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This e-newsletter sent biweekly, details updates on the work of the **Downtown Lexington Management District** (DLMD) to maintain and improve the safety, cleanliness and overall quality of life in the District.

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THURSDAY NIGHT LIVE Celebrate DLMD With Us On August 15th

Celebrate DLMD at Central Bank Thursday Night Live on August 15th!

On Thursday, August 15th, Downtown Lexington Partnership is celebrating the amazing Downtown Lexington Management District team at Central Bank Thursday Night Live! As a DLMD supporter, you already know the hard work and care that the Ambassadors and Board dedicate to keeping our downtown safe, clean, and beautiful. Join us for a celebratory toast and show your support by wearing purple!

Central Bank Thursday Night Live

JRA Architects Call Downtown Home Once Again

By: Beverly Fortune



Moving downtown is really a homecoming for JRA Architects, and President Rob Deal couldn't be happier. "We're tickled to be here," he said. Two weeks ago, the firm moved from a location beyond Man o' War to 301 East Vine Street, a building designed by one of the original partners, Byron Romanowitz, and where the firm had offices in the 1990's.

Even earlier, in the 1970's and 1980's, when downtown was undergoing big changes, "JRA Architects were in the thick of it all," Deal said. Its design projects included the Hilton, the Hyatt, the Commerce Lexington building, the Phoenix building, Christ Church Apartments, and the firm had some involvement with the original Rupp Arena.

After several decades in suburbia, the architects began looking for a new space when the Vine Street location became available. They moved quickly. "Timing is everything," Deal said. "This is an ideal location. It feels like we've come home," he said.

There's a vibrancy to downtown that everyone finds exciting. Several young staff members live close enough to bike or walk to work. "They love that," Deal said. "We're happy to be here."

[Learn More About JRA Architects](#)

The District



The Downtown Lexington Management District is a property tax improvement district responsible for improving the downtown area. It puts tax dollars to work to enhance downtown through beautification and safety. The goal of the District is to foster economic growth, renew interest in the area by businesses, residents, and visitors, and ultimately increase property values. You can find the DLMD ambassadors in purple polos working to improve the downtown area every day to create a Safe Clean Beautiful Lexington.

As you may be aware the Downtown Lexington Management District (DLMD) has been implementing improvements since May 2015. We want to thank you for your support, tell you about some of the District's accomplishments, and make you aware of some changes that will enhance the District even more.

Beginning February 2017 Downtown Lexington Partnership (DLP) was contracted to begin managing the district. DLP is a membership-based organization working to promote Downtown as a unique and vibrant place in Lexington for business, residential life and entertainment.

If you have any questions, concerns, comments or ideas we want to hear them! The DLMD administrative office is located at 333 W. Vine St., Ste. 206, and can be reached at (859) 407-2227 or by email at allen@downtownlex.com.

For questions about the reauthorization of the Downtown Lexington Management District, please contact Beverly Fortune at 859-222-0345 or by email at beverly@downtownlex.com.

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