

Press Release

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**GREATER SUSQUEHANNA KEYSTONE INNOVATION ZONE (GSKIZ)
BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT OPEN DOOR PROGRAM**

BLOOMSBURG, PA SEPTEMBER 27, 2010: The Greater Susquehanna KIZ (GSKIZ) is offering free business consulting services for all those interested in starting a new business or growing an existing business. The GSKIZ will host their "**Business Development Open Door Program**" at locations throughout their five county region which includes Columbia, Montour, Northumberland, Snyder and Union counties.

The services range from general assessment regarding the stage of your business with ideas assessed regarding starting a new business to assisting local investors identify local investment opportunities in non-profit organizations and for-profit businesses.

GSKIZ Business Development Open Door Program Schedule

Bloomsburg Regional Technology Center **2nd & 3rd Monday**/month

Central PA Chamber of Commerce 2nd & 3rd Thursday/month
30 Lawton Lane, Milton Northumberland/Union County Areas

Selinsgrove Facility 1st & 4th Tuesday/month
600 South High Street, Selinsgrove Union/Snyder County Areas

Sunbury Facility 4th Wednesday/month
218 Chestnut Street, Sunbury PA - Northumberland/Snyder County
Areas

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