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# **BUSINESS RESOURCE GUIDE**

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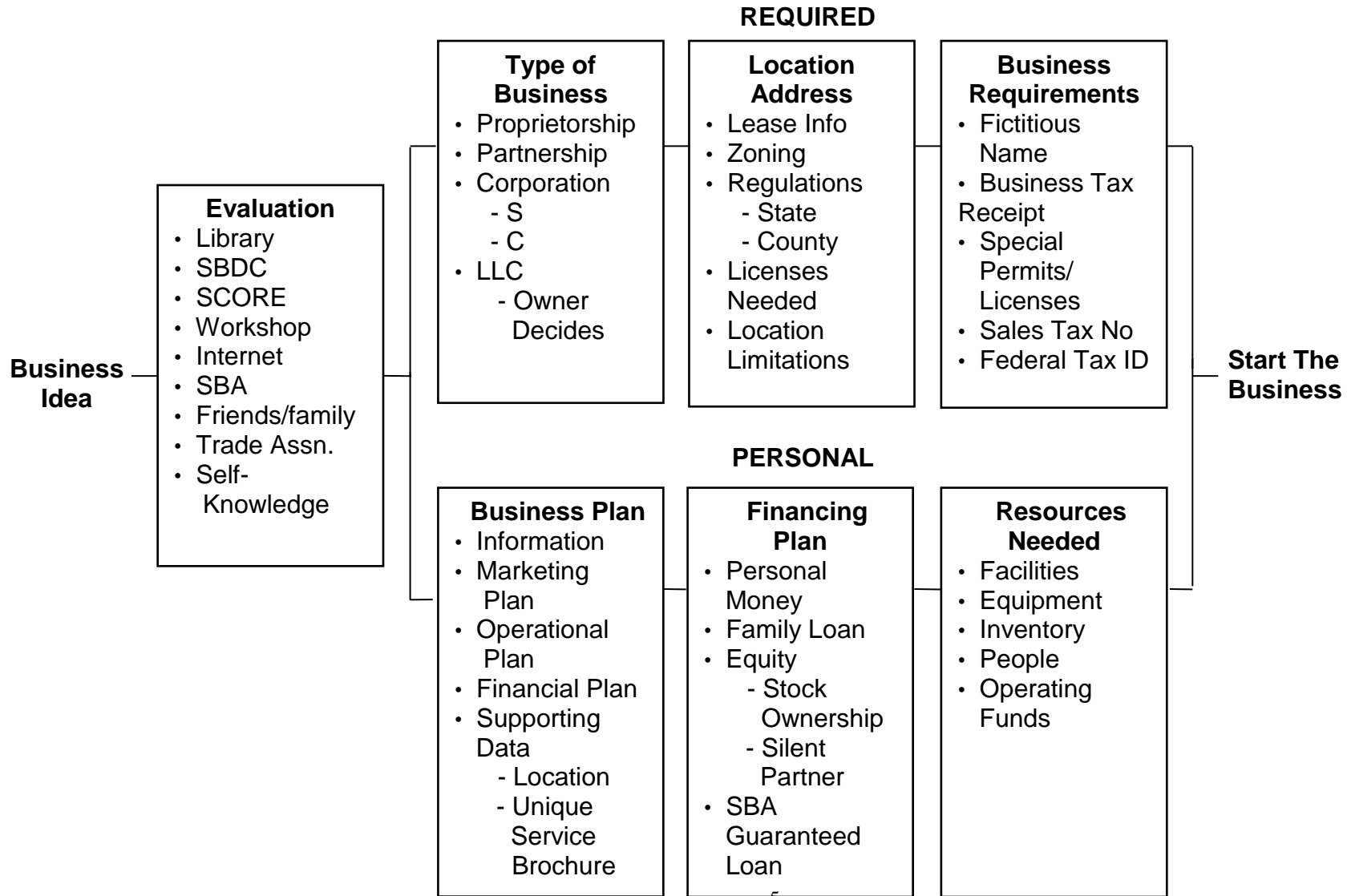
## **INTRODUCTION**

This Business Resource Guide is a compilation of business resources intended to provide assistance to those interested in starting a business as well as a resource for existing businesses interested in obtaining additional information and expertise to further enhance their success.

