# TOWN OF COLONIE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY APPLICATION FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

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DATE: <u>07/28/17</u>	
APPLICANT: One Mustang Drive II, LLC	(the "Applicant")
ADDRESS: One Mustang Drive, Cohoes, New York 12047	
FEDERAL ID #:	
CONTACT PERSON: Antonio Giordano	TITLE: <u>CFO</u>
TELEPHONE NO.: 518-371-2684	FAX NO.: <u>518-371-2688</u>
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IF APPLICANT IS REPRESENTED BY AN ATTORNEY, C	OMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:
NAME OF ATTORNEY: Charles R. Haviland and J. Stepl	nen Reilly
FIRM: Whiteman Osterman & Hanna LLP	
ADDRESS: One Commerce Plaza, Albany, NY 12260	
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PLEASE READ THE INSTRUCTIONS ON PAGE 2 OF THIS APPLICATION BEFORE FILLING OUT THE REST OF THIS FORM

#### INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. The answers to the questions contained in this application are necessary to determine the Company's eligibility for financial assistance from the Town of Colonie Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency"). These answers will also be used in the preparation of papers in this transaction. Accordingly, all questions should be answered accurately and completely by an officer, member, partner or other employee of your firm who is thoroughly familiar with the business and affairs of the Company and who is also thoroughly familiar with the proposed project. This application is subject to acceptance by the Agency.
- 2. The Agency will not approve any application unless, in the judgment of the Agency, said application contains sufficient information upon which to base a decision whether to approve or tentatively approve the project contemplated therein.
- 3. Please respond to all items either by filling in blanks by attachment (by marking space "See Attachment Number 1," etc.) or by using "none" or "not applicable" or "N/A" where the question is not appropriate to the project which is the subject of this application.
- 4. If an estimate is given as the answer to a question, put ("est") after the figure or answer which is estimated.
- 5. When completed, return five (5) copies of this application to the Agency at the address indicated on the first page of this application.
- 6. The Agency will not give final approval to this application until the Agency receives a completed environmental assessment form concerning the project that is the subject of this application.
- 7. Please note that Article 6 of the Public Officers Law declares that all records in the possession of the Agency (with certain limited exceptions) are open to public inspection and copying. If the Applicant feels that there are elements of the project which are in the nature of trade secrets or competitive issues which if disclosed to the public or otherwise widely disseminated would cause substantial injury to the Company's competitive position, the Applicant may identify such elements in writing and request that such elements be kept confidential in accordance with Article 6 of the Public Officers Law.
- 8. The Applicant shall pay or cause to be paid to the Agency all actual costs and expenses (including legal fees) incurred by the Agency in connection with this application and the project contemplated herein. The costs incurred by the Agency, including the Agency's counsel may be considered as a part of the project.
- 9. The Agency has established an administrative fee to be paid by the Company said fee being intended to cover the indirect expenses incurred by the Agency in administering the project including compiling reports relating to the project. The administrative fee is 1/2 of 1% of the total project cost. The fee shall be payable upon the earlier to occur of (a) the closing of the straight lease transaction or (b) one (1) year after the Company is appointed agent of the Agency.
- 10. The Agency has established a <u>non-refundable</u> application fee of \$250.00 to cover the anticipated costs of the Agency in processing this application. A check or money order made payable to the Agency must accompany each application. THIS APPLICATION WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED BY THE AGENCY UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY THE APPLICATION FEE.
- 11. ALL ESTIMATES OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AND ALL OTHER INFORMATION WILL BE RELIED UPON BY THE AGENCY. ANY REQUEST FOR CHANGES TO THIS APPLICATION MUST BE MADE IN WRITING AND MAY IMPACT THE GRANT OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO THE PROJECT.

