
Authorities Budget Office Policy Guidance



Authority Mission Statement and Performance Measurements

Name of Public Authority: Delaware County Local Development Corporation

Public Authority's Mission Statement:

The Delaware County Local Development Corporation seeks to improve the quality of life in Delaware County by assisting businesses and industry for the purpose of retaining and expanding existing job opportunities, attracting new jobs, and stimulating the investment of capital in the county.

The Delaware County LDC strives to assist and promote growth in Delaware County by helping businesses to be competitive and profitable by offering:

- Financial Assistance and Business Incentives
- Improved Utilization & Development of Local Infrastructure
- Stimulation of Investment, Employment & Wealth in the Community
- Recruitment of New Business

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List of Performance Goals (If additional space is needed, please attach):

Working with all economic development partners the LDC will:

- Actively support and further the interests of county-based businesses;
- Be accessible to county businesses to identify and mitigate obstacles for growth and to exploit opportunities for growth;
- Assist in the planning, funding, and development of sites, buildings, infrastructure, and other programs and activities to facilitate business development and expansion;
- Will plan and implement efforts both inside and outside of Delaware County that target the expansion of existing businesses, the establishment of new business, and the

- attraction of new companies, people, and investment to the county;
- Will represent the interests of local governments with our federal and state elected officials with respect to economic development; and
- Will maintain relationships with federal, state, and regional elected officials and economic development allies to further Delaware County's economic development program objectives

The purposes of this Corporation shall be to promote the economic welfare, recreation opportunities and prosperity of Delaware County inhabitants and to actively promote, attract, encourage and develop recreation, economically sound commerce and economically sound projects. Further, it is the purpose of this Corporation to protect and promote the health of the inhabitants of Delaware County by the conservation, protection and improvement of the natural and cultural or historic resources and environment and to control land, sewer, water, air, noise or general environmental pollution derived from the operation of industrial, manufacturing, warehousing, commercial, recreation, horse racing facilities, railroad facilities and research facilities.

Additional questions:

1. Have the board members acknowledged that they have read and understood the mission of the public authority? yes
2. Who has the power to appoint the management of the public authority? The board of Supervisors

3. If the Board appoints management, do you have a policy you follow when appointing the management of the public authority?N/A

4. Briefly describe the role of the Board and the role of management in the implementation of the mission. The Board of Directors provides an oversight and sets strategy, while management performs day to day responsibilities to implement the agency's mission.

5. Has the Board acknowledged that they have read and understood the responses to each of these questions? yes