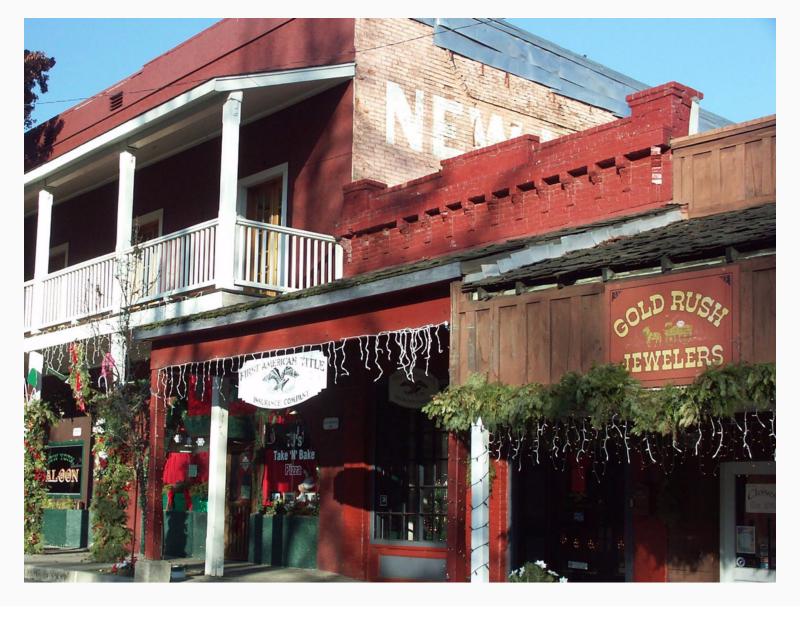
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## **President's Message**

Well, these are certainly challenging times. We are surrounded by fire; Covid is rearing its ugly head again. But we are community strong, and we work together. We help one another and this is what makes this such a great place to live and to have a business. This is what our community is about, and this is what the Weaverville Chamber supports. We applaud you! Looking ahead with a positive focus, we are planning our First Saturday events. This event was initiated by the Trinity County Arts Council and continues to be supported by the Council, but First Saturday is no longer just about the visual and performing arts. First Saturday is about you, who you are as a person, who you are as a business, what you want to present to the community. First Saturday is a day to bring out the people; local, visitors, guests, to experience what we have to offer and to celebrate Weaverville. We at the Chamber hope you find this to be an opportunity for your business. Stick together and hold tight. We are Trinity Strong!

As you may know, the Weaverville Chamber of Commerce is a volunteer-based organization, made up of local businesses and community members. As such, we believe in the strength of relationships and partnerships between our community members, businesses, and other organizations. We are excited to invite you on this journey by renewing your membership or becoming a new member of WCOC for the 2021 year. Annual dues are just \$50 for a business/organization and \$40 for an individual community member.

Through your membership, we look forward to participation in the promotion of Weaverville, our businesses and our community. The strength of the Weaverville Chamber of Commerce comes from the strength and commitment of its members. Chamber meetings occur on the third Thursday of each month, which are currently held virtually via zoom. All are welcome! And please visit our website at <u>www.weavervilleca.org</u> for details about becoming a member of the Chamber. On behalf of the entire 2021 Board of Directors, thank you! *Elizabeth Watson, President* 



# U.S. Small Business Administration

### **Presidential Disaster Declaration for Trinity County**

On Sat. Sept. 18, 2021, FEMA issued an amendment adding Tehama and Trinity Counties for Individual Assistance. This activated the SBA disaster loan programs. SBA will establish a Virtual Business Recovery Center to provide personalized assistance to business owners. In addition, SBA will also open a Virtual Disaster Loan Outreach Center to help homeowners and renters. Customer Service Representatives will be available to business owners and individuals to answer questions about SBA's disaster loan program, explain the application process and help each person complete their electronic loan application.

> Virtual Business Recovery Center and Virtual Disaster Loan Outreach Center Monday – Friday (5 days/week) 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.

## FOCWAssistance@sba.gov (800) 659-2955

Businesses of all sizes and private nonprofit organizations may borrow up to \$2 million to repair or replace damaged or destroyed real estate, machinery and equipment, inventory and other business assets. SBA can also lend additional funds to businesses and homeowners to help with the cost of improvements to protect, prevent or minimize the same type of disaster damage from occurring in the future.

For small businesses, small agricultural cooperatives, small businesses engaged in aquaculture and most private nonprofit organizations of any size, SBA offers Economic Injury Disaster Loans to help meet working capital needs caused by the disaster. Economic injury assistance is available to businesses regardless of any property damage.

Disaster loans up to \$200,000 are available to homeowners to repair or replace damaged or destroyed real estate. Homeowners and renters are eligible for up to \$40,000 to repair or replace damaged or destroyed personal property.

Interest rates can be as low as 2.855 percent for businesses, 2 percent for private nonprofit organizations and 1.563 percent for homeowners and renters with terms up to 30 years. Loan amounts and terms are set by SBA and are based on each applicant's financial condition.

To be considered for all forms of disaster assistance, survivors must first contact the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) at <u>www.disasterassistance.gov.</u> Applicants may apply online, receive additional disaster assistance information and download applications at <u>https://disasterloanassistance.sba.gov/</u>. Applicants may also call SBA's Customer Service Center at (800) 659-2955 or email <u>disastercustomerservice@sba.gov</u> for more information on SBA disaster

email <u>disastercustomerservice@sba.gov</u> for more information on SBA disaster assistance. Individuals who are deaf or hard-of-hearing may call (800) 877-8339.



## **New Chamber Member Spotlight**

TRINITY HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING located at 400 Washington Street in Weaverville, Owner & President Lanny Roan established Trinity Heating and Air Conditioning in 1996, as a means to be with his family in beautiful Trinity County. From 1990 - 1996 Lanny worked as a project superintendent for larger HVAC companies throughout California. He oversaw many projects including apartment complexes, major department stores, hospitals, county, state and federal facilities. As an active member in his community, he has been a proud supporter in local the local High School's Sober Grad program. athletics, music, theater, 4H, FFA, Weaverville Historical Society and American Cancer Society relay for life. Lanny and his employees participated in continued training; including safety, new products and services, energy efficiency, indoor air quality, current building codes and EPA regulations, Lanny's extensive knowledge about HVAC and Sheet metal is what makes him a step above the rest. Trinity Heating & Air Conditioning is open Monday - Friday from 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM. You can always call them at 530-623-4046 or email them.

## Partner Showcase

<u>The SMART Workforce Center</u> is a 501c3 non-profit, committed to helping job seekers find jobs, increase training and skills, and increase earnings. We also invest in our local economy by helping businesses grow. Smart Workforce believes in stable jobs that lead to growing careers and support thriving families in our region. Through education, work experience and on-the-job training, we partner with our clients to ensure their professional development and long-term success. These programs are designed to link employers with individuals and to help these individuals develop valuable skills. The SMART Workforce center, located at 790 Main Street, in Weaverville, California is at the heart of cultivating the dynamic workforce. You can contact them by calling **(530) 623-5538.** 

### CANDIDATE RECRUITMENT

- Posting job openings
- Collecting Resumes
- Applicant Testing
- Candidate Referrals
- Hiring Fairs
- Interview Facility

### WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS

- Team of professional and experienced staff
- On-the-Job Training Reimbursement Opportunities
- Young Adult Work Experience Opportunities
- Candidate Referrals
- Tax Credits
- National Disaster & Special Grant Money



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## Welcome 2021 Chamber Members

We would like to thank the following businesses, organizations and individuals who have either joined or renewed their 2021 Chamber membership. Please our <u>Chamber Member Listing</u> page on our website to contact any our wonderful members.

> After Five Magazine NSVG B. Sharp Electrical Contractors Buildaberg Cafe on Main Chriss Williams Crvstal air Evergreen Farm, Feed & Garden **FLOWRA** Gold Rush Jewelers Highland Art Center Main Street Gallery Plotzke Ace Hardware Shasta – Cascade SBDC Shear Delight Salon Six Rivers Rafting, Inc. Susan Marie & Associates Tammie's Books The Nugget Restaurant The Water Bar Trinity Arts & Crafts Supply Co. Trinity County Title Company Trinity Heating and Air Conditioning Trinity Public Utilities District Trinity River Consulting, LLC Trinity River Lumber Company Trinity Theater Trish Waldrip Weaverville Pet Motel



The Weaverville Chamber of Commerce Board Meetings are held on the third Thursday of each month at 6:00 p.m. Currently the meetings are being held via Zoom. Join Zoom via online by <u>clicking here</u>. Dial in by phone 1-669-900-6833;Meeting ID: 892 9210 7125; Password: 821861.

The **Weaverville Farmers' Market** is held through mid-October every Wednesday in the Highland Arts Meadow from 4pm to 7pm. To have access to fresh, locally grown foods, honey, baked goods and herbal medicine is an incredible blessing and one that is here for you every week.

**First Saturdays of Each Month**. Join us every First Saturday from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM for an evening in Weaverville that is filled with live music, shopping, dining, Trinity Art Council's Art Walk and other special events and performances.

Visit the <u>Weaverville Chamber of Commerce website</u> for a full listing of upcoming events being held in Weaverville.

#### **Business Resources**

- Trinity County
- Trinity County Resource Conservation District
- Shasta Cascade Small Business Development Center
- Shasta College Trinity Campus
- The Smart Center
- The Trinity Journal



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