



# Business Newsletter

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## Cargill Kitchen Solutions Expands



20021 176th St. NW  
Big Lake, MN 55309

The contractors for Cargill Kitchen Solutions submitted building plans earlier this month for a 4,800 square foot expansion to Cargill's existing 52,000 square foot egg processing facility in Big Lake. This expansion will improve their ability to hold and store raw materials. This past April, Cargill Kitchen Solutions completed a reconfiguration of their existing 52,000 square feet, which spurred the creation of 45 new jobs with annual salaries of \$1.7 million.



## Special Offers From Anytime Fitness



570 Humboldt Drive  
Big Lake, MN 55309

Join Big Lake's Anytime Fitness by January 21st for \$14. Purchase 21 days of personal training by January 21st for \$49. For more information, call 763-263-1300.

## Chamber Business Expo – March 2



The Big Lake Chamber Business Expo will be held on Sunday, March 2, 2014, at Big Lake High School from 11:00am to 2:00pm. For registration information, contact Chamber President, Tricia, at 763-263-7800 or [blchamber@sherbtel.net](mailto:blchamber@sherbtel.net). The registration deadline is Friday, Feb. 21, 2014.

## State Funds Available for Job Creation & Capital Investments

The MN Dept. of Employment & Economic Development (DEED) just announced a new program that provides job creation awards up to \$500,000 and capital investment rebates up to \$500,000 to qualifying businesses. To be eligible for the program, businesses must be primarily engaged in manufacturing, warehousing, distribution or IT. Eligible businesses must also invest \$500,000 in real property improvements and create ten new full-time, permanent jobs within two years. If you are interested in this program, please contact Brad Brzezinski with DEED at 218-310-7757 or [bradley.brzezinski@state.mn.us](mailto:bradley.brzezinski@state.mn.us).