The Business Resource Guide is a project of The Melbourne Regional Chamber of East Central Florida's Small Business Committee whose mission is to connect small business members with networking opportunities, information, assistance and resources that will help them best utilize their membership and contribute to their success.

If you are not a member of The Melbourne Regional Chamber, we invite you join and protect the investment you have made in your own business by establishing a network of contacts, taking advantage of educational opportunities, and participating in Chamber events, all designed to help you succeed in business.

## Getting Started in Business Flow Chart



## **Licensing/Registration**

- Many business and professions are licensed by the state and/or county.
- Local business tax receipt is required for most businesses and are issued by the **city clerk** and **county tax collector** in most areas.
- Local government agencies issue certificates of occupancy and zoning permits to operate a business in a particular area, including home-based businesses.
- For information on state-regulated professions and businesses, contact the Florida State Department of Business & Professional Regulations. [www.myfloridalicenses.com](http://www.myfloridalicenses.com).
- For information on county-regulated professions and businesses, contact Brevard County License Regulation and Enforcement Division.  
<http://www.brevardcounty.us/>

## **Division of Corporations** (Florida Department of State)

State agency for business entity filings, annual reports, fictitious names, trademarks and service marks.

**Mailing Address:** Department of State Division of Corporations Corporate Filings  
P.O. Box 6327, Tallahassee, FL 32314

**Physical Address:** 409 E. Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399

**Website:** [www.sunbiz.org](http://www.sunbiz.org)

## **Division of Corporations Telephone Directory:**

Amendments/Dissolutions/Withdrawals	(850) 245-6050
Annual Reports	(850) 245-6056
Certification/Copy Requests	(850) 245-6053
LP Reinstatements	(850) 245-6059
Registrations, Renewals	(850) 245-6059
Federal Tax Liens	(850) 245-6011
Florida Profit & Non-Profit Articles	(850) 245-6052
Internet Support Section	(850) 245-6939
Judgment Liens	(850) 656-7463
Limited Liability Partnership Filings	(850) 245-6051
Corporate Mergers/Registered Agent Changes	(850) 245-6050
Partnership Filings (General, Limited, Limited Liability)	(850) 245-6051
Trade & Service Mark Filings	(850) 245-6051

## **FLORIDA TODAY** Newspaper for Central/South Brevard

Ph: (321) 242-3500

Mailing Address: Florida Today P.O. Box 41900 Melbourne, FL 32941-9000

Website: [www.floridatoday.com](http://www.floridatoday.com)

- Local area daily newspaper used to insert a notice of fictitious name (if the business will be conducted under a name other than your own) and record affidavit at the County Courthouse.
- In addition, you must insert a Notice of Intention to Purchase under Bulk Sales Law, if the stock of goods, wares, or merchandise and/or business fixtures or equipment of existing business is being purchased.

## **Brevard County Government Services Government Center**

2725 Judge Fran Jamieson Way

Viera, FL 32940

Ph: (321) 633-2000

Website: [www.brevardcounty.us](http://www.brevardcounty.us)

- Planning and Development Licensing Regulation & Enforcement (321) 633-2058
  - Environmental Health Services (State agency) (321) 633-2100
  - Planning & Zoning (Growth Management) (321) 633-2070
  - Permitting Inspections and Violations (321) 633-2072
  - Land Development & Site Plan Review (321) 633-2065
  - Building Code (Pulling Building Permits) (321) 633-2072
  - Permitting & Code Enforcement (321) 633-2086
  - Property Appraiser – [www.bcpao.us](http://www.bcpao.us)
    - Melbourne Office (321) 255-4440
    - Palm Bay Office (321) 952-4574
    - Titusville Office (Main) (321) 264-6700
    - Viera Office (321) 690-6880
  - Business Tax Receipts - [www.brevardtaxcollector.com](http://www.brevardtaxcollector.com)
    - Melbourne Office (321) 255-4453
    - Merritt Island Office (321) 264-5224
    - Palm Bay Office (321) 952-4540
    - Titusville Office (321) 264-5224
- Administration (Brevard County) (321) 633-2069

