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## CODES AND REGULATIONS DEVELOP LOUISVILLE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

## AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT KENTUCKIANAWORKS PARC



Louisville Forward is an integrated approach to economic and community development, combining business attraction, expansion and retention activities, and talent and workforce attraction, with all of the city's real estate development, land use and planning and design functions to present a unified solution for job growth and quality of place.





#### LOUISVILLE FORWARD – INTER-AGENCY ADVANTAGES AT WORK

#### Grainger

- \$273 million investment, 431 new jobs
- Came to Louisville Forward to build major distribution hub; required significant permitting considerations
- Staff coordinated planning calls and reviews between agencies

#### **Distillery Development**

- 10 distilleries, \$161 million investment
- Coordination with state and local entities for permitting and licensing

#### LINAK

- \$23 million investment, 450 new jobs
- Expanding production in Louisville; required road widening and land use approvals
- Staff coordinated to satisfy infrastructure and safety needs

# Since 2011... UNEMPLOYMENT FELL FROM 10% TO 3.9% 80,000 NEW JOBS 2,700 NEW BUSINESSES

Since 2014...

## **MORE THAN \$14 BILLION IN INVESTMENT**



# 20,000 RESIDENTS WORKED THEIR WAY OUT OF POVERTY

## 17,000 HOUSEHOLDS WORKED THEIR WAY INTO THE MIDDLE CLASS

#### BY THE NUMBERS

- Louisville GDP expanded 31% since 2011, compared to 26% U.S. (5<sup>th</sup> best out of 15 peer cities)
- **3.9%** annual unemployment rate for 2018, compared to 3.9% U.S.
- Labor force participation = **65.3%**, compared to 63.2% U.S.
- #1 among peer cities Louisville's job growth at young firms rose 9.4% from 2007 to 2017, an indicator of entrepreneurship.



## LOUISVILLE FORWARD PROGRESS

#### FY19 Total to Date

- 45 announced projects
- 2,837 jobs
- \$427 Million investment

## Pipeline

- 82 projects
- 12,135 jobs
- \$3.5 Billion investment



**RECENT ANNOUNCEMENTS - EXPANSIONS & ATTRACTIONS** 



300 NEW JOBS \$7.2 MILLION INVESTMENT



62 NEW JOBS \$6.7 MILLION INVESTMENT



GE APPLIANCES a Haier company

#### 400 NEW JOBS \$200 MILLION INVESTMENT



80 NEW JOBS \$8 MILLION INVESTMENT **PACCAR** 

80 NEW JOBS \$70 MILLION INVESTMENT

#### **RECENT ANNOUNCEMENTS – Small Business**



## **Strategic Alliance Consultants**

Women- and immigrant-owned expanding business

Messie Shop

Recently opened retail storefront in NuLu

Boutique opened on South Fourth Street



Start-up pilot program in J-town



Existing restaurant expanding into larger space

#### WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

#### **Training Programs**

- KY Manufacturing Career Center (M-TELL program)
- KY Health Career Center

### Nia Center

- Food Entrée-preneurship Program
- Exploring Entrepreneurship
- Entrepreneurship Fundamentals
- Etsy Craft Entrepreneurship
- Business Clinic
- Kentucky Career Center





#### LOUISVILLE AFFORDABLE HOUSING TRUST FUND

- 2,238 total units created or preserved (since April 2014)
- 1,093 housing units for households making 50% or less of AMI

## LOUISVILLE CARES REVOLVING LOAN FUND

#### 16 applications received since May 2016

- Combined total funding requests of \$24.7 million
- 2,601 units for residents making less than 50%, 60% and 80% AMI
- 7 projects funded to completely expend the original \$11M loan pool
- 826 total units funded to date
- 1 project complete and online
- 3 projects coming fully online spring 2019.



#### VAP

#### Maximizing resources through streamlined processes and targeted initiatives

#### Since FY12

- 357 properties sold by Landbank Authority
- 808 foreclosure cases initiated
- 552 foreclosure cases closed
- 775 completed demolitions





#### IN DEVELOPMENT...

- New Dixie Highway
- Butchertown soccer development
- Colonial Gardens
- More than 20 hotels
- 10 Distilleries now open
- 1,000+ new downtown multi-family units





#### IN DEVELOPMENT...

- Vision Russell awarded all 3 Choice Neighborhood Initiative Grants
  - •Planning Grant 2015 (\$425,000)
  - •Action Activities 2016 (\$1.375M)
  - •Implementation Grant 2017 (\$29.5M)
- 18<sup>th</sup> Street revitalization
  - YMCA
  - Bus Rapid Transit
  - OneWest acquisitions
- Louisville Urban League Sports & Learning Complex





#### **Development Projects - ROI**

9 Local Property Tax TIFs were approved by Metro Council, 2015-16

In 2015, taxable assessed value was \$33 million In 2018, taxable assessed value was \$178 million

Increase (increment paid) in taxes in 2018 = **\$586,386** 





Derby guests, 2015-2019

- 11 new projects
- 1,696 new jobs
- \$1,079,190,000 in investment
- Working 17 active projects

