## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

**BASIC COURSE** 







## Real Estate Development and Reuse

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### Introduction

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### ASTI Environmental

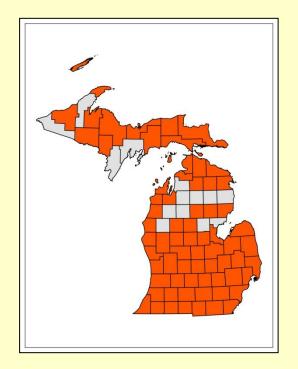
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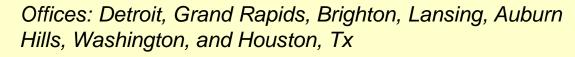


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## Class Objectives

To understand the real estate development process

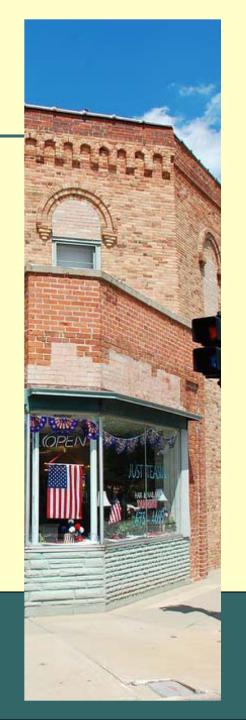
To understand the role of economic developers in real estate development incentives for brownfield properties

To understand the types and uses of incentives



### Outline

Market Factors - Macro View The Mind of the Developer Impediments to Redevelopment The Process Incentives (One Perspective) Brownfield TIF (One Option) Key Points in Attracting Development essons earned O&A



### The Macro View

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## Michigan Ranking?

US News (2023)

#41 Overall State1

#29 Health Care

#41 Education

#28 Economy

#41 Infrastructure

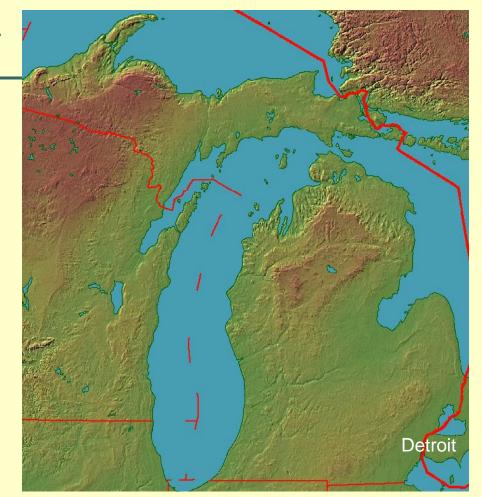
#27 Opportunity<sup>2</sup>

#32 Fiscal Stability

#38 Crime

#30 Natural

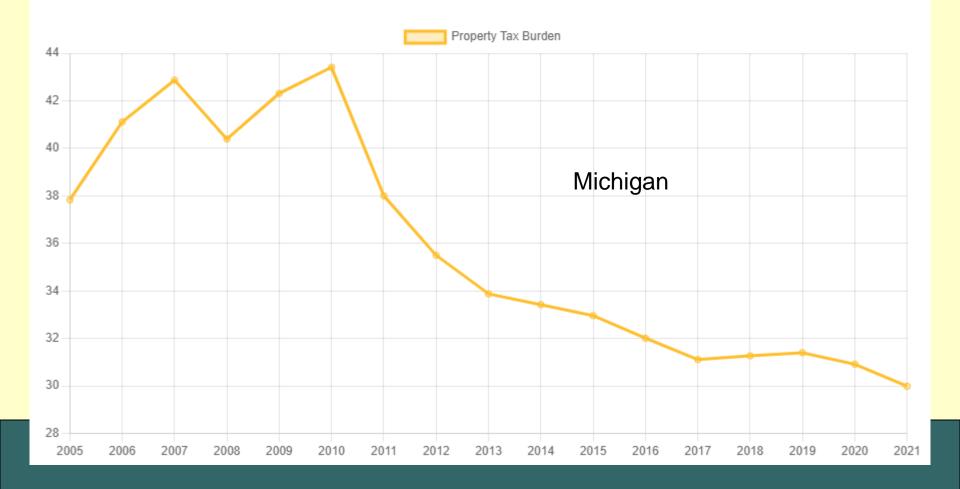
Environment



- (1) 2017 #33, 2018 #37, 2019 #33, 2021 #38
- (2) This ranking measures poverty, housing affordability and equality for women, minorities and people with disabilities.

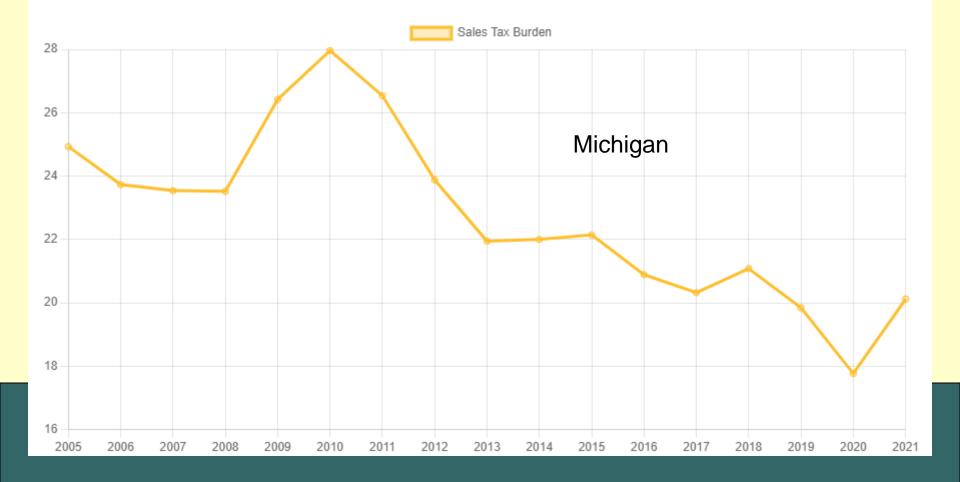
#### Property Tax Burden (per \$1,000 of personal income)

This variable is calculated by taking tax revenues from state and local property taxes per \$1,000 of personal income. We have used U.S. Census Bureau data, for which the most recent year available is 2021. These data were released in October 2022.