## **Cities & Municipalities in South Brevard County**

### **Indialantic Town Hall**

216 Fifth Avenue

Indialantic, FL 32903

Ph: (321) 723-2242

Website: [www.indialantic.com](http://www.indialantic.com)

### **Indian Harbour Beach City Hall**

2055 S. Patrick Drive

Indian Harbour Beach, FL 32937

Ph: (321) 773-3181

Website: <http://www.indianharbourbeach.org/>

### **Malabar Town Hall**

2725 Malabar Road

Malabar, FL 32950

Ph: (321) 727-7764

Website: [www.townofmalabar.org](http://www.townofmalabar.org)

**Melbourne City Hall**

900 E. Strawbridge Avenue  
Melbourne, FL 32901  
Ph: (321) 608-7000  
Website: [www.melbourneflorida.org](http://www.melbourneflorida.org)

**Melbourne Beach Town Hall**

507 Ocean Avenue  
Melbourne Beach, FL 32951  
Ph: (321) 724-5860  
Website: [www.melbournebeachfl.org](http://www.melbournebeachfl.org)

**Melbourne Village Town Hall**

555 Hammock Road  
Melbourne Village, FL 32904  
Ph: (321) 723-8300  
Website: [www.melbournevillage.org](http://www.melbournevillage.org)

**Palm Bay City Hall**

120 Malabar Road SE  
Palm Bay, FL 32907  
Ph: (321) 952-3400  
Website: [www.palmbayflorida.org](http://www.palmbayflorida.org)

- Palm Bay Economic Development website [www.palmbayflorida.org/economic](http://www.palmbayflorida.org/economic), this website highlights economic and business development opportunities, including a detailed profile of the city complete with demographics, population, business incentives, educational opportunities for job seekers, networking opportunities and more. Edyie McCall is the Business Development Administrator. (321) 952-3426

**Palm Shores Town Hall**

5030 Paul Hurtt Lane  
Palm Shores, FL 32940  
Ph: (321) 242-4555  
Website: [www.townofpalmshores.org](http://www.townofpalmshores.org)

**Rockledge City Hall**

1600 Huntington Lane  
Rockledge, FL 32955  
Ph: (321) 690-3978  
[www.cityofrockledge.org](http://www.cityofrockledge.org)

**Satellite Beach City Hall**

565 Cassia Blvd.,  
Satellite Beach, FL 32937  
Ph: (321) 773-4407  
Website: [www.satellitebeachfl.org](http://www.satellitebeachfl.org)



### **West Melbourne City Hall**

2240 Minton Road

West Melbourne, FL 32904

Ph: (321) 727-7700

Website: [www.westmelbourne.org](http://www.westmelbourne.org)

### **TAXES**

- In addition to federal taxes such as corporate income tax and unemployment tax, most businesses in Florida are required to pay state taxes such as sales and use tax, discretionary sales surtax (local option taxes), unemployment tax, communications services tax, corporate income tax, and use tax on out-of-state purchases.
- Certain businesses must also pay tangible or intangible personal property tax. Florida law requires many businesses to e-file their tax returns. Businesses must pay electronically through [www.myflorida.com/dor](http://www.myflorida.com/dor), if they pay more than \$30,000 per year in sales or fuel tax; have 10 or more employees on whom they pay unemployment tax in any calendar quarter; or remit any fuel tax or file consolidated tax returns for locations in more than one county.
- Contact the agencies listed below to determine your business tax responsibilities.

