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Why build when you can have a gorgeous open floor plan home with a spectacular backyard overlooking a pond and additional green space. Stunning open foyer with newer (2015) hardwood floors, beautiful office or sitting room has a bay window and french doors. Charming formal dining. The spacious kitchen has ceramic tile, an island, all appliances are negotiable



This home has been remodeled and reconfigured to create a top of the line handicap accessible. The huge eat in kitchen features gorgeous custom cherry cabinets, granite countertops, tile back splash, newer hardwood floors, crown molding, custom lighting, etc. You can also seat 10 or more in the large eating area. The kitchen walks out to the spacious deck. The living room also has hardwood floors a bay window. The lirst fir master bedroom has plently of crown to also include an office or play area. The special hist floor bedroom has a whiripool tub, a 4 ft. walk in or roll in tile shower, a vanity area plus a convenient hair washing sink.



Spectacular completely remodeled (2016) one floor living at it's finest on the interior and exterior. The large eath kitchen is stunning with custom maple cabinets, granite countertors, bamboo flooring and stailess stelle agliances. The open kitchen floor plan looks into the living room with a brick accert wall and the big family room with a beautiful stone fireplace, bamboo flooring, newer patio door and accent lighting throughout. The master suite has been enlarged to flort, froom with vauled cabings, lors of flight, ceiling fair, double dostess and at floet shower, granite vanity complete the master bathroom.



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If you love city life this cozy Willowick ranch is for you. The complete package comes with 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths and, full basement. The quaint fenced in yard and patio off the side of the 2 car detached garage are perfect for those summer BBQ's. Call and schedule a showing today! #3876529



Mentor - \$64,900

This is the house you have been WADING for and it is one SHELL of a deal! You will

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Painesville/Perry - \$114,900

Her Highness would certainly approve of this fabulous Perry Twp Condo. You are greeted by a gracious open floor plan w/fresh new carpet & dubbed w/neutral paint. Kit opens to din area & fam rm large enough for all of your loyal subjects. 2nd floor offers 2 nice size bdrms w/oversized closets & loft. 2 car att garage to house your royal carriage & patio for summer entertaining. Bring your Lancelot & make an appt today! #3874323



Madison - \$129,900

Pride of Ownership is revealed in this 1 owner home w/covered ft patio. Low maintenance vinyl Ranch gives you comfortable one floor living. Grt room w/ cathedral ceiling offers open living plan with spacious feel and gas fireplace. Grt room, dining area, & hall have newer neutral carpet. Kitchen has plentiful quality cabinets & all appliances stay. Laundry rm w/ 1/2 bath, 3 comfortable bedrms, master w/access to full bath, & full wall of closets. Attached garage w/access to patio, and super private .54 ac yard. #3862200



Saybrook - \$19,900

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Madison - \$44.900

This 3 bedroom. 1 bath home in need of some TLC but has a lot to offer. Situated on 3 parcels with plenty of room to run! Call and schedule a showing today! #3876010



Ashtabula - 15,300

Come on down to downtown Ashtabula for this 3 bedroom 1 and 1/2 bath property. Home is 1440 Sq feet has a full basement, covered front porch and deck. Inside the home is in need of some TLC, but a little love will go a long way! Schedule a showing today! #3835545



Ashtabula Twp/Saybrook - \$24,900

Come on down to this cozy 2 bedroom, 1 bath bungalow situated on 2 parcels just under 1/2 acre. Interior of property needs some updating and a little TLC but, the nice sized, partially fenced back yard makes up for it. To round it off, the home also has a full basement and 1 car attached garage. Schedule a showing today! #3840419



Geneva - \$39,200

Located near the heart of this thriving community sits this 3 bedrooms, 2 baths ranch style home. Country style kitchen makes this house into a home and little repairs needed here and there will make this home your own. #3852550

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Time- and Budget- Stretching Tips for the Self-Employed

(StatePoint) The ability to stretch a budget can help businesses or those who are self-employed weather lean times and flourish in good periods, and being efficient with time can mean surviving a busy season with your sanity intact. But these principles can be hard to uphold.

To help, here are a few tips to assist freelancers, entrepreneurs and small business owners to make more happen with existing resources.

Seek Out Resources: Taking care of certain logistics is easier these days, as retailers like Staples offer resources for small businesses, such as their Small Business Hub, where you can design and order business cards, print marketing flyers and posters, get invitations, announcements, calendars and brochures, many on the same day that you place the order.

"When you are on a tight schedule, having one place where you can go that meets a bulk of your small business needs is extremely useful," says Melanie Salinas a photographer and the blogger behind "Story of Five."

Salinas, who recently partnered with Staples as part of their #MakeMoreHappen campaign to help small business owners learn about resources to help them get things done, is a frequent user of both Staples' online hub, as well as their in-store Copy & Print center.

