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**APPLICATION**

Note: If your submission is selected as a finalist, your company representatives will be required to present your business plan to the competition judges on Thursday, June 17th. You will be notified of the time and location:

**APPLY by emailing the following items in PDF format to** [**info@exploreshelbycounty.com**](mailto:info@exploreshelbycounty.com) **by May 28th at 5 pm or mailing the information to Shelby County Chamber of Commerce & Industry, 1901 Hawkeye Avenue, Suite 101, Harlan, IA 51537:**

* **Completed Application Form and Business Plan**
* **Copy of your State of Iowa Business License (if applicable)**

**Applicant Information:**

Proposed Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Website Address (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Contact Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Please provide the following information about your proposed business:**

1. Is your business currently licensed in the State of Iowa: Y N
2. What is your projected first year revenue? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
3. How many jobs will your business venture create in the first year?

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1. What industry category best describes your business (example: manufacturing, retail, etc.)

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1. Is this your original concept? Y N
2. Does the business own all rights (including intellectual property) to the material submitted and presented for this competition? Y N
3. Briefly describe your business, product, or service and what differentiates it from your competitors:

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