### **Florida Department of Revenue**

Cocoa Service Center

2428 Clearlake Rd., Bldg. M

Cocoa, FL 32922-5731

Ph: (321) 504-0950 (local office)

(800) 352-3671 (state office)

Website: [www.myflorida.com/dor/](http://www.myflorida.com/dor/)

- The Florida Department of State handles corporate filings, fictitious name and partnership registrations.
- The Florida Department of Revenue collects state taxes. Businesses obtain a Florida Sales Tax number and report sales tax collections monthly to the Department.
- You can register to collect and/or pay tax in Florida and enroll to file and/or pay tax electronically via the Department's Website at [www.myflorida.com/dor](http://www.myflorida.com/dor) and clicking on "e-Services."
- If do not have Internet access, you can obtain a paper "Application to Collect and/or Report Tax in Florida" (form DR-1) from your local DOR Service Center.

### **Internal Revenue Service**

Internal Revenue Service (local office)

431 N. Wickham Road

Melbourne, FL 32935

Ph: (321) 253-7700 & 1-800-829-3676

### **Federal Tax Information:**

Ph: 1-800-829-1040

Website: [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov)

- The IRS Provides information on employee withholding taxes (income and Social Security taxes), company taxes, federal unemployment taxes, and obtaining an Employer Identification Number (EIN).
- The IRS also conducts free small business workshops.
- Taxpayers can call 1-800-829-4933 to obtain an Employer Identification Number (EIN). Detailed information and an electronic SS-4 can be found at: [www.irs.gov/businesses/small](http://www.irs.gov/businesses/small) and click on link titled "Employer ID Numbers (EINs)."

### **Social Security Administration**

Social Security Office – South Brevard

Ground Floor

1715 W. Nasa Blvd.

Melbourne, FL 32901

Ph: 800-772-1213

Website: [www.ssa.gov](http://www.ssa.gov)

- Employers must withhold Social Security and Medicare taxes from employees' wages and pay a matching amount. These taxes have different rates and only the social security tax has a wage base limit. There is no wage base limit for Medicare tax; all covered wages are subject to Medicare tax.
- To learn more about the five major benefits covered by Social Security taxes (retirement, disability, family benefits, survivors and Medicare), please refer to the Social Security Administration's Website.

### **GOVERNMENT AGENCIES – STATE & LOCAL**

**Enterprise Florida, Inc.** (Headquarters)

800 N. Magnolia Ave, Suite 1100

Orlando, FL 32803

Ph: (407) 956-5600

- Enterprise Florida, Inc. (EFI) is the public-private partnership responsible for leading Florida's statewide economic development efforts. The organization's mission is to diversify Florida's economy and create better paying jobs for its citizens by supporting, attracting and helping to create businesses in innovative, high-growth industries.
- EFI focuses on high-value sectors such as: international commerce, information technology, life sciences, aviation/aerospace, homeland security/defense, financial/professional services and modeling/simulation/training (part of IT).

**Florida Division of Corporations** (Secretary of State)

Department of State - Division of Corporations

Corporate Filings

P.O. Box 6327, Tallahassee, FL 32314

Ph: 850-245-6052

Website: [www.dos.state.fl.us/doc/](http://www.dos.state.fl.us/doc/) or [www.sunbiz.org](http://www.sunbiz.org)

- The Division of Corporations is a ministerial filing agency which serves as the statewide central repository for business entity filings and annual reports, the statewide central filing office for judgment lien filings, and the statewide central registration office for fictitious names, trademarks and service marks. The Division is also the resource for information contained in these records.

**Florida Department of Business & Professional Regulation**

DBPR Customer Contact Center

1940 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1027

Ph: 1-850-487-1395

Website: [www.myfloridalicense.com](http://www.myfloridalicense.com)

- The Florida Department of Business & Professional Regulation oversees the licensure and regulation of nearly 200 classes of professions and occupations. Our regulatory reach is extensive, encompassing the hospitality industry, pari-mutuel wagering, licensed professions and occupations, alcohol and tobacco sales, and real estate, mobile homes and condominiums.