# PART I. PROPOSED PROJECT OWNER ("COMPANY")

1) Company Name: One Mustang Drive II, LLC  Address: One Mustang Drive, Cohoes, NY 12047  Federal ID No.
rederat ID No.: _
If the Company differs from the Applicant, give details of relationship:
2) Business Organization of the Company
Type of business organization: <u>LLC</u> State incorporated in: <u>New York</u>
3) Company Ownership
a) Is the Company publicly held? Yes X No
i) If yes, list exchanges where stock of the Company is traded: N/A
ii) If no, list all stockholders, partners, members or managers having an interest in the ownership or profits of the Company:
Name Address/Telephone/Email Percentage of Holding
Anthony Hynes One Mustang Drive, Cohoes, NY 12047 518-225-2204 Z@pva.net 70% AJH Irrevocable Trust #3 One Mustang Drive, Cohoes, NY 12047 15%
AJH Irrevocable Trust #2 One Mustang Drive, Cohoes, NY 12047 15%
iii) Has any person listed in Section 3(a)(ii) above ever been convicted of a criminal offense (other than a minor traffic violation)? Yes X No
iv) Has any person listed in Section 3(a)(ii) above or any concern with whom such person has been connected ever been in receivership or been adjudicated a bankrupt? Yes _X_ No
v) If yes to (iii) or (iv), please furnish detail in a separate attachment.
4) Company Management
a) List all officers, directors, members, managers, partners and general counsel:
Name Address/Telephone/Email Office Held Principal Business Affiliations
Anthony Hynes One Mustang Drive, Cohoes, NY 12047 518-225-2204 Z@pva.net CEO
Antonio Giordano One Mustang Drive, Cohoes, NY 12047 Angiordano@pva.net CFO
b) Has any person listed above ever been convicted of a criminal offense (other than a minor traffic violation)? Yes _X_No
c) Has any person listed above or any concern with whom such person has been connected ever been in receivership or been adjudicated a bankrupt? Yes _X_ No
d) Is the Company or management of the Company now a plaintiff or a defendant in any criminal litigation? Yes _X No
e) If yes to (b), (c) or (d) above, please furnish detail in a separate attachment

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a)	Please list the name of and relationship to any subsidiary or direct or indirect affiliate of the Company:
b)	Company's Principal Bank: Wells Fargo
c)	Commercial real estate broker the Company is utilizing for this project: N/A
d)	Please list a few locally based suppliers you use during the course of business operation. These could be raw material, packaging, supplies, equipment vendors, etc.:
6) Com	apany's Prior Benefits
a)	Please list any prior industrial development agency assistance or any other municipal incentives including, but not limited to, New York State or Local Economic Development Assistance Programs in which the Company (or any Company affiliate) has been involved: None, other than the 2010 Bond Financing which is being refinanced.
b)	Please list any New York State or utility economic development benefits for this project for which the Company has applied: <a href="Empire Zone"><u>Empire Zone</u></a>
c)	Has the Company or any related person applied to another IDA in regard to this Project?YesX_ No If yes, please provide details of any action taken with respect to and the current status of such application:
PART	III. PROJECT COST
1) State	the costs reasonably necessary for the acquisition of the project site and the construction of the posed project:
	Description of Cost Amount
	Purchase of land\$
	Purchase of existing buildings\$
	Renovations/additions to existing buildings\$
	New building construction\$
	Machinery & equipment cost\$
	Utilities, roads and appurtenant costs\$
	Architects & engineering fees\$
	Legal fees\$
	Construction loan fees & interest\$
	Other (specify)

TOTAL PROJECT COST \$5,205,000 (est.)

# PART III. COST/BENEFIT ANALYSIS

ALL ESTIMATES OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AND ALL OTHER INFORMATION WILL BE RELIED UPON BY THE AGENCY. ANY REQUEST FOR CHANGES TO THIS APPLICATION MUST BE MADE IN WRITING AND MAY IMPACT THE GRANT OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO THE PROJECT.