#### Sales Tax Burden (per \$1,000 of personal income)

This variable is calculated by taking tax revenues from state and local sales taxes per \$1,000 of personal income. Sales taxes taken into consideration include the general sales tax and specific sales taxes. We use U.S. Census Bureau Data, for which the most recent year available is 2021. Where appropriate, gross receipts or business franchise taxes, counted as sales taxes in the Census data, are subtracted from a state's total sales taxes in order to avoid double-counting tax burden in a state. These data were released in October 2022.



## Scope of Influence

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### Best Cities?

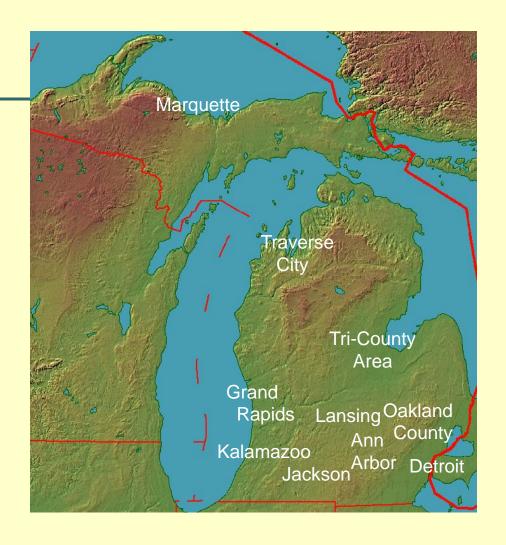
#1 Okemos

#2 Troy

#3 Novi

#4 Birmingham

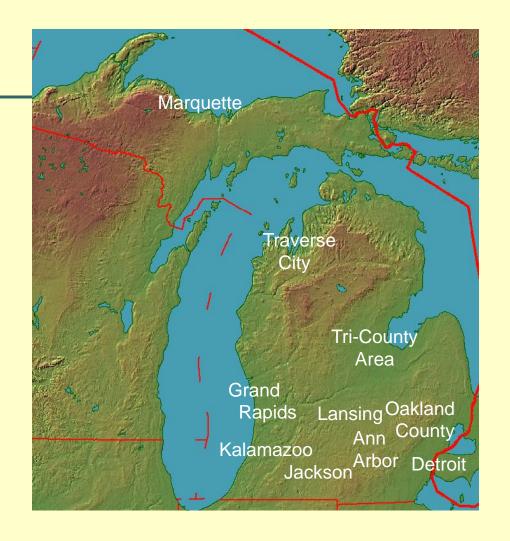
#5 Beverly Hills



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### Best Cities?

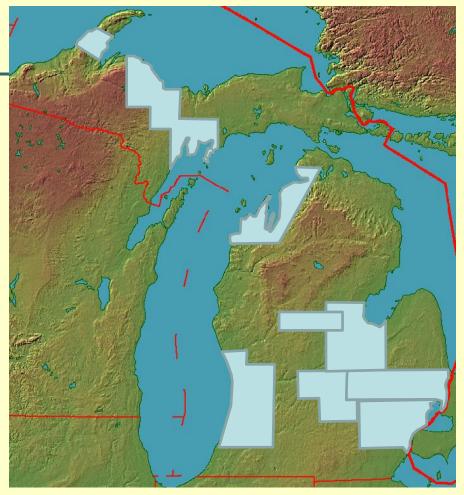
- #1 Ann Arbor
- #2 Grand Rapids
- #3 Kalamazoo
- #4 Lansing
- #5 Marquette



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### Best Regions?





Market Shift Market Forces Market Maturity Market Financials

#### For Example:

Interest Rates
Demographics
Economic Cycles
Market Saturation
Government Policies
Subsidies
Neighborhood Condition
Social Environment
Infrastructure
Pandemics
Taxes

Market Shift Market Market Forces Maturity Market Financials

#### For Example:

Desire for Dense Social Experience, Vibrant Communities and Open Spaces

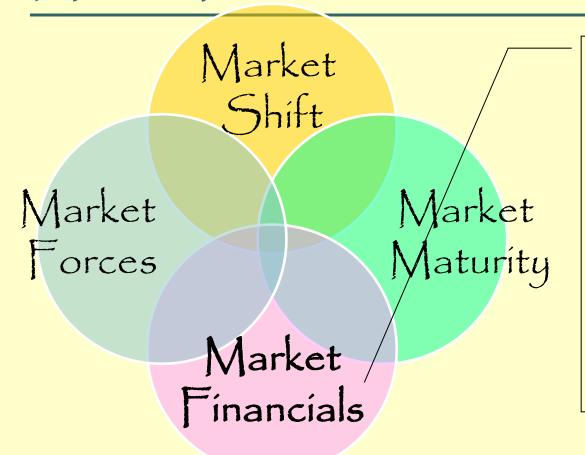
Desire for Accessible
Recreational Options
Reduction in Auto
Dependency
Anti-Sprawl Focus
Increased Ecological
Awareness

