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What is Economic Development

Creating wealth in communities

- More jobs & job options
- Increase in tax base
- Stimulation of spin off jobs

Increased pride in communities













TVA Economic Development Functions









Provide TVA resources to companies

Prepare communities for ED

Leadership/salesmanship training

Recruit industry

Product

Marketing



Opportunities for You in E.D.

- Business or Marketing background
- Basic computer, communications, salesmanship skills
- Knowledge of geography and environmental helpful
- Dynamic business, travel, high standard of living













Know Economic Development is Working

Increased standard of living

Families have more \$

- Per capita income increases
- Tax base sufficient for improved public services













What do new dollars mean to a community?

- A dollar of "NEW" income coming into the community multiplies itself – HOW?
- The Re-spending Effect People spend some income outside the community - but most inside. Money spent inside the community is the "multiplier."
- Goal is to generate "NEW" income and "RETAIN" as much as possible.













What do new dollars mean to a community?

Dollar Multiplier by Industry

Motor Vehicles 3.69

3.39 Chemicals

Computers/Electronics 3.14

2.38 **Plastics**

1.93 Food Mfg

1.89 **Fabricated Metal**

1.85 **Furniture**

1.74 **Apparel**

1.39 Retail

















How to Attract New Money (OPM)

- Business Recruitment
- Business Expansion and Retention
- Business Creation and Entrepreneurial Development
- Retail Development
- Tourism













Recruitment of New Companies

Creates excitement in community

- Is extremely competitive
 (10,000 15,000 economic development organizations compete)
- Technology global economy makes locating projects more complicated - competitive.













The Internet As Always

 Through the Internet "a community is being looked at without its knowledge"

A good web site is critical













Internet ...

How site selection consultants and companies are using it



- 85% of site selection searches begin on the Internet
- 46% familiarize themselves with various locations
- 62% gather preliminary location data
- 54% find contact names of economic development staff from web sites

Source: Development Counselors International Survey 2005













Process for Recruiting a Company

Company has a need



Information Request (RFI/RFP)

Community response







Recruiting Process – Made the Cut

- -The community visit
 - Looking for site/building
 - Thanks for the Marriott















Shovel Ready Site

- Controlled ownership
- Established price/terms
- Zoned appropriately
- Compatible surrounding land use
- Transportation access
- Infrastructure at site or plans with cost estimates
- Environmental and geotechnical studies completed















Speculative Building a Must

- Must meet requirement of project/company
- Brings clients to your community















Site Selection Process

Time is of the essence

- A process of elimination
- Community must reduce/remove barriers

 The community must "differentiate" from the competition













Challenges for Alabama

Quality of education

Quality of workforce (union/non-union)

Success has caused low unemployment













What are companies looking for? Site Selection Factors – Area Development 2006

Ranking	Site Selection Factor
1	Labor costs
2	Highway accessibility
3	Corporate tax rates
4	State and local incentives
5	Availability of telecommunication services
6	Tax exemptions
7	Occupancy and construction costs
8	Availability of skilled labor
9	Energy availability and costs
10	Availability of high-speed internet access













Negotiating the Deal

Negotiations

- State/local tax and financial incentives
- Competing against other states
- Takes the longest
- Wins the project













Win the Project -Time to Celebrate

Announcement

Ground breaking















A Community Must Keep Its Industry

- Existing business vitally important
- They are already committed to community

It is easier and cheaper to keep an existing customer













Industry Retention and Expansion

- Potential for entrepreneurial spin-offs
- Existing businesses are best sales people
 if treated right
- More likely to hire locally train local workforce
- Strong "corporate" citizens









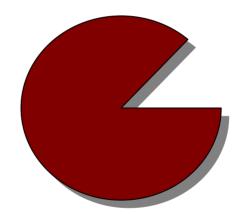




Existing Business Jobs Impact

80-20 Rule

80% of all new jobs & capital investments comes from existing industry







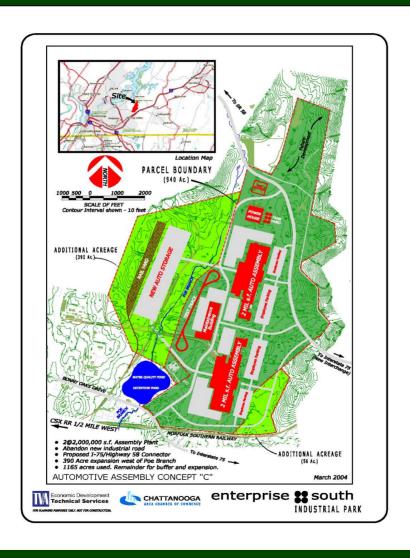








Engineering Site Planning















Engineering



Virtual Site Renderings













Research Economic Impact Analysis

	Tenn. Valley*	Sub-Region*	Local Labor Mkt Area*	County
		West Tennessee	3-County area	Gibson
Investment				
Land/Bldg				\$10,000,000
Equipment				\$10,000,000
Total				\$20,000,000
Employment ¹				
Plastics Mfg.				200
Employment Multiplier	2.39	2.23	2.07	1.67
Indirect Employment	278	245	214	134
Total Employment	478	445	414	334
Resident Workers				248
Income ² (annual)				
Plastics Mfg.				
Average Wage				\$26,000
Payroll				\$5,200,000
Indirect Employment	0000000			100
Average Wage	\$34,273	\$37,981	\$31,723	\$23,993
Payroll	\$9,527,894	\$9,305,345	\$6,802,018	\$3,204,844
Total Payroll	\$14,727,894	\$14,505,345	\$12,002,018	\$8,404,844
Retail/Services Sp	ending (annual)			
Retail Spending	18 # T		\$3,304,431	\$2,112,985













Research Economic Impact Analysis

	County Tax	State Tax	<u>Total</u>
Gibson	\$47,542	\$147,909	\$195,451
Madison	\$28,908	\$73,583	\$102,491
Carroll	\$3,857	\$9,818	\$13,675
Total	\$80,307	\$231,310	\$311,617
Local Residen	tial Property Tax Re	evenue	1
Local Residen		evenue	1
	(annual)		
Gibson	\$83,986	(county+city collections)	
Madison	\$25,076	(county collections)	
Carroll	\$10,727	(county collections)	
Total	\$119,789		
Local Industria	l Property Tax Reve	enue ³	
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Date;	(first year)	(10-year PV)	
Gibson	***************************************		
Plastics Mfg.	\$297,000	\$1,730,417	(Trenton city/Gibson Co. taxes)













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