Commerce, Main Street Medina and Medina County Economic Development Corp. "We are excited at the prospect of using the quarter-finalist status to create and exe-



Member News

Congratulations to [Campbell Construction](#)

[tion](#) on the ground breaking at Clampco Products, located on Wall Road in Wadsworth, OH. On April 22, 2015 Clampco broke ground on a 60,000 square foot expansion, its second expansion since the original structure was built by Campbell Construction, in 1991. When complete in December of 2015, the facility will total 132,000 square feet and will more than double Clampco's current production capability.



Those in attendance for the groundbreaking were John Campbell (President of Campbell Construction), Owners Jim and Linda Venner, Jason Venner, Mayor Robin Laubaugh, Fred Moser (39 year Clampco employee), City Service Director Robert Patrick, Jerry Biagini (Clampco, General Manager), Jeff Stevenson (VP of Bus. Dev. Campbell Construction), Harry Stark (Wadsworth Economic Dev. Dir.) Gary Cottrill (Clampco Maintenance Mng.), and the other 155

cute great community and economic development initiatives for Medina.”

Member Frontier General Manager Ben Fauver said, “Medina clearly is focused on building for the future, and the America’s Best Communities competition is designed to encourage forward-thinking leaders to carry their plans forward. All of us at Frontier are eager to see Medina take the next step in a competition that is making a difference in scores of American communities.”



Congratulations to members Fifth Third Bank, Northeastern Ohio, Philpott Solutions Group Inc. and Westfield Bank on being named to the [Smart 50 Awards by Smart Business Magazine](#). These award winners have helped to reinvent Northeast Ohio landscape into one of the most up-and-coming business regions in the country.

There is still time to join us for the May 21 Economic Development Showcase Tour sponsored by the Blair Rubber company and Gerspacher Real Estate. See a state-of-the-art call center, Blair Rubber, Soprema, and tour industrial parks in the southern half of our county. While the bus is full, we can provide instructions to anyone who wishes to follow in their cars.

The tour kicks begins at 8:00am at 4940 Panther Pkwy Seville, OH 44273 and we will return before noon. Wear close-toed, comfortable shoes and learn about great companies in Medina County!

For more information call the office at 330-722-9215.

employees of Clampco Products.



[The Ruhlin Company](#) is part of the Trumbull, Great Lakes, Ruhlin (TGR) joint venture design-build team that was successful winning the second I-90 Inner Belt contract (Construction Contract Group 2 or “CCG2”).

The project encompasses I-90 east-bound from I-490 to I-77 in Cleveland, Ohio, and includes the demolition of the existing I-90 Central Viaduct Bridge, the reconstruction of nine (9) side street overpasses, construction of the new I-90 Viaduct east bound bridge, and all associated roadway and paving work. Additionally, several City of Cleveland streets will be reconstructed as part of the contract. In the fall of 2013, the project was awarded to TGR and designer URS Corporation for a bid amount of \$273 million.



The President of Stop-n-Go stores in Medina, Becky Shotwell, has been named a "Top Woman in Convenience" in the "Senior-Level Leaders" category by the industry magazine Convenience Store News. Congratulations Becky!



Andrea Lyons of Lyons Share Marketing is a regular contributor to the CLE+ blog and her first installment can be found here: <http://bit.ly/1c5ITrp>

Is the FTZ the missing piece in your global supply chain?

Foreign-Trade Zone Seminar

Wed. June 17, 2015 • 1:30 to 5:15 p.m.

Progressive Field, Cleveland OH

OPTIONAL: 5:30 p.m. Dinner and 7:10 p.m. Cleveland Indians game

Hosted by NEOTEC and the Port of Cleveland

This seminar will focus on how the FTZ program works, benefits of the program, compliance and regulations, and the application and activation processes. A local FTZ operator will provide firsthand knowledge of the program, and a leading logistics service provider will provide the global supply chain perspective. There will be an update of the newly implemented U.S. Customs Automated Commercial Environment (ACE) Program. Following the presentations, there will be a panel discussion and Q&A. Members of NCBFAA earn 3.5 CCS/CES credits for attending this seminar (Certified Customs Specialist/Certified Export Specialist).

Seminar Only: \$85 including parking pass and afternoon snack break

Seminar, Dinner and Game: \$125 including seminar, parking pass, afternoon snack break, dinner in the Club Lounge

and Club Seat ticket to the Cleveland Indians game vs. the Chicago Cubs

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Congratulations to MCEDC Executive Director, **Bethany Dentler** on being named to the Business Development Council of Team NEO. The Business Development Council advises the board on effective approaches to business and economic development in Northeast Ohio. Congratulations Bethany!

