

Update Strategic Plan Goal -Economic Development

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March 28, 2017 Presentation Recap

- What is Economic Development?
- What does El Dorado County's Economic Development System Look like?
- What are the constraints to Economic Development in El Dorado County?
- What Opportunities does El Dorado County have?
- Greater Sacramento's Role
- El Dorado County's Role



What does El Dorado County's Economic Development System Look like?

One Goal – Six Objectives

Enable a prosperous and vibrant economy

- 1. Attract, develop and retain businesses that provide economic sustainability and quality job creation
- Increase employment opportunities by improving workforce development skills
- 3. Invest in infrastructure needs to improve and maintain competitiveness
- 4. Strengthen the County's business-friendly reputation
- 5. Develop and maintain an economic development plan that is time relevant and community and market oriented
- 6. Provide diverse workforce housing options balance jobs with housing



March 28, 2017 Staff Recommendation

Focus Economic Development efforts on the following areas:

- Building a County-wide Economic Development Team and Culture so that we are in a position to respond quickly to opportunities as they present themselves
- Improving Communication, Outreach, and Image Development:
 - Website Development
 - Branding
 - Marketing
- Exploring 90-day Permit Processing:
 - Identify barriers and potential solutions

Building a County-wide Economic Development Team and Culture

✓ El Dorado County Champions and Partners

- ✓ Commercial Project Referral Program
- ✓ Coordination Meetings
- ✓ Staff Resources

What Does El Dorado County's Economic Development System Look like? CHAMPIONS AND PARTNERS



Improving Communication, Outreach, and Image Development:

✓ Branding

- ✓ Marketing:
 - County Economic and Demographic Profile
 - Demographic Snapshot
 - Greater Sacramento Economic Council County Profile
 - Commercial Project Referral Program
 - New Business Report and Welcome Letter
 - Business Park Story Map
 - New Promotional Video
 - Established Social Media Presence: Facebook, Twitter, Pinterest, Instagram, and YouTube
- ✓ Website Development

Improving Communication, Outreach, and Image Development Continued

 \checkmark Requests for Information:

-01/13/17 - Flicker

02/06/17 - R-Crio

02/07/17 - Class A Manufacturing

04/07/17 - Project Spectrum

-09/11/17 - Brasport

10/04/17 - Amazon

 On August 17th we attended and hosted a table at the Tri-County Job Fair

✓ Shop Local Banner on Main Street (November 13th - 19th)

Explore 90-day Permit Processing:

✓ Identify barriers and potential solutions







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