

It is time!

We at NICIL have been thinking and working on a job's program, it may take us time to get it started it we will make it happen! We were given this link to an incredible program that you need to see and get an idea of the possibilities of a job program:

Look at this YouTube video:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mZx0qwGrsPM>

The video is called "Can't Stop The Feeling" at Bitty & Beau's Coffee" this is what we call an amazing family making their community a better place. The Wright Family from Wilmington, North Carolina decided that their community needed a coffee shop that had great customer service and opportunities. They created this coffee shop with the idea that two of their children, Bitty and Beau will one day need a place to work. See Bitty and Beau are two beautiful children with Down syndrome who will need to and want to work in the future. Their brilliant family prepared the way with this coffee shop. Way to go Wright Family!! Jobs need to be created by people in our communities for our communities.

Ok, Northwestern Illinois, we waited long enough, it is time to create own our jobs! We need jobs for everyone! NICIL is starting and we are not waiting for the State of Illinois to get our budget impasse figured out, shame on all of them for this painful last 18 months. But, moving on we will!

So here is the deal, every Thursday the NICIL team is going to be working on a jobs program. We want your help, join us for the discussion, be part of the movement, but we are taking back our communities. It may be baby steps, but we will move on. Join us for the discussion. It is time we stop waiting for our government, then next big manufacturer, then next big whatever, you fill in the blank, but it is time.

Folks, it is now or never, let's get working on our future, today!