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2016 Quarter 4

Company	Industry	Summary	Jobs + Investment	
	Design-Based Manufacturing	Kadant Johnson LLC , a Three Rivers -based manufacturer of precision rotary sealing devices, recently invested in a large volume, multi-tasking Computer Numerical Control (CNC) machine to increase its manufacturing capacity, expand its capability, improve its production efficiency, and provide increased customer responsiveness.	0 new jobs	\$1,100,000 invested
	Design-Based Manufacturing	W.E. Slitt & Sheet Company has chosen to add 19,000 square feet to its existing location for expanded warehousing in Three Rivers .	5 new jobs	\$499,795 invested




2016 Quarter 3

Company	Industry	Summary	Jobs + Investment	
	Automotive	American Axle Manufacturing in Three Rivers was awarded \$339,500 in grant funding from the Skilled Trades Training Fund to train 300 team members.	0 new jobs	\$339,500 invested
	Design-Based Manufacturing	Precision Wire Forms , an industry leading manufacturer of wire forms, tube forms and assemblies, is investing in new equipment to enhance its current capabilities in Three Rivers.	16 new jobs	\$2,800,000 invested





2016 Quarter 2

Company	Industry	Summary	Jobs + Investment	
	Other	With assessment funding from the St. Joseph County Brownfield Authority, Boland Tire Company announced its investment in the purchase of a vacant former car dealership in Three Rivers.	0 new jobs	\$50,000 invested


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	Logistics	After receiving funding approval from the St. Joseph County Brownfield Redevelopment Authority, Clark Logic has announced that it will purchase a logistics business in White Pigeon to complement its operations.	8 new jobs	\$1,000,000 invested
	Design-Based Manufacturing	Formerly known as Penguin, LLC, Iceberg Enterprises will invest in the expansion of its manufacturing operations in Sturgis, creating an additional 162,000 square feet of condo space.	12 new jobs	\$1,100,000 invested
	Design-Based Manufacturing	Premier metal caster Metal Technologies is investing in 10,000 square feet to accommodate a loading dock and additional manufacturing space in Three Rivers.	10 new jobs	\$861,500 invested

2016 Quarter 1

Company	Industry	Summary	Jobs + Investment	
	Design-Based Manufacturing	Creating nearly 400 new jobs, Forest River Manufacturing is bringing its recreational vehicle product manufacturing to White Pigeon. The company will fill 300,000-square-feet, spread across three buildings.	396 new jobs	\$7,000,000 invested
	Design-Based Manufacturing	Freeman Manufacturing Company will create 10 new jobs in Sturgis as new owners of the medical orthotics/prosthetics manufacturer endeavor to recreate the company. This project will bring back some jobs previously outsourced to Puerto Rico.	10 new jobs	\$400,000 invested
	Design-Based Manufacturing	A second expansion effort with Morgan Olson resulted in the company leasing space in Sturgis to house new engineering and technician jobs.	7 new jobs	Investment Unknown
	Design-Based Manufacturing	Custom manufacturer Penguin, LLC is hiring 25 new employees with the help of a \$6,300 award from the state's Skilled Trades Training Fund.	25 new jobs	Investment Unknown

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	Logistics	Tax exemption has been approved for PKG, Inc. in order to move the company forward with construction of a new commercial building at its existing location for expansion and to house 2 to 3 other tenants.	0 new jobs	\$350,000 invested
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