



City of CHARLOTTE

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor Lewis and City Council Members

FROM: Gregg Guetschow, City Manager

SUJECT: City Manager's Report

DATE: July 22, 2016

Project Rising Tide. Bryan Myrkle and I met this week with the head of our Project Rising Tide team. He indicated the possibility of funds available through the state to assist with a couple of local redevelopment projects. An additional meeting is scheduled next week on this subject. It is too soon to announce specifics but good to know that our participation in this program might be opening doors to some funds to spark reinvestment in the community.

Business Expansion. I learned this morning of a possible expansion of a local manufacturer. As always, we treat these matters with a high degree of confidentiality, relying on the businesses themselves to determine when and how they wish to announce their projects. Nevertheless, this is good news coming so soon after the recent expansion by Spartan Motors.

Can Do! Meeting. Members of the community are invited to attend the general meeting of Can Do! on Wednesday, July 27 at 7:00 a.m. at the Charlotte Community Library. The program will focus on basic needs with speakers representing the Clinton/Eaton Department of Health and Human Services, Capital Region Community Foundation and Eaton County United Way.