Keep Expenses Organized: "Don't mix business with pleasure. Easier said than done when you're

working from home, but it's a must. Keep business expenses separate from family expenses," says Salinas.

It may seem like an extra step now, but you can avoid accounting headaches and help make tax time a breeze by staying organized. Good organization will also help ensure you don't overlook expenses that could lower your taxes.

Create a Workspace: If you are looking to take your business to the next level, it's important that you have a dedicated workspace where you can get stuff done. Look to programs like Staples Rewards to get cash back on purchases, special coupons and deals.

"Even if it's just a corner of your bedroom, creating a functional workspace will help you boost productivity," says Kayla Buell, who runs "Gen Y Girl," a Millennial career and lifestyle blog, who recommends sprucing up the area with supplies and décor that inspire and motivate you.

Use Time Wisely: Marketing yourself or promoting your business can be tough, especially if your days are full working for existing customers and keeping your business going.

"Promoting sounds like a lot of work when you're bursting at the seams, but you have to communicate with people you want to hire you," says Susan and William Brinson, who own a thriving photography business and blog at "House of Brinson." "We use the weeks where we're slow – around the holidays for instance – to work on promotions."

More business ideas to save time and money can be found by visiting Staples.com and by following #Make-MoreHappen on social media.





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4 BR, 2 Story Home on 1 Acre * 2 1st Flr BR's with one w half Bath * Office off Liv Rm * Dining Rm w/ FP * Remodeled Kit * 1st Flr Laundry * Wrap-around Deck * Porch * 2 Car Garage * Shed

MADISON - \$219,900



3 Bedroom & 2.5 Bath Colonial on 1+ Acres * Liv Rm w/Gas FP, Gourmet Kitchen, * Formal Din Rm, Vaulted Family Rm * Mstr Suite w/Private Bath. Walk-in Shower & Garden Tub * Large Deck w/Pergola & Fenced in Backyard

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Contemporary Ranch w/Open Floor Plan, * Liv Rm w/Gas FP, Built-in Bookshelves opens to a well Equipped Gourmet Kit & opens to Dining Area w/ 3 walls of windows * Enclosed Porch * Master Ste w/a WOW Master Bth * 2 more BR's & Bath * Front Porch & 2+Car Garage * Handicapped Accessible

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The benefits of hiring professional contractors

The DIY movement has inspired many homeowners to tackle home repair and remodeling projects on their own. DIY projects can be rewarding, and many homeowners who have embraced the DIY movement have discovered talents they never before knew they had.

But no matter how simple popular home renovation television shows make remodeling projects appear, homeowners should know that such undertakings are far more difficult than they appear on television. Homeowners who overestimate their abilities and the time they have to complete projects can cost themselves substantial amounts of money. In fact, there are a variety of reasons homeowners might want to work with professional contractors when tackling home improvement projects.

EXPERIENCE

A trial and error approach can work with various projects and problems. But applying such an approach to home improvement projects is risky and potentially dangerous, not

to mention costly. Experienced professional contractors with strong track records (seek recommendations from friends or neighbors) won't have to go through trial and error and are therefore more likely than DIYers to complete a project on time and on budget. INSPIRATION

One oft-overlooked benefit of working with professional contractors is the likelihood that they can draw up ideas for projects that homeowners might otherwise never have thought up on their own. Homeowners without specific ideas in mind can ask contractors to come up with various scenarios before committing to a particular one. Veteran contractors can draw on years of experience to create designs that DIYers might be incapable of coming up with and/or incapable of seeing through to completion.

COST

Conventional wisdom suggests it's less expensive to do something yourself than to hire someone else to do it for you, but that's not necessarily true of home improvement



projects. Labor costs typically account for a substantial amount of professionally contracted projects, but homeowners can cut those costs by volunteering to do some of the simpler tasks themselves. In addition, contractors often purchase materials at a much lower cost than individual homeowners because contractors buy in bulk. So while labor costs might be lower on DIY projects, the cost of materials can offset those savings.

RESALE VALUE

Many homeowners renovate their homes with eyes on improving the resale value of those homes. But if homeowners want to

showcase a newly remodeled kitchen when selling their homes, they should be prepared for prospective buyers to ask who worked on the project. Fearing potential problems down the road, some buyers might be put off by homes that were remodeled by DIYers and not professional contractors.

Renovating a home on your own can be a rewarding project for homeowners. But it's important that homeowners recognize the many benefits of working with professional contractors before making any final decisions with regard to who will tackle their next project.





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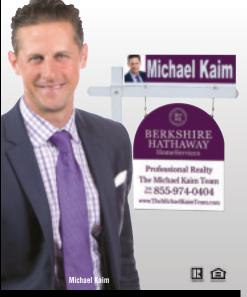
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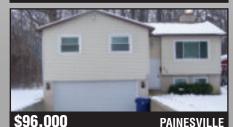
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