

Economic Development

4/7/13 Preliminary Draft Outline

I. Summary of Economic Development Conditions

- A. National Trends
- B. State Trends
- C. Regional Trends

II. Regional Factors Influencing Economic Development *See 2013 CEDS*

- A. Natural and Environmental Capital
(including location)
- B. Commerce and Industrial Capital
(infrastructure, community facilities, transportation access)
- C. Employment
(by industry)
- D. Economic Clusters
- E. Labor Market Characteristics
(including part-time, seasonal)
- F. Social and Human Capital
(including demographic, socioeconomic trends, income & poverty, education, health, housing, workforce development)

III. Evaluation of the Regional Economy *See 2013 CEDS*

- A. Strengths
- B. Weaknesses
- C. Opportunities
- D. Threats

IV. Goals and Objectives *See 2013 CEDS*

(While each region will have their own way to say these and others to add, these are some from EDA's CEDS guidance and our SCI scope to help us each get started in thinking about this.)

- A. Enhance community vitality
- B. Promote economic development and opportunity, competitiveness, and resilience
- C. Foster effective transportation access
- D. Enhance and protect environment
- E. Maximize effective development and use of workforce
- F. Promote use of technology, including high speed telecommunications
- G. Increase access to safe, affordable, fair housing, health care and education

V. Strategies *See 2013 CEDS*

VI. Projects *See 2013 CEDS*

VII. Implementation Plan *See 2013 CEDS*

VII. Performance Measures *See 2013 CEDS*

(e.g., jobs created, jobs retained, changes in economic environment, public and private investments)