1) Estimated value of each type of exemption sought (indicate N/A if not being requested):

Mortgage Amount \$ N/A

Mortgage recording tax exemption \$ N/A

Project costs subject to sales and use taxes \$ N/A

Sales and use tax exemption \$ N/A

Real property tax exemption / PILOT

\$ N/A

(a) fill out the chart below based on the Agency's UTEP; or

(b) if a deviation is being requested, please call Chris Kelsey at 783-2708

# PILOT ESTIMATE WORKSHEET:

Dollar Value of New Construction and Renovation Costs	Estimated New Assessed Value of Property Subject to IDA Financial	County Tax Rate/1000	Local Tax Rate (Town/City/Village)/1000	School Tax Rate/1000
	Assistance*			

<sup>\*</sup>Apply equalization rate to value

PILOT Year	% Payment	County PILOT Amount	Local PILOT Amount	School PILOT Amount	Total PILOT	Full Tax Payment w/o PILOT	Net Exemption
2		1318/45/21					
3		MATERIAL.					
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7							
8							
9							****
10							
TOTAL			***************************************			***	

2)	Is there a mortgage or other financing for this project? X Yes No Name of Lender: Wells Fargo  Approximate amount of financing: \$5,500,00
3)	Amount the Company has invested and plans to invest in the project: This is a refinance info to follow
4)	Percentage of the project to be financed from public sector sources: This is a refinance info to follow
5)	Percentage of the project to be financed from private sector sources: This is a refinance info to follow
6)	Benefits of the project
	Existing jobs Jobs created Jobs retained Estimated payroll Sales tax generated Property tax / special district tax Increase in assessed value Other (please specify)  Projected timeframe for the creation of new jobs  *No new jobs or significant changes will occur, because this is a refinance. However, it should be noted that the number of existing jobs at the project is approximately 60 more than estimated in the 2010 financing.
7)	Discuss how the project will benefit the Town of Colonie and its residents. See Addendum A for particular selection criteria that the Agency will use in evaluating this project and incorporate relevant information regarding the selection criteria into your response.  This is a refinance.
1)	RT V. DATA REGARDING PROPOSED PROJECT Summary: (Please provide a brief narrative description of the project including why the Company is undertaking the project and why the Company is requesting the assistance of the Agency.) This is a refinance of the 2010 project which consisted of the acquisition of two adjacent parcels of land totaling approximately 11 acres located at 1 Mustang Drive, Town of Colonie, New York and the improvements located thereon, including an approximately 115,000 square foot building, the rehabilitation and reconstruction of the building for use as a manufacturing facility and office space and the acquisition and installation of machinery, equipment and other tangible personal property in the building and on the site.
2)	Type of Project:  X Manufacturing Warehouse/Distribution Commercial Non-Profit Other:

3) Loca	ation of Pro	posed Project		
Tax N	Address:  Map No.:	One Mustang Drive 5.1-14		
City:			Town:	Colonie
_	•	N/A	School District:	North Colonie
Fire L	District:	Latham / Boght Hills	County:	Albany
Ple	ase attach a	n map or sketch of the project site.		
4) Proj	ect Site			
a) b) c) d) e) f) g)	Number a Present le Business Is project If the Con If the Con N/A If yes, inc Purchase	nate size (in acres or square feet): and approximate size (in square feet) and approximate size (in square feet) and owner: One Mustang Drive I operation currently at project site: site currently vacant or underutilising any (or Sublessee) owns the propany is not the owner of the project licate date option signed with own Price:	et) of each existing building. I, LLC  Manufacturing  zed and if so, for how man object site, please indicate the cut site, is there an option signer:  Date opt  Proposed Closing Date:	ny years? No he purchase price: \$5,350,000 gned with owner to purchase ion expires:
	ect Site Plan			
a) I	Does part of If yes, ind	the project consist of construction icate number and size of new buil	of a new building or buildings	dings?YesXNo
b) I		the project consist of additional a		
	If yes, ind	icate nature of expansion and/or re	enovation	
c) V	Proposed	leasing the entire project site or a lease term in years: Already in pon, provide the square footage of provide the square footage.	lace	
	Please pro	vide a copy of lease if available.		
6) Zoni	ing			
a)	Zoning Di	strict in which project site is locat	ed: <u>Industrial</u>	
b)	Are there a If yes, list	any variances or special permits afforbelow and attach copies of all suc	ecting the site? YesY	X No mits:
c) V	Vill the proj If no, plea	ect meet current zoning requireme se provide the details/status of any	ents? X Yes No or change of zoning reques	t:

