

North Branch Works is a membership-based nonprofit neighborhood organization that for more than three decades has served businesses and advocated for policies and programs that support thriving businesses, family-sustaining jobs, and healthy communities. Our local expertise and deep relationships have made us the leading economic development organization along the North Branch of the Chicago River.

Access to Funding

- NBW Small Business Loan Fund
 - For start-ups and existing businesses
- Technical assistance with TIF grant programs:
 - -TIF 50/50
 - Small Business Improvement Fund
 - TIFWorks
 - Tax Credit application assistance

Networking

- Participation in networking events:
 - In person / virtual
- Fall Fundraiser
- Your logo highlighted in our e-newsletter, sent to 1,200+ local stakeholders
- A feature story in our e-newsletter

Business Solutions

- Infrastructure Task Force Meetings
- Inclusion in our partner directory
- Workshops and trainings for business growth
- Real estate assistance

Connections to Resources & Services

- Connections to community partners
- Point of contact for operational issues
- Strong working relationships with elected officials
- Advocate for issues that impact business, zoning, infrastructure, security, regulation and more
- Updates about local, city, state, and federal grant opportunities and help pursuing them



Membership Dues

North Branch Works offers a tiered membership structure with reasonable rates depending on business size for businesses located in and around the North Branch, Addison, and Kennedy/Kimball Corridors.

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North Branch Works services the North Branch, Addison, and Kennedy Industrial Corridors, providing an array of services, including financial incentives, infrastructure assistance, and connections to other local businesses and community partners. NBW emphasizes new growth, proper land use, and area revitalization through its business advocacy and innovative business solutions. Join our network today!

North Branch Works Service Areas:





