## **INCENTIVES**

## **PROPERTY TAX ABATEMENT**

- New Construction
- 5 years 100%, 80%, 60%, 40%, 20% in participating taxing districts
- KRVEZ and KCEZ Industrial, manufacturing, distribution, warehousing
- KCEZ includes commercial, office, and retail development

### FREE OR DISCOUNTED BUILDING PERMITS

- Free Villages of Bourbonnais, Bradley, Aroma Park, Manteno, Grant Park, Hopkins Park (all charge inspection fees)
- 50% Discount City of Kankakee and Kankakee County
- No Discount Momence
- Inspection fees charged in accordance with local jurisdiction policies

### **EXPEDITED APPROVAL PROCESS/POINT-OF-CONTACT** SALES TAX EXEMPTION (BUILDING MATERIALS)

- Building Materials
- Issurance of Building Permit Required
- Certificate of Eligibility for Sales Tax Exemption
- What qualities? "Building materials that are eligible for the enterprize zone sales tax deductions include items that are permanently affixed to real property such as lumber, mortar, glued-down carpets, wallpaper, and similar affixed items."

### **INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT**

- Allows a .5 percent credit against the state income tax for investments in qualified property, that is placed in service in an enterprise zone.
- The credit may be taken by a qualified taxpayer who makes an investment in a "qualified property" and who otherwise meets the terms
- "Qualified Property" tangible, whether new or used, including buildings and structural components of buildings, acquired by purchase, is depreciable, has a useful life.
- Examples: Buildings, structural components of buildings, elevators, material tanks, boilers and major computer installations.

## MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT SALES TAX EXEMPTION

- Certificate by the state is required prior to getting exemption
- Several qualifying criteria

## UTILITY TAX EXEMPTION

- State certification is required
- Several qualifying criteria must be met by the company
- 5 percent state tax exemption on gas, electricity, and the ICC .1 percent administrative charge and excise tax on the act or privilege or originating or receiving telecommunications.





# **PRINCIPAL CONTACTS**

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For more information, visit kankakeecountyed.org or phone 815.935.1177





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# **KANKAKEE COUNTY ENTERPRISE ZONE PROGRAM**

**KANKAKEE COUNTY ENTERPRISE ZONE (KCEZ)** KANKAKEE RIVER VALLEY ENTERPRISE ZONE (KRVEZ)



## **KANKAKEE COUNTY ENTERPRISE ZONE PROGRAM**

The Illinois Enterprise Zone Program is designed to stimulate business development, job creation and retention, and neighborhood revitalization in strategically targeted areas of the state. This is accomplished through state and local tax incentives, regulatory relief and improved governmental services.

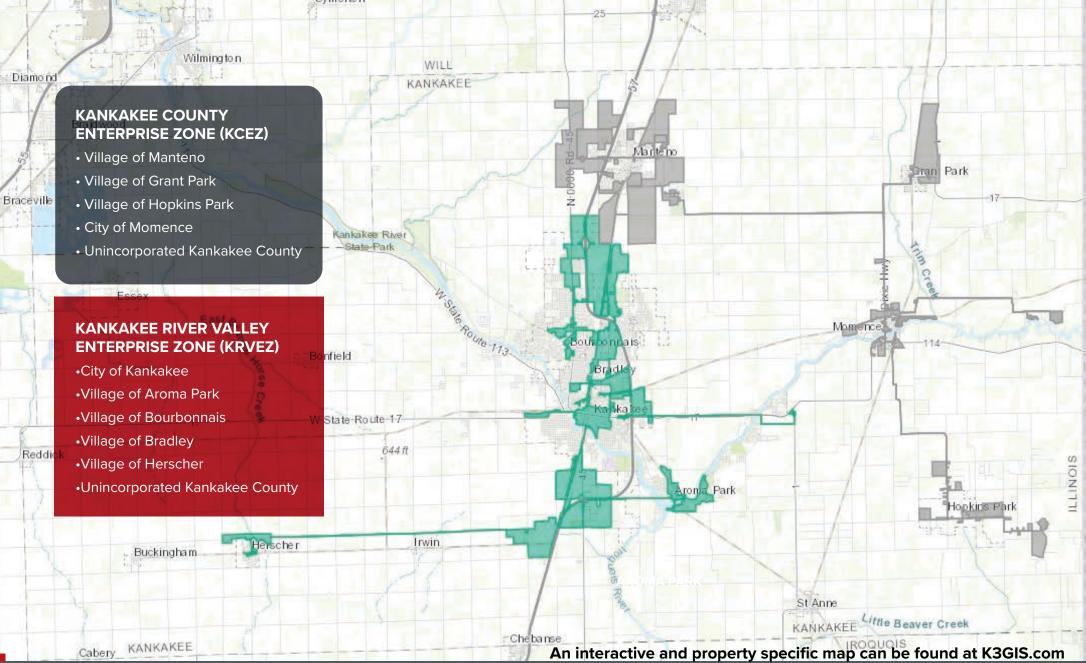


## **RESIDENTIAL ZONE INCENTIVES**

Residential development incentives are available for communities within the Kankakee County Enterprise Zone (KCEZ) only. This initiative is aimed at fostering additional housing development to alleviate housing pressures, enhance neighborhood vitality and to catalyze sustainable growth and prosperity within the communities. These expanded benefits encourage construction of new housing units, both single and multi-family, and substantial rehabilitation\* to existing structures, to address housing shortages and support local employers with their workforce needs.

Residential enterprise zone incentives include free or discounted building permits and sales tax exemptions on new construction, and substantial rehabilitation\*, subject to the individual communities. For additional information on specific land available for these incentives, visit K3GIS.com.

Kankakee County's two enterprise zones together have seen more than \$3.4 billion in capital investment in more than 125 projects over the course of five years. This has played a significant role in making Kankakee County #3 among small manufacturing economies in the US by Business Facilities Magazine.



## PARTICIPATING TAXING DISTRICTS

KCEZ

• Villages of Manteno, Grant Park, Hopkins Park

and the City of Momence

Kankakee Community College

Manteno Public Library District

Manteno Township Road District

Momence Community Unit School District #1

Kankakee County

Manteno Township

Ganeer Township

### KRVEZ

- Villages of Aroma Park, Bradley, Bourbonnais, Herscher and the City of Kankakee
- Kankakee County
- Kankakee Community College
- Kankakee Valley Park District
- Herscher Community Unit School District #2
- Pilot Township Road District
- Pilot Township
- Kankakee Valley Airport Authority
- Bradley-Bourbonnais Community High School District #307
- Bradley School District #61
- Bourbonnais Elementary School District #53

## ENTERPRISE ZONE QUICK FACTS

- No minimum qualifications
- No case-by-case approval
- Manteno Community Unit School District #5 Manteno Community Fire Protection District

  - Available properties within these Enterprise Zones can be found on the Economic Alliance of Kankakee County Website @kankakeecountyed.org/location-advantages/find-properties

### \*Contact Zone Administrator for details.

- Incentives are boundary specific
- No clawback
- Fee = .5% of total building material cost