Sustainability
Buy Local Movement
20-Minute Neighborhood

Market Shift Market Market Maturity Forces Market Financials

#### For Example:

Risk Based Closure
Standards vs. Negotiated
Settlements
Liability Protection
Urban and Brownfield Markets
Focus on Creating Place
Area Wide Planning and
Incentive Coordination
Creating Authenticity
Saturation of Uses



#### For Example:

Multiple Incentives
Capital Market Acceptance
of Risk

Incentives focused on Place Making and Economic Return

Crowd Funding
Socially Responsible
Investing

## The Mind of the Developer

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## Real Estate Feasibility - Core Objectives

Before Tax and After Tax Cash Returns
Target 8%-10%/yr and Yield 2%+ above Market Cap

Overall IRR

Upvaluing Opportunities for best ROI

Psychic Income

Create A Sense of Place

Create A Legacy

Create a Story

Reducing Risk

## Real Estate Feasibility - Key Concerns

Unpredictability in Key Risk Factors Macro and Micro Scale - 13 "Clusters"

Time

Long Lead Times

- 1 to 5 Years for Economic Cycles
- 3 months to 2 years for Environmental Clearance

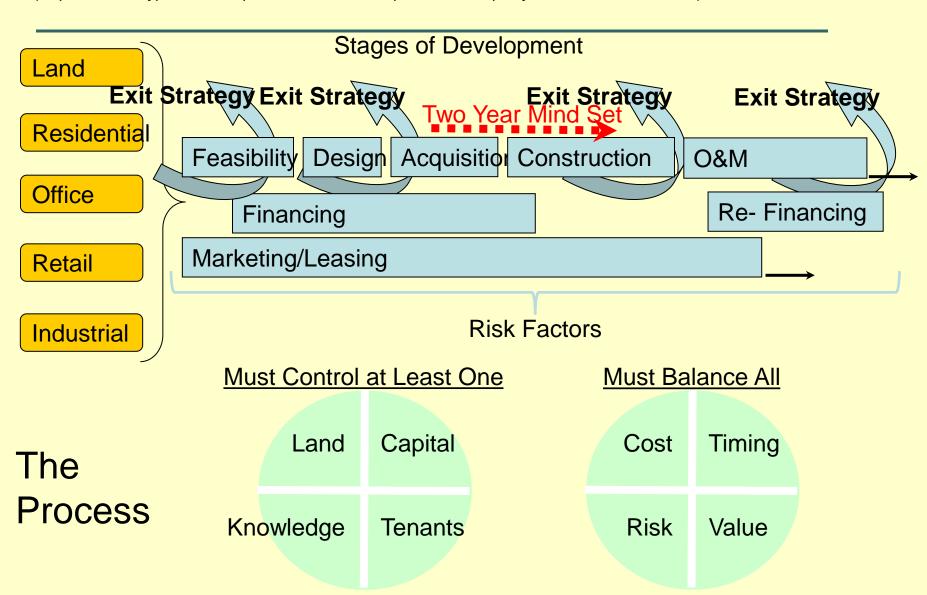
Short Due Diligence Window

Short Construction Window

Short Contract Time on Subcontractors

• Cost Increases for Lumber/Steel/Trades

(Dependant on type of development, size of development, municipality, market conditions, etc.)



## Circle of Risks (Pick 3 Top Issues)

"Clusters"

Economic Cycles

Market Research

Environmental

Arch./Eng.

Construction

Social/Community
Goals

Political Approvals

Equity and Debt

Taxes

Sales and Leasing

Property Management

Legal Relationships

Personal and Family





Thanks to Peter Allen, University of Michigan Instructor, Mentor, and Developer

## Risk Management

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Success Factors
   Location
   Leverage
  Timing the Market
  Time to Market
Fears
   Uncertainty
  Time (Delays)
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### Forecasting

Macro and Micro Cycles
Cost of Capital
Market Demand
Community Development
Political Winds

