



FOOD ECOSYSTEM CONTACT LIST

Battle Creek Food Reimagined (BCFR)



An innovation ecosystem and business accelerator dedicated to empowering food entrepreneurs. Operating out of the Battle Creek Innovation Hub, it provides early and growth-stage companies with commercial kitchens, co-working spaces, grant funding access, and mentorship to scale their food businesses.

50 Jackson St W, Battle Creek, MI 49017 (Inside Battle Creek Innovation Hub)
bcfood.org

Northern Initiatives - Battle Creek



A nonprofit Community Development Financial Institution (CDFI) that provides small business loans and technical support to entrepreneurs in Battle Creek, Michigan.

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northerninitiatives.org/battlecreek
(269) 234-7717

Sprout BC



Sprout is home to a certified commercial kitchen that is available to rent for chefs, caterers, start-up businesses, teachers or anyone in the community. This is a great space for aspiring food business entrepreneurs in the Battle Creek area. They can also help with all of the hurdles new businesses face, including licensing, marketing, insurance, and more.

503 Military St, Springfield, MI 49037
sproutbc.org
kitchen@sproutbc.org

Small Business Development Center of Southwest MI



Provides no-cost, confidential business consulting, market research, and business education to help small businesses launch, grow, or transition.

Office of Research and Innovation at Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI 49008
wmich.edu/research/smallbusiness
(269) 387-6004

Small Business Development Office - City of Battle Creek



Provides tailored economic development, technical assistance, and funding access to local entrepreneurs. The SBDO helps launch and grow commercial enterprises throughout the city.

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