**Florida Department of Financial Services**

Florida Department of Financial Services

Division of Consumer Services

200 East Gaines Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0322

Ph: (850) 413-3089

Toll-Free: 1-800-342-2247 (Florida residents only out of state: 850-413-3089)

Website: [www.myfloridacfo.com](http://www.myfloridacfo.com)

- Regulatory and licensing department for state-chartered lending institutions, mortgage brokerage & lending, consumer finance loans, securities, certified capital companies, retail installment sales, commercial collection agencies, funeral and cemetery services.

**Department of Labor - Florida Division of Worker's Compensation**

Bureau of Compliance

400 W. Robinson Street, Suite-N509

Room 211, North Tower, Orlando, FL 32801-1756

Ph: (407) 835-4406

Website: [www.fldfs.com/wc/](http://www.fldfs.com/wc/)

- Under the Florida Department of Financial Services, this Division operates to ensure the self-execution of the workers' compensation system through educating and informing all stakeholders in the system of their rights and responsibilities, compiling and monitoring system data, and holding parties accountable for meeting their obligations.

## **Unemployment Compensation Division - Information for Employers**

Agency for Workforce Innovation  
107 East Madison Street.  
Caldwell Building  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-4120  
Ph: 850) 245-7105.  
Website: [www.floridajobs.org](http://www.floridajobs.org)

- Agency responsible for implementing policy dealing with workforce development programs, welfare transition, unemployment compensation, workforce information services and labor market information.

State of Florida - Government Directory Assistance  
Ph: (1-866)-693-6748  
State of Florida - State Information Operator  
PH: (850)488-1234

## **Assistance Organizations**

45th Space Wing  
1201 Minuteman Street, Bldg.  
423, Room C-110  
Patrick Air Force Base, FL 32925  
Ph: (321) 494-2207  
Fx: (321) 494-5599  
E-mail: [sherri.richardson@us.af.mil](mailto:sherri.richardson@us.af.mil)  
Contact: Sherri Richardson

**Purpose:** Counsel small businesses on how to do business with the Air Force, Patrick Air Force Base and Cape Canaveral Airforce Station  
**Hours:** M494-2207on - Fri - 7:30 AM - 4:15 PM  
**Client Base/Fees:** Serve all clients

**Better Business Council (BBC) of Melbourne Regional Chamber of East Central Florida**

1005 E. Strawbridge Avenue,

Melbourne, FL 32901

Ph: (321) 984-8454,

Fax: (321) 725-2093

E-mail: [bbc@melbourneregionalchamber.com](mailto:bbc@melbourneregionalchamber.com) -

Website: [www.melbourneregionalchamber.com](http://www.melbourneregionalchamber.com)

Contact: Lisa Rouede, [lisa@MelbourneRegionalChamer.com](mailto:lisa@MelbourneRegionalChamer.com)

- Purpose:** Provide membership referral services, free arbitration and consumer education
- Resources:** Member/complaint database
- Meeting Date:** Fourth Wednesday of each month at 8:00 a.m.
- Client Base/Fees:** Membership fees \$150 per year. Qualifications to join include: A current member in good standing of The Melbourne Regional Chamber, properly licensed & insured, in business locally for at least one year, and no outstanding or unresolved complaints filed with the BBC against your business.

**Eastern Florida State College – Small Business Development Center (SBDC)**

3865 N. Wickham Road, Bldg 10, Room 117

Melbourne, FL 32935

Phone #: (321)-433-5570 or (321)-433-5573

Fax #: (321)433-5708

Website: [www.easternflorida.edu/go/sbdc](http://www.easternflorida.edu/go/sbdc)

Director, Martin Duffy [duffym@easternflorida.edu](mailto:duffym@easternflorida.edu)

Additional Reps. Sandy Pfrimmer-[pfrimmers@easternflorida.edu](mailto:pfrimmers@easternflorida.edu) & Tracy Hummel-[hummelt@easternflorida.edu](mailto:hummelt@easternflorida.edu)

