

# Highland Center

Highland Center Dr, Monterey, VA  
24465

*"The Highland Center accelerates the development of small businesses and non-profits through support services, affordable space and networking opportunities."*

Henry Budzinski, Executive Director,  
The Highland Center

## Specifications

- 1920's Renovated School Building
- Catalyst for Cultural & Economic Development
- Opportunities to Celebrate, Collaborate & Incubate in Highland County

## Programs Areas

- Business Incubation
- Youth Development
- Community & Economic Development
- Local Food & Agriculture

## Business Incubation

- Personal Offices
- Co-working Spaces
- Broadband Internet
- Business Development Resources
- Certified Commercial Kitchen
- Conference & Performance Space

## Current Tenets

1. The Highland Center Offices
2. Highland County Arts Council
3. Highland County Chamber of Commerce
4. Valley Program for Aging Services
5. Allegheny Mountain String Project
6. The Highland Children's House
7. Highland County Visitor Center
8. Resident Artists

## Comments

The Highland Center is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization committed to cultural and economic development in the Alleghany Highlands region of Virginia and West Virginia. Their mission is to serve all citizens of Highland County by being a catalyst for cultural and economic development. The Center established its business incubation, farmers' market and commercial kitchen programs as a result of the survey. Since then, The Highland Center has served as a public venue for countless community events, operated an employment program for area youth and led important regional initiatives to advance tourism, agriculture and the arts. Today, the Highland Center houses 6 tenants, a mix of individual artists and non-profit organizations. The Highland Center's reach has expanded beyond Highland County to benefit the entire Allegheny Highlands Region, including Bath County, Virginia and Pocahontas and Pendleton Counties, West Virginia. In addition, the Center operates programs around four main areas: Business Incubation, Youth Development, Community & Economic Development, and Local Food & Agriculture.

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