

## **Member Engagement Coordinator**

### **February 2021 Newsletter**

**Hello! Thank goodness the snow is finally beginning to melt. The snow piled on top of an entire year of staying home and social distancing means only one thing...everyone is ready to get outside and have fun. Hopefully, we will be able to do just that in the months to come.**

**We extend the warmest welcome to our newest members: Kelly's Home Medical in Clinton, Iowa, SureStay Hotel in Thomson, Illinois, and the Fulton Retail Development Group of Fulton, Illinois. The Chamber sincerely appreciates their partnership and dedication to creating a strong economic community within our surrounding area! Please remember them when you shop and engage services.**

**Recently, I met (in person!) with the super positive and dynamic Clinton High School Synergy Group to discuss ideas they have to beautify our area. I must say, what an impressive group of students. They truly care and have a great deal of passion for our community. It is refreshing to meet with young people who are genuinely interested in community affairs and willing to put time and effort into creating a good quality of life for the residents in our area. I extend a big THANK YOU to Bill Misiewicz for inviting me to meet with the Synergy students.**

**We are beginning to plan our first event of the year. Our Annual Awards Dinner will be held at the beginning of June. If your business or organization would like to sponsor, please contact me at [jholm@clintonia.com](mailto:jholm@clintonia.com) or (563)559-2199. Remember: Sponsoring a Chamber event is an excellent way to advertise. Of course, we are taking precautions regarding Covid-19, so don't be afraid to mark your calendars and reserve the date when it is settled.**

**Once again, we would like to thank all of the businesses and organizations who have invested in our area communities and continue to support our local economy. The incredible work ethic and tenacity you and your teams have shown during recent events is an inspiration.**

