



The Greater East Aurora
Chamber of Commerce, Inc.
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Dear Members,

We are happy to announce a new addition to our office.

Please join me in welcoming Victoria Sturman as our new Associate Director of Membership and Special Events. She replaces Deb Muniak, who retired at the end of December after 25 years at the Chamber.

As Associate Director, Victoria will act as liaison between the local business community and the Chamber, communicating member benefits to prospective members, and assisting current members.

She will help develop new business opportunities, grow the Chamber's membership, and provide marketing support.

Victoria will also help coordinate many of the Chamber's events, such as the Women's Business Networking Luncheons, Chamber's Choice Awards, Annual Street Festival & Sidewalk Sale, and Taste of East Aurora.



Recently, Victoria was a marketing and public relations consultant for a local marketing firm, working with a variety of businesses across Western New York. Prior to that, she worked with the Amherst Chamber of Commerce in Amherst, NY and was an award-winning newspaper reporter for more than 10 years. She is also President of the Friends of the Orchard Park Public Library.

In 2014, Victoria named Woman of the Year by the Western New York Chapter of the American Business Women's Association (ABWA WNY) and given its Vision Award in 2011.

She has also served as ABWA WNY's Publicity Chair; member of the Development and Public Relations Committee at Meals on Wheels for Western New York; and Co-Chair & Member of the Elmwood Village Association's Public Relations & Marketing Committee.

She lives in Orchard Park with her husband, Steven, and two sons, Alex and Henry. In her free time, she teaches Zumba classes for the Southtowns Family YMCA.

You can reach Victoria at (716) 652-8444 or vsturman@eanycc.com.

Feel free to stop in the office Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and say hello!

And don't forget to like us on Facebook and visit our website - www.eanycc.com- for information on upcoming Chamber events!

Sincerely,

Gary D. Grote
Executive Director
652-8444
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ANNOUNCING NEW CHAMBER OFFICE HOURS & CONTACT INFORMATION

The Chamber is now open:

Mondays, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Tuesdays, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Wednesdays, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Thursdays, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Fridays, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

New Chamber Email Contact Information:

Gary Grote, Executive Director: ggrote@eanycc.com

Victoria Sturman, Associate Director: vsturman@eanycc.com

General Chamber Email: EACChamber@eanycc.com

***Please note these changes in your email.*

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SAVE THE DATE!!!!!!

Upcoming Chamber Events

Business After Hours - Wednesday, March 18, 5:30 to 7 p.m. at Purr-fect Tea & Tea Lounge, 700 Main Street, East Aurora, NY.

Join us for a FREE networking event! Registration is not required, but appreciated. Click here to register.

Register Now - Business After Hours

Women in Business Luncheon - Thursday, April 9, noon to 2 p.m.

In partnership with Small Business Administration (SBA). Location to be announced. Keynote message from **Sara Vescio** of the Women's Business Center at Canisius College, a SBA Resource Partner. **Registration is required.** More details to be announced soon.

23rd Chamber's Choice Awards - Tuesday, April 28, 6 to 8 p.m at The Holland Willows.

Recognizing the achievement of 40 high school students from East Aurora, Holland, Iroquois school districts and BOCES Ormsby Educational Center. This is open to the public. To register, please call the Chamber offices at (716) 652-8444.

Like us on Facebook and visit our website - www.eanycc.com for more details on these and other Chamber events!



TAKE ADVANTAGE OF YOUR MEMBERSHIP WITH OPPORTUNITIES TO HELP GROW YOUR BUSINESS!

GEAC Networking Meeting - We invite you to join us **Wednesday, March 11, and Wednesday, March 25, 2020 - 7:50 am** at the Iron Kettle, \$5pp continental breakfast. It's a great way to get to know people and open the door to further growth for your business! Contact the Chamber Office at 652-8444 if you have any questions or if you're interested in attending.

Business Education Alliance (BEA) - Join us on **Tuesday, March 17, 2020 - 12 noon** at The Globe.

Join local business people, educators and others interested in addressing student school to work preparedness, career exploration and workforce development issues and how to meet workplace needs of the future! Call 652-8444.

Business Tourism Council (BTC) - Join us **Thursday, March 19 - 8:30 am**, at the **[East Aurora Hampton Inn](#)**. Whether you're a retailer, restaurateur, manufacturer or service provider learn more about what's happening in the Greater East Aurora business community and what it means to your business! Businesses also share and provide information on the exciting things happening in their business!

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Please welcome our new members!!!

[Andrews Barber Parlor](#) - Barber Shop
[Arts & Craftsmen Guild](#) - Crafts Guild
[Aurora Epoxy Coatings](#) - Flooring
[Bob James Power of Song Inc.](#) - Civic Member
[Campbell Innovations](#) - Handy Man/Fabrication
[Cielo Salon](#) - Beauty Salon
[Curious LLC](#) - Website Design
[Dackson Service, Inc.](#) - Janitorial Restoration
[ECA Business Alliance](#) - Consulting
[Fejen Design Build](#) - Furniture/Architectural/Millwork Design
[ITAC - It Takes A Community](#) - Drug & Alcohol Coalition
[Lawn Doctor of Central/South Erie County](#) - Lawncare
[McCarville Insurance Agency](#) - Insurance
[Michael Cantara Agency](#) - Insurance
[Mister's Bistro](#) - Restaurant
[Profile Display](#) - Advertising/Marketing
[Seven Generations Wellness](#) - Massage/Yoga
[Smoke World](#) - Retail
[Structure Fitness](#) - Fitness/Personal Training
[Trinity Medical OB/GYN](#) - Physicians
[Vanner Risk Management](#) - Insurance
[Wildflowers Spa & Salon](#) - Beauty Salon
[Zilis](#) - CBD Products

Not a chamber member??

Check out our website - www.eanycc.com - for information on becoming a member of the

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Greater East Aurora Chamber of Commerce 2020 Consumer Guide & Membership Directory

Be on the lookout for our new 2020 Consumer Guide & Membership Directory!!

Directories will be available later this month at various locations throughout East Aurora. They will also be mailed out to all of our members!



Buffalo Niagara

For information on upcoming workshops and events by **SCORE Buffalo Niagara**, please visit their website - <https://buffaloniagara.score.org/buffaloworkshops>

Contact: 716-551-4301

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