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TOWN OF UNION LOCAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION ANNOUNCES THE SMALL BUSINESS GRANT ACCESS PROGRAM (GAP) AWARD RECIPIENTS

(Endwell, NY) Officials for the Town of Union Local Development Corporation (LDC) announced the names of recipients of the Small Business Grant Access Program (GAP) grant awards at a news conference held at 250 Main Street in the heart of downtown Johnson City, NY on Wednesday, September 25th. The location of the press conference was at the future home of one of the award recipients, Johnson City Coffee Roasting Co., LLC.

The Town LDC GAP grant recipients and award amounts are as follows:

- Gina Torto, **Mindful Health & Wellness, LLC.**, located at 515 Main Street, Endicott, NY. *Grant award amount: \$10,000*
- Khalid Sethi, **Binghamton Surgical Spine d/b/a Seneca Spine**, to be located at 122 West Main Street, Endicott, NY. *Grant award amount: \$10,000*
- Kathryn Sheredy, Thomas Sheredy & Nicholas Spano, **Johnson City Coffee Roasting Co.**, to be located at 250 Main Street, Johnson City, NY. *Grant award amount: \$10,000*
- Wayne D. Evans, **Fat Cat Comic Books**, located at 278 Main Street, Johnson City, NY. *Grant award amount: \$10,000*

In discussing the expectations of the grant program, Town of Union LDC Board President, Steve Trichka said, “This pilot grant program has been a couple of years in the making and is being put into practice to assist with what the LDC recognized as an increased financial need for start-up and existing businesses wanting to locate or stay in the Town of Union. We hope this incentive will help move each of their projects along.”

The LDC Board would also like to thank the Town of Union Supervisor, Rick Materese, and the Town Council Members for their constant support for the LDC and its mission.

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