

Make an investment in Downtown Chillicothe

The historic business and government center is the heart and soul of Ross County. When it is vibrant, the entire community benefits. It makes us proud of our heritage. Visitors leave with a feeling that this is a community proud of what it has to offer. Newcomers quickly realize they have moved to a community in which they can speak with pride to those back home.

A group of downtown property owners, business proprietors, business organizations and city and county government as well as other interested people has come together to work toward improving the economic viability of the district. The group decided in a public meeting in early January to utilize the services of the pre-eminent downtown consulting firm in the United States — HyettPalma.

This firm has helped more than 50 downtowns in more than 20 years become more economically viable and more vibrant. We feel strongly they can do the same for Chillicothe. We now are asking you to become a part of this movement and to become part of this exciting venture to revitalize our downtown.



Your tax-deductible contribution will help pay for the five-year economic development strategy HyettPalma will deliver to the community five months from when it starts. Everyone in the community will have an opportunity to participate in the process. We fully expect to garner financial support from many of the participants mentioned above, but we also know that you and/or your business or organization would like to be a part of this community-wide effort.

If you would like more information on HyettPalma and the work it will be doing, go to www.chillicothe.com and click on the appropriate links. Thank you for your consideration and, hopefully, your contribution.

Downtown Chillicothe Investment

(Make checks payable to the "First Capital District")

Name: _____

Business, if appropriate: _____

Address: _____

City (if not Chillicothe): _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Contribution: \$ _____

May we use your name in recognition materials or to encourage other contributions?

Yes _____ No _____

Mail or bring your form and contribution to 45 E. Main St., Chillicothe, OH 45601-2504