

Walter Schmoranz  
PRESIDENT, WINE MASTER  
PELEE ISLAND WINERY



# Windsor-Essex has what agribusiness needs to put down profitable roots.

For Walter Schmoranz, it's no surprise that the *Essex County Pelee Island Coast* is home to 16 wineries that produce award winning wines. Our Southern Ontario location, at the same latitude as Northern California and Southern France, has the most growing-degree days in Canada.

"Lake Erie's moderating influence," Walter says, "has allowed the entire region to flourish as a global centre for viticulture and for agribusiness."

"We've really got it all – superb soil and expert knowledge, plus a gateway into the U.S. market just a few minutes away. It's an ideal location that's worth talking about – ideally," he adds, "over a glass of fine local wine."

To learn more about the region's strengths and opportunities in agribusiness and viticulture, please visit: [choosewindsor.essex.com/agribusiness](http://choosewindsor.essex.com/agribusiness).



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