

114th ANNUAL REPORT



How we served our members in 2019

BUSINESS ADVOCACY

Supported:

- ▶ HB 166: Veto of Tax Increase on Targeted Professional Services
- ▶ HB 62: Funding for Roads & Infrastructure
- ▶ SB 221: StrongOhio Legislation
- ▶ HB 175: Logistics Forklift Tax Exemption
- ▶ HB 16: Grant Active Duty Military Families Resident Status for In-state College Tuition

DIVERSITY & INCLUSION

- ▶ Launched Bankers Roundtable with 17 lending institutions
- ▶ Supported over \$1M of new capital raised or borrowed for start-ups
- ▶ 2019 Workplace Diversity & Inclusion Forum - 82 attendees
- ▶ Partnered in the Immigrant & Refugee Employer Roundtable Series

LOOKING AHEAD TO 2020

- ▶ Provide resources to support employers' needs for a skilled workforce
- ▶ Drive business friendly policies that promote regional growth
- ▶ Provide access and resources to cultivate business success
- ▶ Complete chamber accreditation application process
- ▶ Thank you to retiring President & CEO, Phil Parker, effective July 31, 2020
- ▶ Welcome Chris Kershner as President & CEO, effective August 1, 2020

\$4.2M
Saved through
chamber buying
programs

141
New Members

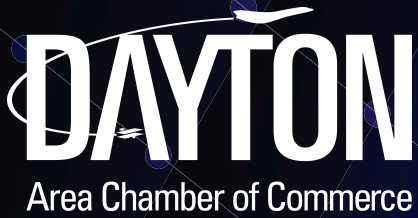
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Leadership
Dayton graduates

25
Empower
graduates

85
Chamber
Events

\$1M+
MBP supported new
capital raised or
borrowed for startups

12
Member businesses
represented in the
Inaugural City2City
Exchange



SOIN AWARD FOR INNOVATION
Arcani Coil Care

PREMIER HEALTH WORKPLACE DIVERSITY AWARD
Canary Consulting

AMBASSADOR OF THE YEAR
Kelley Bell, Saxon Financial Services

VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR
Rob Rohr, Cox Media Group Ohio

Jonathan Dayton Public Partner Award
City of Dayton, Office of the Mayor

John H. Patterson Corporate Partner Award
University of Dayton

2020
ANNUAL AWARD
RECIPIENTS