

# Starting your business in Haysi



*A guide for starting and licensing your business in Haysi*





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*Dear Business Owner, Entrepreneur, or Other Interested Party,*

*We here at The Town Of Haysi welcome you and want to extend a special invitation to you in helping with starting a new business or expanding on your existing business.*

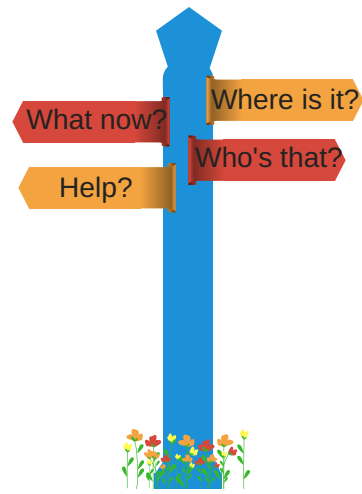
*Starting a new business can be tough at times. The Town Of Haysi has put together some basic information in this package that could help make that easier.*

*In this package you will find information on Starting your Business, Licensing your Business, possible help Financing your business, and useful contact information along with a few of the many recreational opportunities that surrounds Haysi.*

*Please don't hesitate to contact me or Haysi Town Clerk Amanda Perrigan with any questions we might can help with.*

*Sincerely,  
Larry D. Yates  
Mayor*

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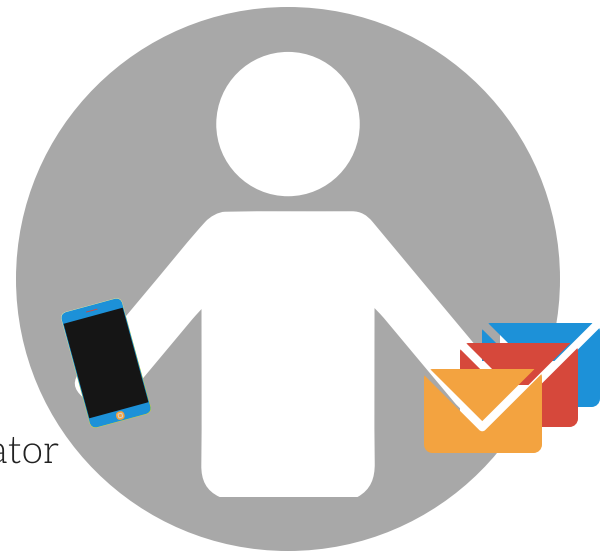
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# Local Contacts



## **Town of Haysi**

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Amanda Perrigan, Town Clerk

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Website: [www.haysivirginia.gov](http://www.haysivirginia.gov)

## **American Electric Power**

Appalachian Power

Phone: (888) 710-4237

Website: [www.appalachianpower.com](http://www.appalachianpower.com)

## **Bristol Virginia Utilities**

George Pickard

Phone: (866) 835-1288

Website: [www.bvu-optinet.com](http://www.bvu-optinet.com)

## **Buchanan County Public Service Authority**

Phone: (276) 935-5827

Website: <http://buchanancountypsa.myruralwater.com>

Email: [bcpsa@bvu.net](mailto:bcpsa@bvu.net)

## **Dickenson County Building Department**

Chris Rakes

Phone: (276) 865-1673

Email: [crakes@dickensonva.org](mailto:crakes@dickensonva.org)

## **Dickenson County Health Department**

Phone: (276) 926-4979

# More Local Contacts



## **Dickenson County Public Service Authority**

Phone: (276) 865-1580

## **Haysi Fire Department**

Rocky Wood, Chief

Phone: (276) 865-4728

Address: P.O. Box 610, Haysi, VA 24256

Email: chiefhvfd1603@hotmail.com

## **Haysi Police Department**

George Wallace, Chief

Phone: (276) 865-7101

Address: P.O. Box 278, Haysi, VA 24256

Email: haysipolicedept@dcwin.org

## **Haysi Rescue Squad**

Robert Stanley, Chief

Phone: (276) 865-7610

## **Hillcom**

Phone: (276) 835-1286

Address: 358 Will and Emma Lane, Clintwood, VA 24228

Email: hillcom.inc@outlook.com

Website: www.hillcom.tech

## **Verizon**

Phone: (800) 837-4966

# Starting a Business



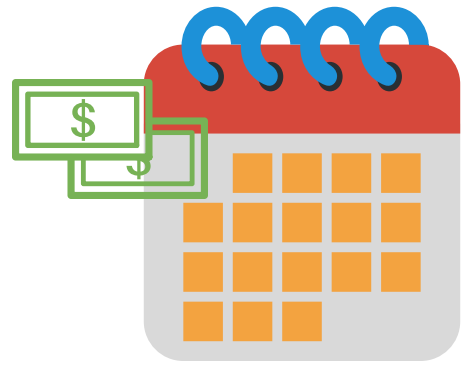
Starting a business is an exciting proposition, but it's also an incredibly challenging undertaking. The resources in this guide will help you learn what it takes to start your business.

A business plan is an essential roadmap for success. Writing a business plan helps others evaluate your business. When seeking investors or lenders; they will want to read your plan before approving funds. A good business plan will enable loans, promote growth, and serve as a guide for you to follow.

All businesses require some form of financing. There are many challenges in this area, but numerous resources are available to help you. Carefully consider and estimate the amounts for start up costs, initial expenses your business will have, knowing the point when your business will "break even", and when you can expect to make a profit. It is critical to manage your personal finances well and have a good credit score before you begin.

The business structure you choose will have legal and tax implications. Learn about the different types of businesses and select the one that best suits your needs.

Choosing and registering your business name is a key step to legally operating your business and potentially obtaining financial aid from the government. To run your business legally, there are federal, state, and sometimes local licenses and permits you will need to obtain. Find out if your business requires you to obtain a tax identification number from the federal and/or state government, as well as the benefits and regulations associated.



## **Internal Revenue Service**

Address: 2513 Wesley St., Johnson City, TN 37601

Phone: (423) 610-7050

Website: <https://www.irs.gov/businesses/small-businesses-self-employed/starting-a-business>

## **Virginia Department of Taxation**

Address: 1957 Westmoreland Street, Richmond, VA 23230

Phone: (804) 367-8037

Website: <https://www.tax.virginia.gov/register-business-virginia>



The Small Business Development Center provides one on one counseling, business education opportunities, and resources to help small business owners start, improve, or expand their business. The objective is to help Southwest Virginia Businesses prosper and increase job opportunities. There are two Small Business Development Centers nearby:

### **Small Business Development Center at Mountain Empire Community College**

Tim Blankenbecler

Address: 3441 Mountain Empire Road, Big Stone Gap, VA 24219

Phone: (276) 523-6529

Email: [tblankenbecler@mecc.edu](mailto:tblankenbecler@mecc.edu)

### **Small Business Development Center at Southwest Virginia Community College**

Margie Douglass

Address: 635 Community College Road, Cedar Bluff, VA 24609

Phone: (276) 964-7345

Email: [margie.douglass@sw.edu](mailto:margie.douglass@sw.edu)

Margie Douglass travels to the Dickenson County Chamber of Commerce Office frequently for easier access to those who live in our area.

### **Dickenson County Chamber of Commerce**

Rita Surratt, Director

Address: 194 Dickenson Highway, Clintwood, VA 24228

Phone: (276) 926-6074

Website: [www.dickensonchamber.net](http://www.dickensonchamber.net)



# Financing Your Business



Improve your odds for business success by understanding your financial needs as well as the options available to help you start, manage, and grow your business. You have a variety of options when it comes to financing your small business. Below are some agencies with different financial assistance programs:

## **Dickenson County IDA**

Mitzi Sykes, Director

Address: 818 Happy Valley Drive, P.O. Box 1989, Clintwood, VA 24228

Phone: (276) 926-1699

## **Haysi's Revolving Loan Fund**

Larry D. Yates, Mayor

Address: 322 Main Street, P.O. Box 278, Haysi, VA 24256

Phone: (276) 865-5187

## **Cumberland Plateau Revolving Loan Fund**

Address: 224 Clydesway Drive, P.O. Box 548, Lebanon, VA 24266

Phone: (276) 889-1778

Website: <http://www.cppdc.com/RLF.html>

## **Ninth District Development Financing, Inc.**

Address: 1173 W. Main Street, Abingdon, VA 24210

Phone: (276) 619-2243

Website: [www.nddf.org](http://www.nddf.org)

## **People, Inc.**

Address: P.O. Box 1439, Clintwood, VA 24228

Phone: (276) 926-5600

Website: [www.peopleinc.net](http://www.peopleinc.net)

# Financing Your Business Continued



## **Virginia Community Capital**

Cindy Snider, Small Business Loan Officer

Address: 110 Peppers Ferry Road, NW, Christiansburg, VA 24073

Phone: (540) 250-0055

Website: [www.vacommunitycapital.org](http://www.vacommunitycapital.org)

Email: [csnider@vccva.org](mailto:csnider@vccva.org)

# Licensing Your Business



To operate your business legally, there are federal, state, and local licenses and sometimes permits you will need to obtain. The Town of Haysi requires businesses to have a Business Professional Occupational License (BPOL). The license application can be found on the town's website: [www.haysivirginia.org](http://www.haysivirginia.org). However, there may be other licenses or permits needed depending on the type of business you start.

## **Town of Haysi**

Amanda Perrigan, Clerk

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Email: [haysiclerk@dcwin.org](mailto:haysiclerk@dcwin.org)

# Recreation Surrounding Haysi



## Haysi's Ridgeview Trail

Address: Kiwanis Park Road, Haysi, VA 24256

Phone:(276) 807-7581

Website: [www.spearheadtrails.com](http://www.spearheadtrails.com)

OHV/ATV Trail System with over 200 miles to ride and connects to the Town of Haysi and Coal Canyon Trail



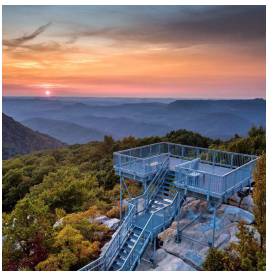
## Breaks Interstate Park

Address: P.O. Box 100, Breaks, VA 24607

Phone: (276) 865-4413 or toll free (800) 982-5122

Website: [www.breakspark.com](http://www.breakspark.com)

"Grand Canyon of the South", Hotel, Restaurant, Rock Climbing, Zip Line, Hiking, EuroBike Rentals, Cabin Rentals, Swimming Pool, Paddle Boats, Camping and much more.



## Birch Knob Tower

Address: Birch Knob Drive, Clintwood, VA 24228

Phone:(276) 328-2931

Website: <https://www.dickensonva.org/index.aspx?NID=311>

Observation Tower, see up to six states on a clear day



## Flannagan Marina and Powersports

Address: 598 Marina Cove, Clintwood, VA 24228

Phone:(276) 835-8408

Website: [www.flannaganmarinaandpowersports.com](http://www.flannaganmarinaandpowersports.com)

Boating, Fishing, Paddle Boards, Paddle Boats, Kayaks, Aqua Park, and more.



## **John Flannagan Dam and Reservoir**

Address: 192 White Water Road, Haysi, VA 24256

Phone:(276) 835-9544

Website: [www.recreation.gov](http://www.recreation.gov)

Fishing, Camping, Hunting, Picnic Areas and more.



## **Ralph Stanley Museum**

Address: 249 Main Street, Clintwood, VA 24228

Phone:(276) 926-8550

Website: [www.ralphstanleymuseum.com](http://www.ralphstanleymuseum.com)

Museum, Concert Venue, Community Center, and Gift Shop