## 2019

- 13 economic development guests
  - Technology
  - Medical Logistics
  - Food & Beverage

TOP ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATION SITE SELECTION MAGAZINE (5<sup>TH</sup> YEAR IN A ROW)

#### PERFECT SCORE – 100 HUMAN RIGHTS CAMPAIGN'S MUNICIPAL EQUALITY INDEX (4<sup>TH</sup> YEAR IN A ROW)

TOP 10 CITY WHERE MANUFACTURING IS THRIVING - FORBES

**BEST CITY FOR JOBS** - GLASSDOOR **TOP METRO IN 2 REGIONS** - SITE SELECTION MAGAZINE

CO-MAJOR MARKET OF THE YEAR (W/NASHVILLE) - SOUTHERN BUSINESS & DEVELOPMENT

# Questions

# CODES AND REGULATIONS



#### **CODES & REGULATIONS MAJOR DIVISIONS**



## **CONSTRUCTION REVIEW**

- Building Permits, Plan Review & Inspections
- Electrical Permits & Inspections
- HVAC Permits & Inspections
- Issued 4,016 Building Permits FY19 to date (4/30/2019)
- Issued 11,197 HVAC Permits FY19 to date
- Issued 9,559 Electrical Permits FY19 to date
- Division performed over 52,500 inspections FY19 to date





## LICENSING & PERMITTING (ABC)

- ABC Licenses
- TAXI Licenses
- TAXI Driver Licenses
- Charitable Organizations
- Armed Security Companies
- Armed Security Guards

- Pawn Brokers
- Street Vendors
- Mobile Food Trucks
- Horse Drawn Carriages
  - Amusement Devices

Issued 2,981 permits FY19 to date (4/30/2019)

Performed 5,255 inspections FY19 to date

Issued 69 administrative citations FY19 to date





### PROPERTY MAINTENANCE

- Responds to 311 service requests regarding Property Maintenance Code concerns
- Conducts Section 8/HQS inspections for LMHA
- Customer Service team schedules hearings and maintains Code Enforcement Board records
- Performed more than 65,800 PM Inspections FY19 to date (5/5/2019)
- Performed more than 16,900 HQS inspections FY19 to date
- Held more than 1,067 Code Enforcement Board appeal hearings



## VACANT LOTS

- Division abates property maintenance violation referrals on vacant properties (Boarding & Cleanings)
- Maintains over 600 Metro controlled vacant lots
- Vacant lots completed 11,293 boarding and cleaning work orders FY19 to date (5/5/2019)
- Abates graffiti on vacant & public property
- Responsible for 10 assigned Metro snow routes



# Questions

# **DEVELOP LOUISVILLE**

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#### PLACEMAKING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT - IMPROVING HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE

- **Office of Advanced Planning**
- **Office of Housing and Community Development**
- **Office of Planning and Design Services**
- **Office of Redevelopment Strategies and Vacant and Public Property Administration**
- **Office of Sustainability** (Division of Community Forestry)
- **Brightside**



#### **AFFORDABLE HOUSING IN THE NEWS**

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## Minimum wage doesn't cover the rent anywhere in the U.S.



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Homebuilding Isn't Keeping Up With Growth, **Development Group Says** 

The New Hork Times

## As Affordable Housing Crisis Grows, HUD Sits on the Sidelines



#### HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

- In FY19, OHCD invested nearly \$2.3 million in CDBG funds affecting more than 200 households
- Investment includes:
  - 8 owner-occupied homes in Russell
- 40 home owners helped with Down Payment Assistance, representing \$753,400 investment





#### LOUISVILLE AFFORDABLE HOUSING TRUST FUND FY19 Highlights

- \$7.5 M Committed (75% of funds)
- More than 550 units created/preserved
- 210 units committed to households making 50% or less of AMI

### LOUISVILLE CARES REVOLVING LOAN FUND FY19 Highlights

- 2 new commitments
- Over 100 units will be created
- 2 Grand Openings (Riverport Family & Bristol Bluffs)





#### VAP

#### Maximizing resources through streamlined processes and targeted initiatives

- 90 properties sold by Landbank Authority to date FY19
- 124 foreclosure cases initiated to date FY19
- 112 foreclosure cases closed to date FY19
- 112 completed demolitions to date FY19



#### CLEAN & GREEN BY THE NUMBERS

- 24,000 volunteers participating in neighborhood cleanups
- 1,190 new canopy trees planted
- More than 1,400 trees given to residents
- 2,977 trees planted with partners
- 58 BrightSites maintained
- 55 tons of litter removed
- 23 registered through Green Living Neighborhood Program
- The daffodils are back! 215,000 new bulbs planted in fall 2018.