### In The End - Does It "Pencil Out"?

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LAND COST ASSU		.008	Pessimistic	Realistic	Optimistic	FINANCIAL ASSUMPTIONS		Pessimistic	Realistic	Optimistic
Land Cost			\$1,155,000	\$1,100,000	\$1,045,000	Interest Rate		8.80%	8.00%	7.20%
	Land Area in sf		10890	10,890.00	10890	Pre const land holding duration - mon	ths	3.8	3	7.2078
Land Area in Acres			0.25	0.25	0.25	Construction duration - months		11.3	9.0	6.8
						Months to sell after construction		6.0	3.0	1.5
CONSTRUCTION (	HARD) COST ASSUMPT	TIONS								
Demolition			\$11,000	\$10,000	\$9,000	GENERAL SALES DATA				
Clearing			\$11,000	\$10,000	\$9,000	Sales Commissions (%	3%	\$591,960	\$295,980	\$147,990
Utilities	Utilities		\$44,000	\$40,000	\$36,000	Closing Costs		\$49,500	\$55,000	\$60,500
Landscaping	Landscaping		\$11,000	\$10,000	\$9,000	Title - Recording		\$13,500	\$15,000	\$16,500
	Paving (% of lot cover)		\$4,792	\$4,356	\$3,920					
Building cost /	Building cost / sf - units		\$193	\$175	\$158	UNIT DATA				
Total cost - uni	Total cost - units		\$5,103,175	\$4,639,250	\$4,175,325	Description		SF/Unit #	of Units 1	otal SF
Covered parkin	g sf (cars)	24	9,900	9,000	8,100	A - Old West Side Café & Bistro		3,270	1	3,270
Building cost /	sf - covered parking		\$55	\$50	\$45	B - Walkout/Garden live work units		1,770	2	3,540
Total cost - cov	Total cost - covered parking		\$544,500	\$450,000	\$364,500	C - Below grade basement parking		375	24	9,000
Common area (	. •	18%		6,392	5,753	D- Smaller 1 bedroom on 2nd & 3rd flo	or	650	2	1,300
	Building cost / sf - common area		\$165	\$150	\$135	E- Larger 1 bedroom on 2nd & 3rd floo		750	14	10,500
Total cost - con			\$1,160,112	\$958,770	\$776,604	F- 2 bedroom on 4th flr with mezzanine		1,000	7	7,000
SOFT COST ASSU			* - , ,	*****	******	G- Small 2 bedroom with loft		900	1	900
Survey			\$5,500	\$5,000	\$4,500					
Soil Investigation	on		\$11,000	\$10,000	\$9,000	тот	ALS		51	35,510
Site Engineerin	g		\$55,000	\$50,000	\$45,000					
Architectural (%	Architectural (% of Const		\$532,226	\$483,842	\$435,457	A- Sales Price Per sf		\$315	\$350	\$385
Environmental	Environmental		\$11,000	\$10,000	\$9,000	B-Sales Price Per sf		\$315	\$350	\$385
Legal			\$27,500	\$25,000	\$22,500	C-Sales Price Per sf		\$108	\$120	\$132
Insurance	Insurance		\$11,000	\$10,000	\$9,000	D-Sales Price Per sf		\$293	\$325	\$358
Prop taxes/year			\$9,075	\$8,250	\$7,425	E-Sales Price Per sf		\$293	\$325	\$358
Permits / fees			\$110,000	\$100,000	\$90,000	F-Sales Price Per sf		\$293	\$325	\$358
						G-Sales Price Per sf		\$293	\$325	\$358
PRO FORMA S	<u>UMMARY</u>									
			<u>Pessimistic</u>	Realistic	Optimistic					
Gross sales inc	come		\$8,879,400	\$9,866,000	\$10,852,600	AVE	PRICE / SF	\$273	\$303	\$333
Land cost			\$1,155,000	\$1,100,000	\$1,045,000					
Sitework cost			\$81,792	\$74,356	\$66,920	A-Sales Price Per Unit		\$1,030,050	\$1,144,500	\$1,258,950
Building cost			\$6,807,787	\$6,048,020	\$5,316,429	B-Sales Price Per Unit		\$557,550	\$619,500	\$681,450
Soft cost			\$772,301	\$702,092	\$631,882	C-Sales Price Per Unit		\$40,500	\$45,000	\$49,500
	Pre const holding costs		\$244,184	\$197,320	\$0	D-Sales Price Per Unit		\$190,125	\$211,250	\$232,375
	Construction Financing costs		\$537,761	\$352,628	\$212,854	E-Sales Price Per Unit		\$219,375	\$243,750	\$268,125
Sales Financing Costs		\$422,348	\$169,488	\$65,458	F-Sales Price Per Unit		\$292,500	\$325,000	\$357,500	
	Sales commission / closing costs GROSS PROFIT / (LOSS)		\$054,960	\$365,980	\$224,990	G-Sales Price Per Unit		\$263,250	\$292,500	\$321,750
	I / (LOSS)		(\$1,796,732)	\$856,116	\$3,289,066	A1/15	PRICE / UNIT	6270 470	6444 642	\$452,807
(Profitl %)	/ unit)		\$22,647	\$21,569	\$20,490	AVE	PRICE / UNII	\$370,479	\$411,643	\$452,007
AVE	ion (Hard) costs)		\$22,647 \$8,044,578	\$7,222,376	\$6,428,349	Total sales - Unit A		\$1,030,050	\$1,144,500	\$1,250
	its)		\$10,676,132	\$9,009,884	\$7,563,534	Total sales - Unit B		\$1,115,100	\$1,239,000	
	,		ψ10,010,10 <u>2</u>	45,005,004	ψ1,500,50 <del>4</del>	Total sales - Unit C		\$972,000	\$1,080,00	
	Per Square Foot					Total sales - Unit D		\$380,250	\$422,50	1:
0	d	\$31 SF	Floor Area Ratio	326%		Total sales - Unit E		\$3,071,250	\$3,412,50	rmall.
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J 1-04		\$172 SF				Total sales - Unit F		\$2,047,500	\$2,275,000	C-rF
See solution & cc solution & c		\$50 SF	Including financing and	commissions		Total sales - Unit G		\$263,250	\$292,500	Email for E
lau		\$24 sf							1	, C.O

TOTAL SALES

\$8,879,400

\$9,866,000

## Psychological ROI

Participation in Community
Lasting Value/Legacy
Creation of Place
Create a Story





# What Makes a Great Place?

key attributes
intangibles
measurements









### Creating Place - Community Attachment

Location

Economy

Safety

Basic Services

Strong Social Offerings

Aesthetics

Openness

Authenticity

Sense of Discovery

What Makes Metro Detroit Stick (metromode)