7) Proj	ect Equipment
a)	Does a part of the project consist of the acquisition or installation of machinery, equipment or other personal property (the "Equipment")? YesX_ No If yes, describe the Equipment:
b)	Will any of the Equipment have been previously used? YesX No If yes, please provide detail:
8) Proj	ect Use
a)	What are the principal products to be produced and/or principal activities to be conducted at the project? Manufacture of automated coating and dispensing systems.
b)	Is there a likelihood that the Company, but for the contemplated financial assistance from the Agency, would be unable to undertake the project?Yes No Refinancing at a taxable rate would adversely affect the Applicant and was not contemplated when the 2010 project was undertaken.
	Please explain why the Agency should undertake the project:
c)	Does the project include facilities or property that are primarily used in making retail sales of goods or services to customers who personally visit such facilities?YesXNo.  If yes, what percentage of the cost of the project will be expended on such facilities or property primarily used in making such retail sales?%  If greater than 33.33% please respond to the following: N/A  Is the project a "tourism destination" that is likely to attract a significant number of visitors from outside the economic development region in which the project will be located?Yes No
	Is the predominant purpose of the project to make available goods or services which would not but for the project, be reasonably accessible to the residents of the Town of Colonie because of a lack of reasonably accessible retail trade facilities offering such goods or services? Yes No Will the project be located in a "highly distressed area"? A "highly distressed area" is (i) an area designed as an economic development zone pursuant to Article 18-B of the General Municipal Law; or (ii) a census tract or block numbering area (or census tract or block numbering area contiguous thereto) which, according to the most recent census data, has (x) a poverty rate of at least 20% for the year in which the data relates, or at least 20% of households receiving public assistance, and (y) an unemployment rate of at least 1.25 times the statewide unemployment rate for the year to which the data relates? Yes No
d)	Are there facilities within the State of New York that will close or be subject to reduced activity as a result of the project? No
	If yes, please indicate whether the project is reasonably necessary for the Company to maintain its competitive position in its industry or to prevent the Company from moving out of New York State:

e) Will the project preserve permanent, private sector jobs or increase the overall number of permanent, private sector jobs in the State of New York? X Yes No N/A
If yes, please explain: The refinance will not directly affect the number of jobs provided.
9) Project Construction Status
<ul> <li>a) Please discuss the approximate extent of construction and/or acquisition which has commenced and the extent of completion. Indicate whether such specific steps have been completed as site clearance and preparation; completion of foundations; installation of footings; etc.: There is no construction as part of this refinance.</li> <li>b) What is the scheduled completion date of the project? N/A</li> <li>c) Building/Contractor Name and Address: N/A</li> <li>d) Architect and/or Engineer Address: N/A</li> </ul>
PART V. LESSEE OR SUBLESSEE
1) Pease give the following information with respect to each Sublessee to whom the Company intends to lease or sublease more than 10% (by area or fair market rental value) of the project:  a) Lessee/Sublessee name: Precision Valve and Automation, Inc.  b) Present address: 1 Mustang Drive, Cohoes, NY 12047  c) Relationship to the Company: Tenant and Related Party d) Percentage of project to be leased or subleased: 100% e) Date of lease or sublease to Sublessee: 8/24/10 f) Use of project intended: Manufacturing

# PART VI. EMPLOYMENT IMPACT

Indicate the number of full time equivalent ("FTE") jobs presently at the Company and the number of FTE jobs that will be employed at the project at the end of the first and second years after the project has been completed, by category, including full time equivalent independent contractors or employees of independent contractors that work at the project location. Do not include construction workers. Indicate the salary and fringe benefit averages or ranges for each category of jobs.

	Present	Year 1	Year 2
Number of Professional/ Managerial/ Technical Jobs	85	85	85
Estimated Average Salary or Salary Range for Professional/ Managerial/ Technical Jobs	\$70K - \$90K	\$70K - \$90K	\$70K - \$90K
Estimated Average Benefits or Benefits Range for Professional/ Managerial/ Technical Jobs	\$15K - \$25K	\$15K - \$25K	\$15K - \$25K
Number of Skilled Jobs	90	90	90
Estimated Average Salary or Salary Range for Skilled Jobs	\$45K - \$65K	\$45K - \$65K	\$45K - \$65K

There is no employment impact, as this is a refinance.

