



The Chamber of Manitowoc County Awards 2018

Joseph P. Schmitt “Speak Up” Award Winner: David Diedrich

David Diedrich, VP-Senior Business Banking Officer at Investors Community Bank, has served on the Manitowoc City Plan Commission since 1996 to help guide growth in the city, which has included the establishment of several TIF districts that created opportunity for local business development.

Diedrich serves as chairman of the Loan Review Board, which is responsible for the Manitowoc County revolving loan fund program, enabling businesses to grow, create jobs and improve the local economy.

He has been a member of the MPU Public Utilities Commission since 2007, having served twice as the group's president and using his financial expertise to help guide the city's water and electric services provider.

He has been an active member of the Manitowoc Noon Rotary Club since 1996 and served on their board in several capacities through the years, to ensure they achieve their international goals as well as serve our local community. He has volunteered for numerous local Rotary projects and combined his passion for the service club with that of volunteering for the Manitowoc County Salvation Army. He has coordinated this organization's bell ringing program in our community for 20 years; tapping into his fellow Rotarians for service and raising funds.

Further, Diedrich has volunteered for the United Way of Manitowoc County, where he helped raise thousands of dollars each year for their annual campaign. He has volunteered for the Chamber of Manitowoc County in many different capacities, as well as served as a trustee for Silver Lake College, most recently on the search committee for their new president.