http://www.metromodemedia.com/features/knightfoundationsurveydetroit0210.aspx

Knight Foundation "Soul of the Community" Survey

http://knightfoundation.org/sotc/

## Creating Place - Lifelong Communities

LocalFocus

Neighborhood Centers

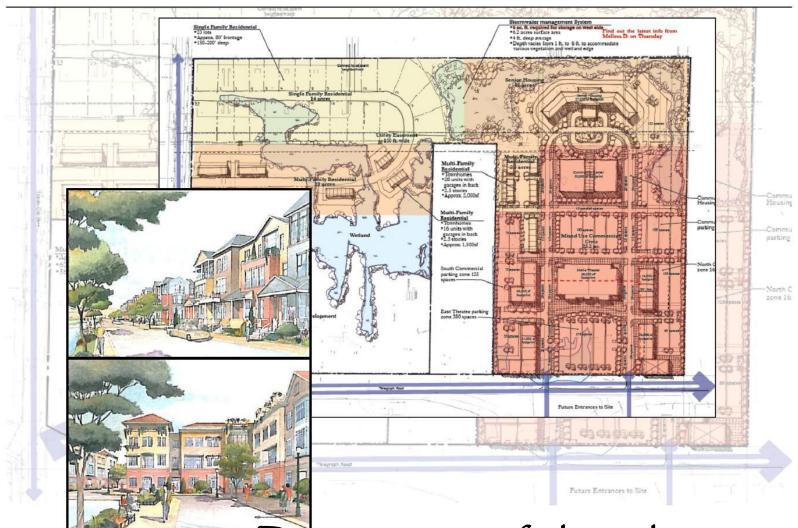
Walkability

Lots of Choices for Entertainment, Work, Education

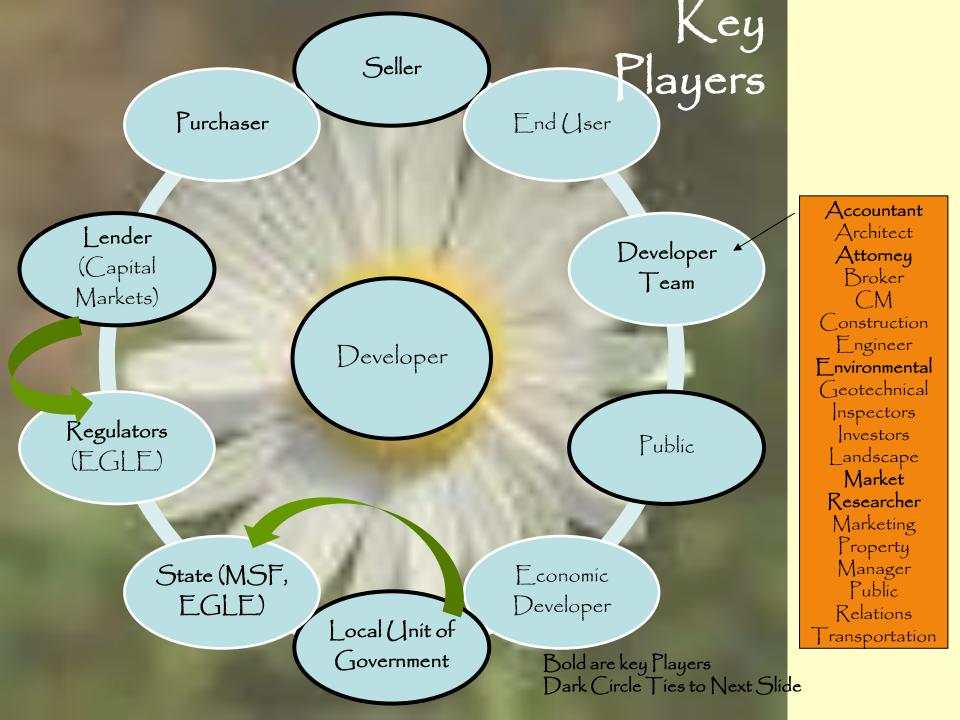
A Showstopper vs. The Economic Garden'

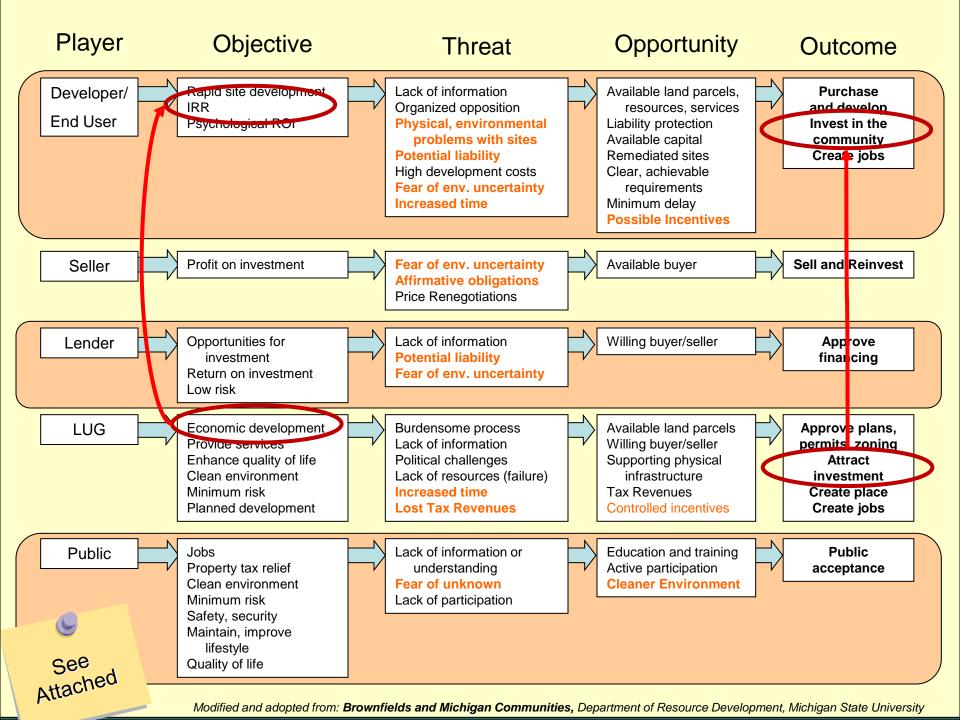
Note 1: Economic Gardening https://economicgardening.org/

### BROWNSTOWN CENTER



Does creation of place always work?





