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City of Oneonta Mayor Gary Herzig has announced Microenterprise Program awards to assist four local small businesses. Grants totaling \$52,600 in remaining funds for the current Microenterprise Program will be provided to the four businesses for equipment and working capital costs.

"I congratulate the recipients of this current round of Microenterprise funding," stated Mayor Herzig. "These grants will help strengthen the City's small business community. During the past five years, we are proud to have demonstrated our commitment to Oneonta businesses by awarding more than \$550,000 to assist 29 local business startups and expansions. I thank Governor Cuomo and the staff at Homes and Community Renewal for their support and confidence in investing in the people of the City of Oneonta."

All Microenterprise Program applications were reviewed by the Project Review Committee. "I thank the members of this committee for their diligence, passion, and commitment to Oneonta's small businesses," said Mayor Herzig.

The four award recipients being announced are:

Shakedown Street Share Your Wear Online Store
Noah's World
Wolfhound Studios
Sunrise Catering, Inc.