



Genoa Springboard: Where Business Begins

Application

Thank you for your interest in Genoa Springboard. Genoa Springboard is designed to help you, the entrepreneur, begin and maintain a successful business in downtown Genoa. Genoa Main Street, Inc. and its partners founded Genoa Springboard in order to achieve several goals. These include:

- Encourage the start up of new businesses downtown
- Find tenants for available buildings
- Create jobs
- Bring more people downtown to benefit both new and existing businesses
- Strengthen the tax base

We would like to learn more about your business. This will help us determine if Genoa Springboard and your business are a good fit. Please answer the questions to the best of your ability. If you are unsure of an answer, we can discuss it and work out the answer together.

Contact the Main Street office at 815 784-6961 or genoamainstreet@atcyber.net if you have any questions regarding Genoa Springboard or this application.

Please answer each of the following questions.

Business Name: _____

Names of partners in the proposed business: _____

Name of person completing this application: _____

Address: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Telephone: _____

1. Please describe the business you are proposing to open.

2. How much space (s.f.) do you estimate you will need?
3. Does your business have any special needs such as major equipment, extensive parking, specific hours of operation etc.?
4. Is this business presently in operation and if so, how long has it been in operation?
5. What are your personal goals for this business (i.e., will it be your full-time occupation, is this an expansion of a home based business, is this a second location, will you be selling online, etc.)?
6. Why are you interested in locating in Genoa Springboard?
7. What kinds of businesses would compliment your business as other Genoa Springboard tenants?
8. Where do you see your business five years from now (location, size, ownership, products, etc.)

Thank you for your interest in Genoa Springboard. Mail your completed application to:

Genoa Main Street, Inc., 327 W. Main St., Genoa, IL 60135.

You may also e-mail it to: genoamainstreet@atcyber.net or fax it to: 815 784-2239.

We will contact you after we receive your application to arrange a meeting to discuss your plans.