## Impediments to Redevelopment

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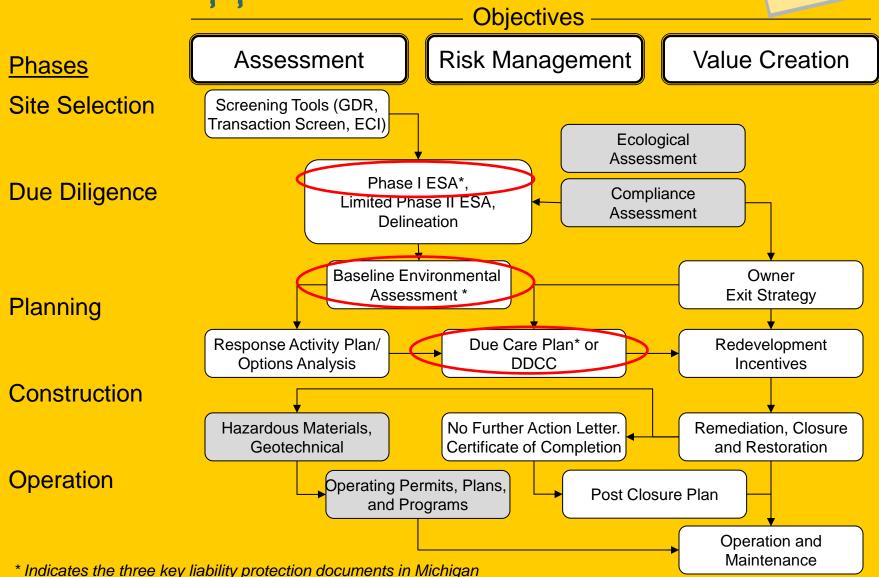
## The Process - Environmental Challenge

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#### Basic Approach - Environmental

See Attached



#### EGLE Policies

Restrictions on residential use when methane is present

Requirements for clean fill

Presumption of exceedance of direct contract criteria in urban surface soils

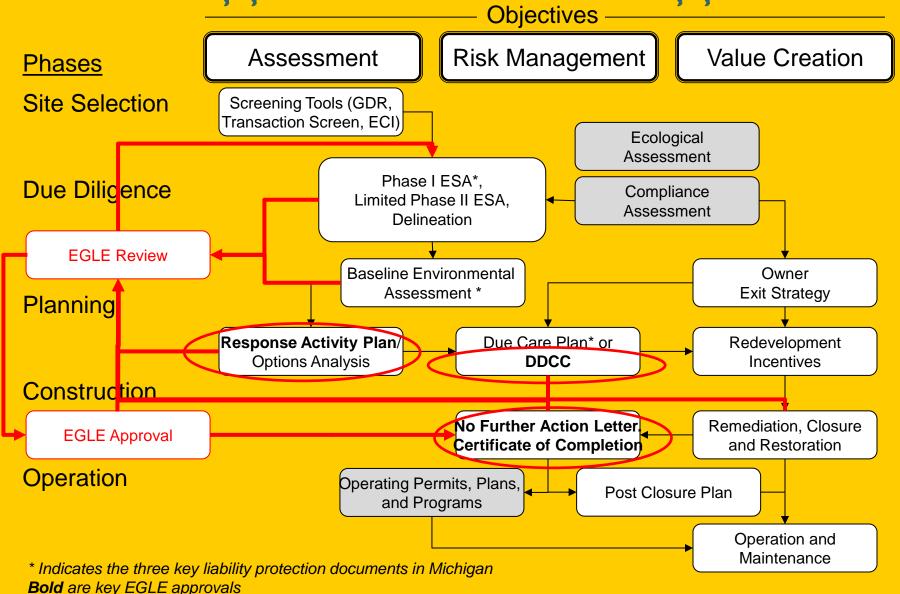
Four quarters of soil gas sampling to prove that a presumptive remedy is not required

The PFAS challenge

Multiple revisions to documents - based on developing new information

Modifications to negotiations

# Basic Approach - EGLE Approval



# Incentives (One Perspective)

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### Incentive Objectives

Attracting New Investment (including jobs and additional investment)

Leveling the Playing Field or Enticing

Seeding a Vision

Creating a Catalyst

#### Attracting New Investment

Tax Base and Jobs
Stretching Limited Funding
Demanding Performance
Claw Back Provisions
Remaining Competitive
Needs (Yours and Theirs) Based Screening

# Leveling the Playing Field

Goal: Soften impediments to (re)development "It is a game of inches"

How do you make it work?

