

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIVISION

DISCOVER THE DIFFERENCE

The Dodge County Community Development Division is dedicated to fostering a thriving community by driving economic growth, enhancing quality of life, and strengthening partnerships. We focus on addressing critical issues such as population growth, workforce development, and infrastructure improvement. Through strategic planning and collaboration, we aim to create a vibrant and prosperous Dodge County.

VISION & MISSION

VISION

Initiate and support wide ranging community and economic development activities that provide positive opportunities for public and private entities throughout Dodge County, thereby promoting Dodge County to be successful and sustainable in the future.

MISSION

Serve as a resource to current and future Dodge County businesses, communities, and residents for the purpose of growing Dodge County in a positive manner.

CORE VALUES



COLLABORATION

Building strong partnerships between public & private sectors to create shared success



COMMUNITY FOCUS

Prioritizing the needs and aspirations of Dodge County residents, businesses, and municipalities



INNOVATION

Embracing creative solutions to address evolving challenges and opportunities in our community



SERVICE EXCELLENCE

Providing high-quality service and maintaining professional standards in all our initiatives and interactions.



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The Community Development Division's work is organized into four interconnected areas that address the diverse needs of Dodge County. Each area represents a strategic pillar of our comprehensive approach to fostering economic vitality, developing our workforce, strengthening communities, and promoting our region. This plan of work reflects goals and includes work the Community Development Division staff plans to accomplish in 2026.



BUSINESS ASSISTANCE

- Business Retention + Expansion (BRE)
- Business Attraction
- RFI Readiness & Site Marketing
- Manufacturing Business Alliance (MBA)
- Strategic Support & Networking



WORKFORCE

- K-12 School Engagement & Career Exposure
- Career-Based Learning Programs- MBA/YA/ Inspire WI/GPS-Ed
- Workforce Forum
- Classroom to Careers (C2C) Fund
- Technical College Collaborations
- Workforce Tracking & Marketing



COUNTY/COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

- Community Development Fund (CDF)
- Comprehensive Plan Implementation
- Dodge County Career Exploration Internship Program
- Community Support
- Housing & Childcare Initiatives
- Communications & Marketing



TOURISM

- Visitor Guides & Seasonal Campaigns
- Joint Effort Marketing (JEM) Grant
- Digital Marketing & Content Development
- Tourism Group Partnership & Collaboration
- Recreation Infrastructure Support

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