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THE SPIRIT OF DOWNTOWN

Harrodsburg First releases 2016 Downtown Statistics

2016 was a good year for downtown Harrodsburg. The district saw a positive gain in jobs and businesses and an increase of investments in building improvements. Chairman Greg Souder reports the following statistics:

New Businesses 11

New Jobs 25

Total jobs in the district 523

Buildings that were rehabilitated 3

Amount invested in building rehabilitations - \$ 25,000

Total investment into downtown Harrodsburg - \$ 869,713.70

Souder explains, "These figures show that our downtown is growing, and despite the difficult economy, our building and business owners are committed to maintaining a healthy, vibrant central business district. We commend each and every business and property owner for their investment in downtown Harrodsburg."

Harrodsburg First collects these statistics on an annual basis, as required to obtain certification as an accredited Kentucky Main Street Community. Total figures are reported to the Kentucky Main Street Center and to the National Main Street America office. For more information, contact Harrodsburg First at 734-6811.

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