- Purpose:** Assist entrepreneurs through counseling, seminars, and workshops. Promote economic development by responding to the needs of small businesses in Brevard. Provide business professionals an opportunity to contribute to the community through volunteering as instructors or work with business owners.
- Continued:** Counseling with certified volunteer business analysts, small group counseling, roundtables and training programs. Special international quality and electronic data interchange programs.
- Resources:** Various times at main college office and Melbourne Regional Chamber
- Meeting Dates:** Assist business start-up and enhance existing businesses with FREE coordinator counseling.
- Client Base/Fees:**

### **Brevard Small Business Assistance Council**

Contact: Julie Song, [julies@flbms.com](mailto:julies@flbms.com) / Website: [www.bsbac.org](http://www.bsbac.org)

- Purpose:** Promote the exchange of ideas, methods, experiences and general information among government agencies and contractor personnel in small business utilization programs.
- Resources:** Membership consists of federal, state, county, city, academic, legal, military or large private sector organizations interested in the development, operation, clarification, implementation and improvement of small business programs.
- Meeting Time:** Meet quarterly at various members' facilities within Brevard County.

### **Brevard Workforce Development Board**

5275 Babcock St NE Ste 8B, Palm Bay, FL 32905  
Ph: (321) 504-7600 1-800-955-8770/ Fax: (321) 504-7600  
Website: <http://www.brevardjoblink.org/>

- Purpose:** To facilitate and be the catalyst for training and educational services that are responsive to the employment needs of Brevard County.
- Resources:** Vocational/technical training; workforce development; business services; employee hiring; job preparation; resume writing; interview skills; employability skill training
- Meeting Time:** Board meeting - bimonthly, 3rd Friday, 8:30 a.m. at BCC Cocoa Administration Board Room.
- Client Base/Fees:** No charge for eligible customers; no charge for businesses hiring our customers
- Qualifications for Assistance: Laid-off workers or long-term unemployed; economically disadvantaged citizens and those with barriers to employment

### **Canaveral Port Authority and Foreign Trade Zone #136**

P.O. Box 267, Cape Canaveral, FL 32920  
Ph: (321) 783-7831, Fax: (321) 783-6223  
E-mail: [portcan@aol.com](mailto:portcan@aol.com)  
Website: [www.portcanaveral.org](http://www.portcanaveral.org)

- Purpose:** Operation of deep water port and Foreign Trade Zone
- Resources:** Deep Water Port with cargo and cruise facilities.
- Meeting Time:** Commission meets on 3rd Wednesday of each month at 2:00 p.m.
- Client Base/Fees:** Start up and existing international, domestic and FTZ businesses.
- Qualifications for Assistance: Desire for import/export information.

**The Library of Congress**

U.S. Copyright Office  
101 Independence Avenue S.E.  
Washington, D.C. 20559-6000  
Ph: (202) 707-5000  
Website: <http://www.loc.gov/>

**Copyright Hot Line (202) 707-5959**

Or 1-877-476-0778 (toll-free)

**Economic Development Commission of Florida’s Space Coast**

6525 3rd Street, Suite 304  
Rockledge, FL 32955  
Ph: (321) 638-2000 or 1-800-535-0203  
Fx: (321) 633-4200  
E-mail: [edcfsc@edc-space.org](mailto:edcfsc@edc-space.org)  
Website: [www.spacecoastedc.org](http://www.spacecoastedc.org)  
Contact: Lynda Weatherman

- Purpose:** To create value-added jobs for the Brevard County community through the recruitment and retention of industry.
- Resources:** General demographics, market research, labor and wage analysis, industrial building availability and marketing, directory of manufacturers, and confidential site relocation assistance.
- Client Base/Fees:** No charge for assistance. Services for existing, new and relocating industry (manufacturing and high tech mainly) as well as the general public.

