

Economic Development Board Mission Ad Hoc Charter

The purpose of the EDB Mission Ad Hoc is to guide the EDB as the Department transitions through interim leadership, and create a sustained vision for both local and multi-jurisdictional economic development programming.

This vision will be created in partnership with the Board and with input from business and community leaders, and provide a strong backbone for permanent department leadership, as well as a framework for collaborative economic development efforts.

The scope of work to be completed over the course of calendar year 2022 includes the following:

April – June 2022 – Take Stock:

1. Assess the current structure and programming of the Economic Development Board – what is working, what is not, what is needed?
2. Track and support ARPA effort, as a broad multi-sectoral partnership in support of equity, small businesses and recovery.
3. Identify missed opportunities with respect to current focus and capacity.

July – December 2022 – Structure and Focus:

1. Communicate the need to reinvigorate relationship with local businesses and community.
2. Conduct listening sessions with broad cross-section of stakeholders (cities, chambers, trade, equity groups)
3. Identify potential focus areas and structures that emphasize and encourage collaboration