

Small Business Service Providers

Forsyth Technical Community College:

Small Business Center:

<http://www.forsythtech.edu/services-businesses/small-business-center>

Business & Industry Services:

<http://www.forsythtech.edu/services-businesses>

International Center:

<http://www.facebook.com/pages/International-Center-of-Forsyth-Tech/140965862640072>

To Request One-on-One Counseling:

<https://www.ncsbc.net/reg.aspx?mode=counsel¢er=75210&subloc=0>

To Register for our Seminars:

<https://www.ncsbc.net/center.aspx?center=75210>

Local Small Business Resources:

City of Winston Salem:

<http://www.cityofws.org/Home/Departments/CBD/BusinessDevelopment/Articles/BusinessDevelopment>

<http://www.cityofws.org/Home/Departments/DevelopmentOffice/SmallBusinessCenter/Articles/Assistance>

Downtown Winston Salem Partnership:

<http://www.dwsp.org/joom/content/view/10/10/>

Forsyth County Public Library Business & Science Department:

http://www.forsyth.cc/library/ask_librarian.aspx

Northwest Office Solutions

www.northwestofficesolutions.com – Eric Crane, ecrane@bos-inc.com

SBTDC - Small Business Technology & Development Center:

<http://www.sbtcd.org/services/>

Winston Salem Chamber of Commerce:

<http://www.winstonsalem.com/smallbusiness.aspx>

Winston Salem State University:

<http://www.sgacdc.org/the-enterprise-center/>

Kernersville Chamber of Commerce:

<http://www.kernersvillenc.com>

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King Chamber of Commerce:

<http://www.kingnc.com/>

Lenders to Small Businesses (Forsyth County):

First Citizens Bank:

<https://www.firstcitizens.com/business/>

Laurie H. Jamison; Laurie.Jamison@firstcitizens.com; Phone: (336) 631.2417

First Community Bank:

<https://www.fcbresource.com/AbbyGonzalez>

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Vantage South Bank:

<https://vantagesouth.com/Default.aspx>

Heidi Whitsell; heidi.whitesell@vsb.com; Phone: (704) 798-4924

Wells Fargo:

<https://www.wellsfargo.com/biz/>

Zach Nichols; zach.nichols@wellsfargo.com; Phone: (336) 732-3029

#1 SBA Lender in the Country and in North Carolina

Useful Websites:

Business Link North Carolina (BLNC):

<http://www.blnc.gov/>

Start a Business in NC:

<http://www.thrivenc.com/smallbusiness/start-a-new-business>

Business Owners Toolkit:

<http://www.bizfilings.com/toolkit/index.aspx>

Small Business Grants:

<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppld=234553>

VentuRealization:

<http://www.venturealization.org/FLYER.PDF>

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NCSU Wood Products Extension:

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Dave Tilotta	NCSU, Campus Box 8003, Raleigh, NC 27695 dave_tilotta@ncsu.edu, phone 919-515-5579	Wood use in housing