**Founders Forum**

c/o SBDC @ EFSC  
3865 N. Wickham Rd  
BLDG 10 Room 117  
Melbourne, FL 32935  
Ph: 321-433-5570  
Fx: 321-433-5708  
[webcontact@foundersforum.com](mailto:webcontact@foundersforum.com)

- Purpose:** Non-profit Corporation dedicated to the needs of entrepreneurs.
- Meeting Date:** Series of dinner meetings arranged Monthly. Announced on a line card and through Brevard business publications.
- Client Base/Fees:** \$35 with pre-registration; \$40 at the door; \$20, with pre-registration. Season tickets available for 160 Board arranges monthly dinner meetings.

**Home Builder & Contractors Association of Brevard (HBCA)**

1500 W. Eau Gallie Blvd., Melbourne, FL 32935

Ph: (321) 254-3700

Fx: (321) 259-9504

President: Michelle Masline

- Purpose:** Trade Association for the Construction & Home Building Industries. Development of professionalism. Education of members. Promotion of better service to the buying public.
- Resources:** Remodelers council referral service (321) 768-9412. Housing Problems assistance. Education seminars for the public.
- Meeting Dates:** Monthly meeting of committees and leadership.

**Foreign Trade Zone #136**

P.O. Box 267, Cape Canaveral, FL 32920

Ph: (321) 783-7831 / Fax: (321) 783-3748

E-mail: [ftz136@aol.com](mailto:ftz136@aol.com)

Website: [www.portcanaveral.org](http://www.portcanaveral.org)

- Purpose:** As a Grantee of FTZ #136 they offer duty deferral programs for companies engaging in international business.
- Resources:** Marketing brochures, training, consultations.  
Meetings: By appointment.
- Client Base/Fees:** Client base companies whom import/export, fee quoted.

**Melbourne Regional Chamber of East Central Florida**

1005 E. Strawbridge Avenue, Melbourne, FL 32901

Ph: (321) 724-5400 or 1-800-771-9922 /Fax: 321) 725-2093

Website: [www.melbourneregionalchamber.com](http://www.melbourneregionalchamber.com)

Contact: Michael Ayer, President & CEO

- Purpose:** To create an environment where businesses will succeed.
- Resources:** Publications available include: Demographics (Economic Profile), Directory of Manufacturers, maps, on Brevard County, Relocation Guide, Visitors Guide, and Reference materials. Networking functions to include: Monthly "Business Breakfast of Champions" Meetings, Tabletop Expos Business development Seminars, Committee Meetings and various other events.
- Meeting Date:** First Thursday of month - Monthly Membership Breakfast - location varies; other committee meetings at various times throughout the month. Check the monthly newsletter and calendar of events for dates and locations.
- Client Base/Fees:** Businesses, civic, charitable and social service organizations as well as individuals. Membership fees are based on size of company and vary depending on number of employees, call for information/fees.



### **MRI Global**

1470 Treeland Blvd.  
Palm Bay, FL 32909  
Ph: (321) 723-4547 – 321-308-6906  
Fx: (321) 722-2514  
Website: [www.mriglobal.org](http://www.mriglobal.org)  
Contact: LeeAnn Smithson

**Purpose:** Chemical, Analytical, Biological, and Environmental Testing and Research; Education.  
**Resources:** Over \$4 million in instrumentation, experienced PhD level staff affiliated with BCC, UCF and University of Florida.  
**Meeting Date:** Hours Mon - Fri 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM  
**Client Base/Fees:** Various industries requiring testing, analytical, problem solving and research facilities.

- Qualifications for Assistance: Provide assistance to small businesses needing access to equipment and experienced personnel.

### **Patent & Trademark Office**

Applications for patents and trademarks can be obtained by contacting:  
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington D.C. 20231  
Ph: (800) 786-9199  
Website: [www.uspto.gov](http://www.uspto.gov)

### **The Reusable Resources Adventure Center (TRRAC)**

(Formerly known as the Brevard Schools Recycle Center)  
2255 Meadowlane Avenue  
West Melbourne, FL 32904  
Ph: (321) 729-0100

**Purpose:** Collect, clean, safe materials from industry and business waste products to provide creative resources for education.  
**Client Base/Fees:** Work with all businesses, no fees, ask for a donation proportional to savings in landfill fees when possible.

