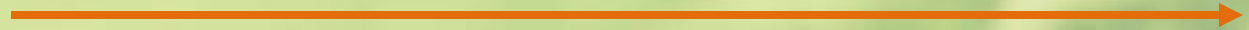




Region Forward Action Plan



Region Forward Action Plan to Create Complete Communities

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Principles

- Articulate Clear Priorities for our Regional Centers
- Building Partnerships with a Long-Term stake in the success of our Regional Centers
- Develop an Inclusive Process

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Create New Regional Sustainability Coalition

Goals:

- Enhance future regional planning coordination and performance monitoring
- Create Multijurisdictional and Multi-sector Partnerships
- Improve regional coordination of land-use, housing, environment, and transportation

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Launch Media and Outreach Campaign

Goals:

- Generate public awareness and support for Region Forward
- Mobilize participation in the implementation of Region Forward and Complete Communities

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Regional Performance Analysis Baseline

Goals:

- Conduct Region Forward's Performance Analysis Baseline to measure progress towards regional goals and targets
- Capitalize on opportunities to partner on additional analysis

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Complete Communities Identification and Prioritization

Goals:

- Define new or existing regional centers for targeted growth using a broader set of attributes
- Position these centers for competitive funding opportunities

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Complete Communities Implementation Actions and Programs

Goals:

- Prepare a strategy toolbox for transforming regional centers into Complete Communities
- Identify programs that can support local efforts to guide the transformation of regional centers into Complete Communities

