

MONTGOMERY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

JOB ANNOUNCEMENT – EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

The Montgomery Economic Development Corporation (MEDC), a non-profit, public-private economic development corporation, is seeking qualified candidates for the position of Executive Director. The position is responsible for leading efforts in: 1) business retention and business environment enhancements; 2) general community promotion and public relations; 3) attraction and facilitation of development of new industries, businesses and services in Montgomery; and 4) recruitment of membership and fundraising for the corporation.

The ideal candidate will have experience working in and with a public sector organization with respect to community planning, development review, and promotion of economic development. A bachelor's degree in urban planning, business administration, public administration or related discipline and minimum five years of experience is required. Previous management and economic development experience required, as well as computer proficiency. The position requires the ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with the MEDC Board, business owners, developers and Village officials.

Montgomery (pop.17,062) has experienced significant residential and retail growth over the past eight years and is positioned for still further growth. Its location along the Fox River at the boundary of Kane and Kendall counties, immediately south of Aurora, make it a highly desirable location for both industry and commercial business. While many of these areas are well-established, Montgomery has undeveloped (infill and greenfield) parcels that offer significant development opportunities.

Current starting salary range is: \$68,000 - \$78,000. Submit cover letter and resume containing three professional references by mail or e-mail by July 15, 2009 to: MEDC Executive Director Search, Attn: Executive Committee, 200 Webster Street, Montgomery, IL 60538, or email resumes to: medc@montgomery-illinois.org Applicants will be reviewed as they submit by the Executive Search Committee and may be called for interviews prior to the July 15th deadline.