- Qualifications for Assistance: Accept a wide range of materials from paper & wood to foams, plastics, books and textiles.

## **CareerSource Brevard**

### Location #1

Country Club Plaza  
5275 Babcock St., NE  
Suite 8B  
Palm Bay, FL 32905  
Ph: (321) 504-7600  
Email: [info@brevardworkforce.com](mailto:info@brevardworkforce.com)

### Location #2

295 Barnes Blvd.,  
Rockledge, FL 32955  
Ph: (321) 504-7600 & 1-800-955-8770/ Fax: (321) 504-7600  
Website: <http://www.careersourcebrevard.com>

- **Purpose:** Career Source Brevard is a network of "one-stop" **career center** that offer a variety of services to both job seekers and employers.  
**Hours: M,Tu,W,Th,- 9 AM – 6:30 PM**  
9 AM – 6:30 PM
- CareerSource Brevard is part of a statewide network known as CareerSource Florida. Our work is business driven and talent focused. We are dedicated to supporting the present and the future of Brevard County and on the people who live and work here. We collaborate with workforce, education and business organizations to help companies find, train, hire and keep qualified employees. We help career seekers explore new careers, improve their skills, and get better jobs. We understand special populations and their workforce challenges: young adults, veterans, military spouses & their families, newly displaced, mature, and disabled workers. And, we make certain our efforts are effective and sustainable.

## **SPACE FLORIDA**

### **Space Florida / Mailing Address:**

P.O. Box 656  
Cape Canaveral, FL 32920

### **Corporate Office/Physical Address:**

Bldg M6-306. Room 9030 M.S. SPFL  
State Road 405  
Kennedy Space Center, FL 32899

### **South Campus Office (Cape Canaveral)**

100 Space Port Way  
Cape Canaveral, FL 32920  
Fax: (321)- 323-5070  
Ph: (321)- 730-5301  
Fax: (321)- 730-5307

### **Spaceflorida.gov**

- **Purpose:** Space Florida is an Independent Special District of the State of Florida, created by Chapter 331, Part II, Florida Statutes, for the purposes of fostering the growth and development of a sustainable and world-leading space industry in Florida.

### **Florida High Tech Corridor**

1055 AAA Drive Suite 140, Heathrow, FL 32746

**P:** (407) 708-4630

**F:** (407) 708-4635

Floridahightech.com

**Purpose:** The Florida High Tech Corridor Council (FHTCC) is a regional economic development initiative of the **University of Central Florida (UCF)**, the **University of South Florida (USF)** and the **University of Florida (UF)** whose mission is to grow high tech industry in the region through research, workforce development and marketing programs.

### **Space Coast Tech Council (SCTC)**

1005 E. Strawbridge Ave., Melbourne, FL 32901

**P:** (321)-724-5400

**F:** (321)-725-2093

<http://sctcbrevard.com/>

**Purpose:** The Space Coast Tech Council is an umbrella organization that invites all tech-related companies and selected business support services to join in the shaping and promotion of Brevard and surrounding counties as a leading area for technology-based businesses and manufacturers. The council is governed by an advisory board, driven by committees, and grown by its members. Together we are uniting our efforts to showcase our technical diversity, and bring Brevard County to a strong and competitive position in our expanding world marketplace.

### **Disney Entrepreneur Center**

3201 E. Colonial Drive, Ste A-20, Orlando, FL 32803

**Ph:** 407-420-4848

disneyec.com

**Purpose:** The Disney Entrepreneur Center provides a single location where small businesses can access a variety of business resources, technology, research tools and more than 8 resident support organizations who can provide free One-on-One Business Coaching, Low-cost Seminars, Powerful Networking Events, Access to Business Building Tools and Resources, Certification assistance for Minority Owned Businesses, Connections to Procurement Opportunities and Publicity Opportunities.