Estimated Average Benefits or Benefits Range for Skilled Jobs	\$10K - \$20K	\$10K - \$20K	\$10K - \$20K
Number of Unskilled or Semi-Skilled Jobs	25	25	25
Estimated Average Salary or Salary Range for Unskilled or Semi-Skilled Jobs	\$35K - \$45K	\$35K - \$45K	\$35K - \$45K
Estimated Average Benefits or Benefits Range for Unskilled or Semi-Skilled Jobs	\$5K - \$15K	\$5K - \$15K	\$5K - \$15K

Professional/ Managerial/ Technical Jobs includes jobs which involve skill or competence of extraordinary degree and may include supervisory responsibilities (*Examples*: architect, engineer, accountant, scientist, medical doctor, financial manager, programmer).

Skilled Jobs includes jobs that require specific skill sets, education, training and experience and are generally characterized by high education or expertise levels (*Examples:* electrician, computer operator, administrative assistant, carpenter, sales representative).

Unskilled or Semi-Skilled Jobs includes jobs that require little or no prior acquired skills and involve the performance of simple duties that require the exercise of little or no independent judgment (*Examples*: general cleaner, truck driver, typist, gardener, parking lot attendant, line operator, messenger, information desk clerk, crop harvester, retail salesperson, security guard, telephone solicitor, file clerk).

Please describe or list each job title or position that will be created and/or retained and	whether such
position is a professional/managerial/technical job, skilled job or unskilled or semi-skilled j	ob:

Please detail how many residents of the Economic Development Region as defined by the State Department of Economic Development or the Labor Market Area (defined by the Agency to consist of Albany County, Schenectady County, Rensselaer County, and Saratoga County) will fill such jobs: \_\_\_\_\_

Estimate of number of construction jobs to be created and timeframe(s) for such jobs

# **PART VII. COMPANY AFFIRMATIONS**

The Company understands and agrees as follows:

- <u>a)</u> Truth of Statements. Submission of any knowingly false or knowingly misleading information may lead to the immediate termination of any financial assistance and the reimbursement of an amount equal to all or part of any tax exemptions claimed by reason of the Agency's involvement in the project.
- b) General Municipal Law Compliance. The provisions of Article 18-A, including Sections 859-a and 862(1), of the New York General Municipal Law will not be violated if financial assistance is provided for the proposed project.
- <u>Sob Listings and Consideration for Employment.</u> In accordance with Section 858-b(2) of the New York General Municipal Law, if the project receives any financial assistance from the Agency, except as otherwise provided by collective bargaining agreements, new employment opportunities created as a result of the project must be listed with the New York State Department of Labor Community Services Division (the "DOL") and with the administrative entity (collectively with the DOL, the "JTPA Entities") of the service delivery area created by the federal job training partnership act (Public Law 97-300) ("JTPA") in which the project is located. Further, except as otherwise provided by collective bargaining agreements, where practicable, the Company will first consider persons eligible to participate in JTPA programs who shall be referred by the JTPA Entities for new employment opportunities created as a result of the project.
- d) Annual Sales Tax Filings. In accordance with Section 874(8) of the New York General Municipal Law, if the project receives any sales tax exemptions as part of the financial assistance from the Agency, the Company will file, or cause to be filed, with the New York State Department of Taxation and Finance, the annual form prescribed by the Department of Taxation and Finance, describing the value of all sales tax exemptions claimed by the Company and all consultants or subcontractors retained by the Company.
- e) Annual Employment Reports. If the project receives any financial assistance from the Agency, the Company will file, or cause to be filed, with the Agency, on an annual basis, a certified statement and documentation (i) enumerating the full time equivalent jobs retained and the full time equivalent jobs created as a result of the financial assistance, by category, including full time equivalent independent contractors or employees of independent contractors that work at the project location and (ii) indicating the salary and fringe benefit averages or ranges for categories of jobs retained and jobs created that was provided in this application is still accurate and if it is not still accurate, providing a revised list of salary and fringe benefit averages or ranges for categories of jobs retained and jobs created.
- <u>Absence of Conflicts of Interest.</u> The Company has received from the Agency a list of the members, officers and employees of the Agency. No member, officers or employee of the Agency has an interest, whether direct or indirect, in any transaction contemplated by this application, except as hereinafter described:
- g) Payment of Fees and Expenses. The Company shall pay all reasonable legal fees and expenses paid or incurred by the Agency arising out of or connected with the Agency's undertaking or attempting to undertake the acquisition, construction, equipping or financing of the project or the Agency's granting or attempting to grant any financial assistance (within the meaning of Article 18-A of the General Municipal Law) with respect to the project, regardless of whether any such acquisition, construction, equipping or financing or granting is consummated.
- h) Compliance. The Company is in substantial compliance with all applicable local, state and federal tax, worker protection and environmental laws, rules and regulations.

