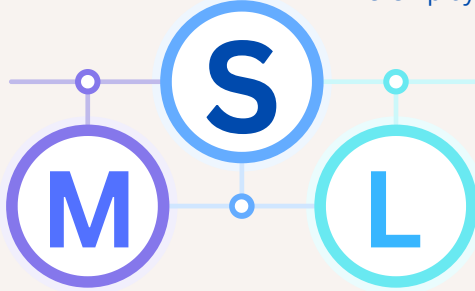


Watson & District CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Saskatchewan's small and medium-sized businesses are growing and shaping the province's economic success.

98.9% small businesses
1- 49 employees



1.1% medium businesses
50- 499 employees

0.05% large businesses
500+ employees

Small and medium-sized businesses create over 52% of jobs!



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The Watson & District chamber of commerce is the resource for support to build and strengthen the business community. Advocacy is at the forefront and with your engagement we can be the voice of change. Welcome to our newest members.

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- Mexican & More
- Poppies & Pansies
- Saskatoon Clayworks
- Watson Taekwon-do



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SNAPSHOT '24



2024 has been an exciting one for us here at the chamber. We began the year with a planning session to clarify the direction and focus on business support and development for our district. The need for a digital marketing session was facilitated by Sagehill Community Futures and Go Digital Sask, with 23 in attendance. Spring into Watson was a success, with over 70 vendors in attendance at Santa's Spring Market. Thank you to Venlaw and Affinity credit union for sponsoring the Kids Zone, despite the wind fun was had by all. To all the volunteers your commitment to our community is appreciated. MLA Todd Goudy joined us for our AGM and an evening of dinner & discussion. Poor internet services, making a plan for future housing and rental development for new employees brought to the area by growing industries, investing in youth retention and education was some of the major topics discussed. As we continue to understand the importance of regional collaboration we encourage you to become a member. You are invited to follow us on facebook, send us an email, become a member.



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- ✓ Entertainment

Possible Date
November 15th, 29th
December 13th, 2024

2024 STRATEGIC PLAN

Grow Your Business, Strengthen our Community

FACILATORS



CHERYLYNN WALTERS



SHANNON SAMBROOK

Goals of Session

- Our board of directors and community leaders participated in a strategic plan to identify and focus on business support and development for Watson and surrounding district. Areas identified were higher quality internet access, foreign workers program due to challenges obtaining employees, investing in youth and retention, lack of housing for potential employees, expanding digital footprint for businesses and strengthening partnerships. Strategic doing is an approach to planning and it will enable us to continuously develop manageable steps to measure our progress. We invite you to like our facebook page for upcoming events as we explore innovative ways to bridge our communities by promoting and supporting our businesses.

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