#### 2018 DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITY

- 2,878 Applications Rec'd (25% Increase)
- 5,123 Residential Units Approved
- 4.8 Million Square Feet of
  Non-Residential Development Approved
- 4,583 Zoning Inspections completed (200+% Increase)



#### PLANNING FOR OUR FUTURE

- Adoption of Plan 2040 (Award Winning)
- Land Development Code Updates
  - Trees
  - Short Term Rentals
- Neighborhood Plans
  - Jefferson Square Master Plan
  - Bowman Field Area Plan
  - Fairdale (Award Wining)
  - California, Smoketown, Butchertown Phoenix Hill NuLu
- Corridor Plans
  - Broadway Master Plan
  - W. Kentucky Street Corridor (Award Winning)
  - Library Lane
  - Bardstown Rd. Safety Study
  - Story and Main
- Dixie Highway BRT comes on line Dec 2019
- Public Art
  - Cultural Pass celebrates its 6<sup>th</sup> year!
  - The Knot
  - Imagine Louisville Mural Festival
  - Love in the Streets (Poetry in 4<sup>th</sup> St. Streetscape)
- Brownfields
  - \$350,000 Revolving Loan Fund Subgrant to Urban League
  - \$883,000 Remediation at former Louisville Chemical Building











# Questions

## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT



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- Business attraction/retention/expansion
- Small business loans
- Business outreach and small business services
- Globalization
- International economic development





## **CREATE JOBS**

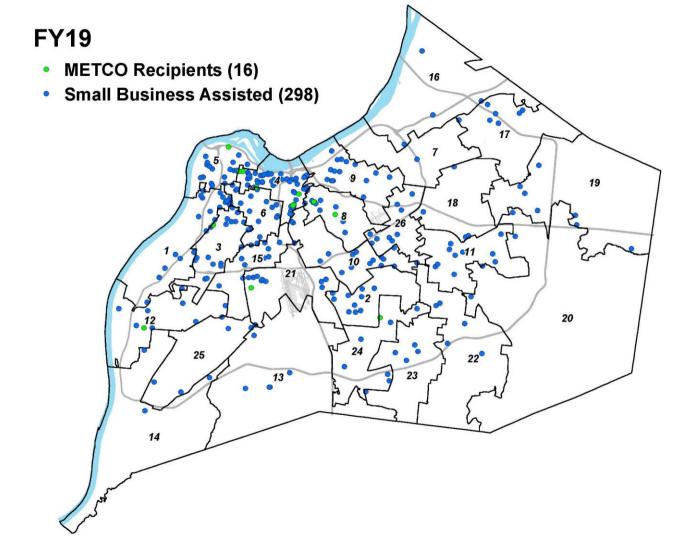


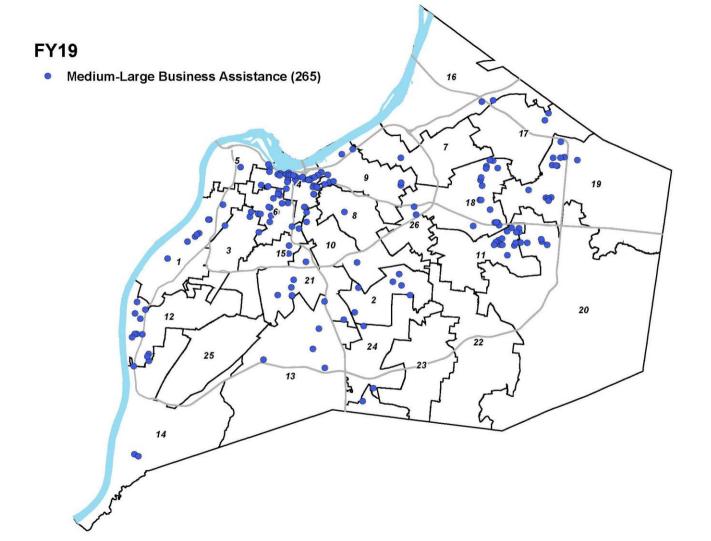
## **RAISE WAGES**

#### IN THE PIPELINE...

82 active attraction/expansion opportunities 12,135 potential jobs

### \$3.5 Billion in potential investment





#### METCO FY15 – FY19 Total

- 110 loans
- \$8.9M loaned
- \$74.8M leveraged

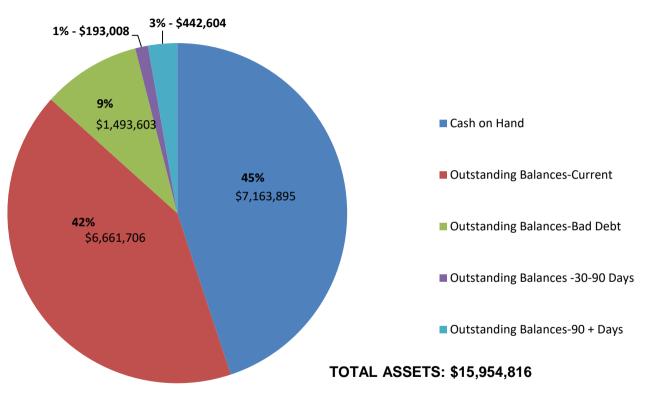
#### FY19 – to date

- 17 loans
- \$1.5M loaned
- \$9.6M leveraged Peace, Love and Eggrolls





#### **METCO PORTFOLIO - FY'19**



# Questions

# LIVE. WORK. CREATE. INNOVATE.