Creative purchasing and development

Public/private partnerships

• (Ise of financial incentives

Sequencing Purchase and Redevelopment

Area Wide Planning and Incentives

# Seeding a Vision

First In

Making a Vision Tangible

Determining When the Vision is SelfSustaining

# Creating a Catalyst\*

Popcorn Development v. Critical Mass Area Wide Planning Catalytic Project v. Market Demand The Next Twenty Steps

#### Area Wide Planning

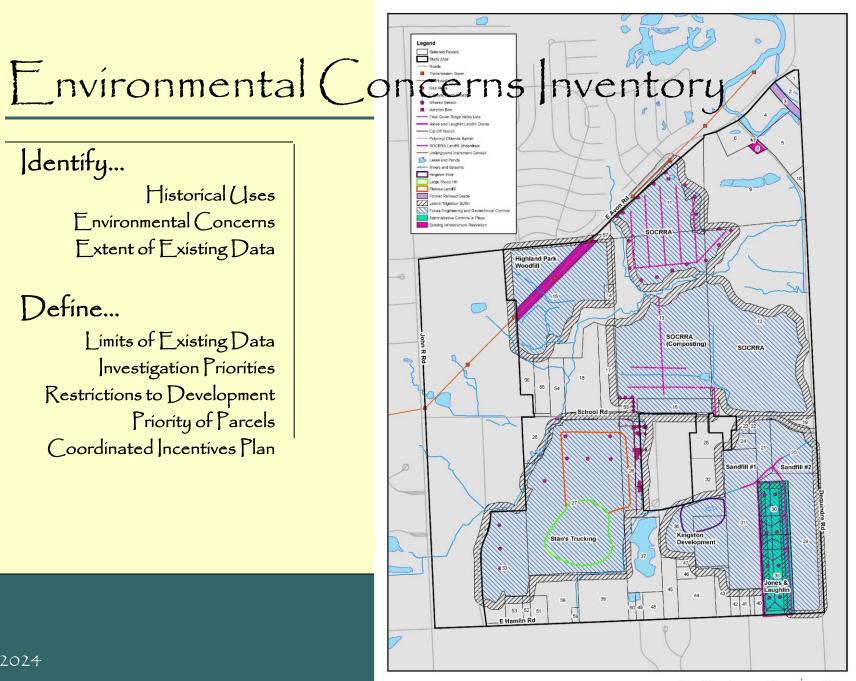
Stops "Popcorn" Development
Increases Chances for Synergy
Coordinates All Efforts
Coordinating Incentives Within An Area
Emphasis of Growing Number of Grants

#### Identify...

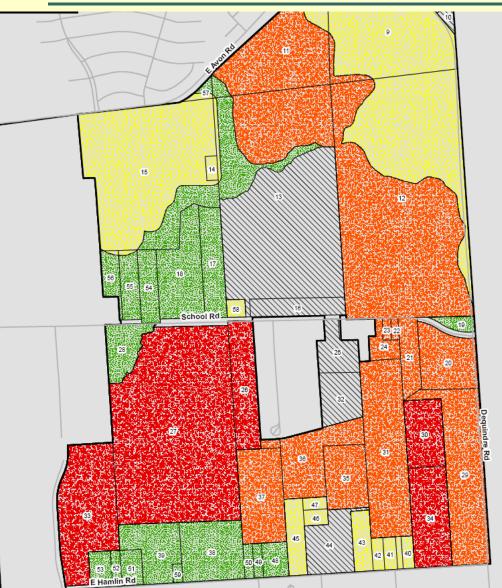
Historical Uses Environmental Concerns Extent of Existing Data

#### Define...

Limits of Existing Data Investigation Priorities Restrictions to Development Priority of Parcels Coordinated Incentives Plan



### Rochester Hills Planning Area



414 Acres

59 Parcels

9 Landfills

#### Redevelopment Potential





Medium

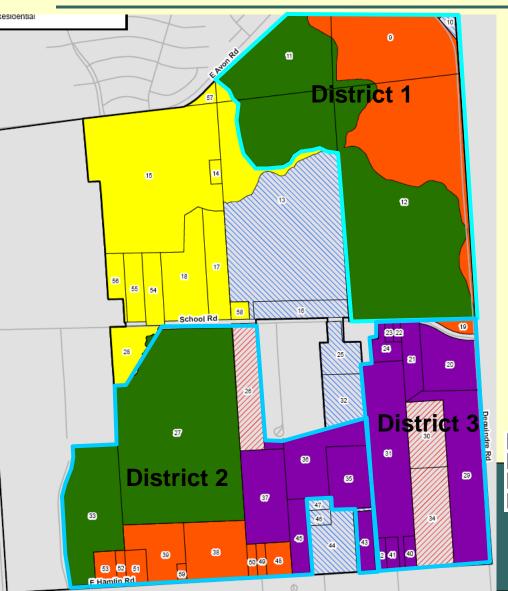


Low



Unlikely

#### Rochester Hills Planning Area



Area-Wide Incentives

Creating districts and/or using Targeted Redevelopment Area (or Land Bank), will permit collateralization of TIF funding

Grant funding

Industrial/Commercial

Open Space & Passive Recreation

Mixed

Residential

• Surface Water features

#### Rochester Hills Planning Area

E Lydra Rel 18	District 1				
			Tax Capture for This Plan		
				Capture for	
	Total	Taxes to	Total	Reimbursement	Capture for
Millage Category	<u>Taxes</u>	<u>Jurisdictions</u>	<u>Capture</u>	and BRA	LSRRF
Oakland County Tax	\$10,996,361	\$6,113,614	\$4,882,747	\$2,503,660	\$2,379,087
Oakland Schools	\$7,805,723	\$4,339,724	\$3,465,998	\$1,777,213	\$1,688,785
Oakland Community College	\$3,670,937	\$2,040,920	\$1,630,017	\$835,802	\$794,215
State Education	\$13,901,555	\$7,728,806	\$6,172,749	\$3,165,117	\$3,007,632