IN <u>August,</u>	WITNESS WHEREOF, the Applicant has duly executed this application this <u>lo</u> day of <u>2017.</u>
Applicant	: One Mustang Drive II, LLC
Ву:	Che ghom
Name:	Antonio Giordano
Title:	CFO

APPLICANT MUST COMPLETE THE VERIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT APPEARING BELOW BEFORE A NOTARY PUBLIC.

# VERIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

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oses and says that s/he is the	
Of One Mustang Drive II, LLC	
(Applicant Name)	
that s/he has read the foregoing application and knows the contents thereof and that the same is true, accurate and complete to the best of her/his knowledge, as subscribed and affirmed under the penalties of perjury. The grounds of deponent's beliefs relative to all matters in the said application which are not stated upon his own personal knowledge are investigations which the deponent has caused to be made concerning the subject matter of this application as well as, if applicable; information acquired by deponent in the course of her/his duties for the applicant and from the books, and papers of the applicant.	
pplicant hereby releases the Town of Colonie Industrial Development Agency and servants, agents and employees thereof (herein collectively referred to as the that the Agency shall not be liable for and agrees to indemnify, defend and hold the nd against any and all liability arising from or expense incurred by (i) the Agency's sing of; and action pursuant to or upon, the attached Application, regardless of or the project described therein are favorably acted upon by the Agency and (ii) the nancial assistance to the Applicant; including without limiting the generality of the action and attorneys' fees and any other expenses incurred in defending any suits or as a result of any of the foregoing. If, for any reason, the Applicant fails to conclude ry negotiations, or fails, within a reasonable or specified period of time to take quested action, or withdraws, abandons, cancels or neglects the Application, then, resentation of an invoice itemizing the same, the Applicant shall pay to the Agency, actual costs incurred by the Agency in the processing of the Application, including	
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## ADDENDUM A

# SELECTION CRITERIA BY PROJECT TYPE

# Manufacturing, Warehouse, Distribution

- 1. Alignment with local planning and development efforts
- 2. Wage rates (as compared to median wage for area)
- 3. Regional wealth creation (% sales/customers within municipality)
- 4. Regional purchases (% of overall purchases)
- 5. Research and development activities
- 6. Investments in energy efficiency
- 7. Location, land use, including use of brownfields or locally designated development areas
- 8. Use of LEED/renewable resources
- 9. Retention/flight risk

# Agricultural, Food Processing

- 1. Alignment with local planning and development efforts
- 2. Wage rates (as compared to median wage for area)
- 3. Regional wealth creation (% sales/customers outside area)
- 4. Regional purchases (% of overall purchases)
- 5. Research and development activities
- 6. Investments in energy efficiency
- 7. Location, land use factors, proximity to local agricultural production
- 8. Use of LEED/renewable resources
- 9. Retention/flight risk

# Adaptive Reuse, Community Development

- 1. Alignment with local planning and development efforts
- 2. Location within distressed census tract
- 3. Age of structure
- 4. Elimination of slum and blight
- 5. Building or facility vacancy
- 6. Redevelopment supports local community development plan
- 7. Environmental or safety issues
- 8. Use of LEED/renewable resources
- 9. Building or site has historic designation
- 10. Site or structure has delinquent property or other local taxes
- 11. Project developer's return on investment
- 12. Ability to obtain conventional financing

