

Decatur County a Model for Us ?

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I was reading an article in a local paper about the new Honda plant in Greensburg, Indiana. Decatur County seems to be experiencing a 15% appreciation in home values along with an big increase in skilled jobs positions. The residual effect in this type of economic growth will be far reaching. This is the only way to increase revenue. Only the incompetent politicians take the other approach of failing to have a aggressive system of promotion and recruitment of business in place then raising their constituent's tax burden.

The increase from this one plant will put that county and surrounding area in the black way beyond our lifetime. That deal didn't happen by a group of politicians sitting around finding way to raise taxes and hurt the economy ,but by professionals in recruitment of business. If we don't replace the ones we have with skilled qualified managers that can bring business to this county we will become the socialist Poland of Indiana.

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