#### **Tourism**

- 1. Alignment with local planning and development efforts
- 2. Market study (documenting demand and impact on existing tourism and businesses)
- 3. Regional wealth creation
- 4. Proximity to and/or support of regional tourism attractions/facilities
- 5. Support of local official(s), convention visitors bureau
- 6. Regional purchases, support of local vendors
- 7. Use of LEED/renewable resources
- 8. Generation of additional local revenues (such as hotel bed taxes)

#### Retail

- 1. Alignment with local planning and development efforts
- 2. Meets all requirements of General Municipal Law Section 862
- 3. Market study documenting need
- 4. Goods or services not readily available
- 5. Impact on existing businesses
- 6. Regional wealth creation
- 7. Location within highly distressed census tract
- 8. Location in urban or town center
- 9. Elimination of slum and blight
- 10. Alignment with local planning and development efforts

## High Tech

- 1. Alignment with local planning and development efforts
- 2. Wage rates (as compared to median wage for area)
- 3. Regional wealth creation (% sales/customers outside area)
- 4. Regional purchases (% of purchases from local vendors)
- 5. Research and development activities
- 6. Investments in energy efficiency
- 7. Support of local business
- 8. Retention/flight risk
- 9. Use of LEED/renewable resources

## **Back Office, Data, Call Centers**

- 1. Alignment with local planning and development efforts
- 2. Wage rates (as compared to median wage for area)
- 3. Regional wealth creation (% sales/customers outside area)
- 4. Regional purchases (% of purchases from local vendors)
- 5. Support of local business
- 6. Retention/flight risk
- 7. Use of LEED/renewable resources

#### Senior Housing

- 1. Alignment with local planning and development efforts
- 2. Market study (documenting unmet need and impact on existing housing facilities)
- 3. Location within a highly distressed census tract
- 4. Urban, town/village center location
- 5. Local official(s) support
- 6. Located in areas that provide support for below median income seniors
- 7. Location promotes walkable community areas
- 8. Project developer's return on investment
- 9. Ability to obtain conventional financing
- 10. Provision of senior-specific amenities (community rooms, health services, etc.)
- 11. Income level of potential residents (at or below median income)

#### Affordable Housing

- 1. Alignment with local planning and development efforts
- 2. Market study (documenting unmet need and impact on existing housing facilities)
- 3. Location within a highly distressed census tract
- 4. Alignment with local planning and development efforts
- 5. Urban, town/village center location

- 6. Local official(s) support
- 7. Located in areas that provide support for below median income individuals
- 8. Location promotes walkable community areas
- 9. Project developer's return on investment
- 10. Ability to obtain conventional financing
- 11. Income level of potential residents (at or below median income)

# **Commercial Housing**

- 1. Alignment with local planning and development efforts
- 2. Market study (documenting unmet need and impact on existing housing facilities)
- 3. Location within a highly distressed census tract
- 4. Alignment with local planning and development efforts
- 5. Location within urban or town/village center
- 6. Support from local official(s) and the community
- 7. Location within areas that have inadequate housing supply
- 8. Promotion of transit-oriented or walkable community areas
- 9. Project developer's return on investment
- 10. Ability to obtain conventional financing

## **Student Housing**

- 1. Alignment with local planning and development efforts
- 2. Market study (documenting unmet need and impact on existing housing facilities)
- 3. Location within a highly distressed census tract
- 4. Alignment with local planning and development efforts
- 5. Location within urban or town/village center
- 6. Support from local official(s) and the community
- 7. Location within areas that have inadequate housing supply
- 8. Promotion of transit-oriented or walkable community areas
- 9. Project developer's return on investment
- 10. Ability to obtain conventional financing

#### **Energy Production**

- 1. Alignment with local planning and development efforts
- 2. Wage rates (above median wage for area)
- 3. In region purchases (% of overall purchases, local construction jobs/suppliers)
- 4. Advances renewable energy production/transmission goals
- 5. Provides capacity or transmission to meet local demand or shortage

#### **Miscellaneous Projects**

- 1. Alignment with local planning and development efforts
- 2. Location within a highly distressed census tract
- 3. Alignment with local planning and development efforts
- 4. Location within urban or town/village center
- 5. Support from local official(s) and the community
- 6. Promotion of transit-oriented or walkable community

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