\$4,836,300

\$2,672,574

\$6,180,468

\$20,363,492

\$6,672,536

\$60,948,434

\$3,862,598

\$4,936,142

\$9,416,098

\$5,329,140

\$39,695,489

\$0

\$1,980,572

\$2,531,038

\$4,828,165

\$2,732,551

\$20,354,119

\$0

\$1,882,026

\$2,405,103

\$4,587,933

\$2,596,589

\$19,341,370

\$0

\$8,698,898

\$2,672,574

\$11,116,610

\$29,779,590

\$12,001,675

\$100,643,923

Note: Total Taxes are for the full 30 year duration of the Plan Build-out over 10 years for high and medium properties only

1	District 2	20 37	<b>S</b>	20	Rd
83		47 48		34	
53 52 E Hamlin 5		50 49 48	2 40	40	

City General

School SET

City Debt & Bonds

School Operating

City Dedicated Millages

Total Incremental Tax

### The Challenges of Incentives

Uncertainty
Necessity
Applicability
Accuracy
Timing

### Getting Incentives

In general... Must be 1

Must be Eligible Property or Project

• In some cases applicant can not be responsible for impacts

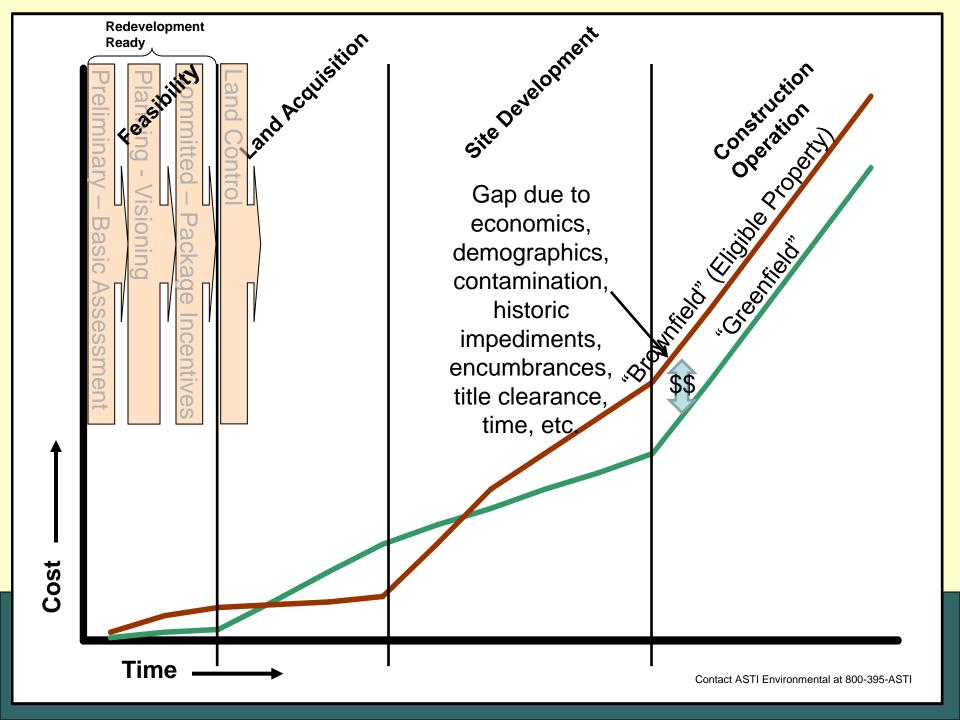
At the Discretion of the Grant or Loan Administrator

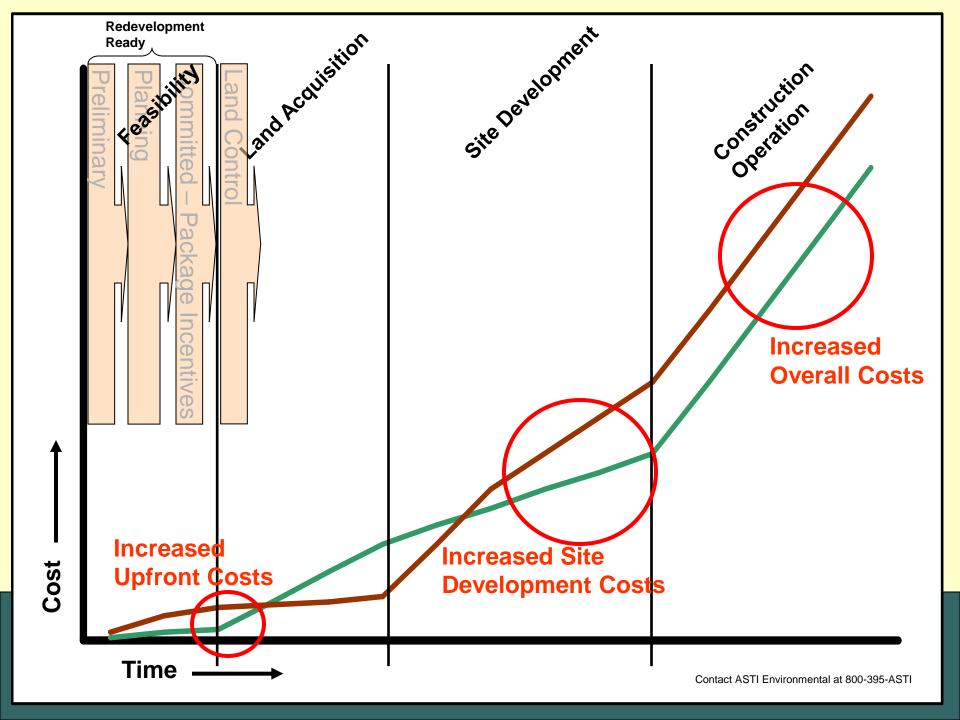
Requires Public/Private Partnership

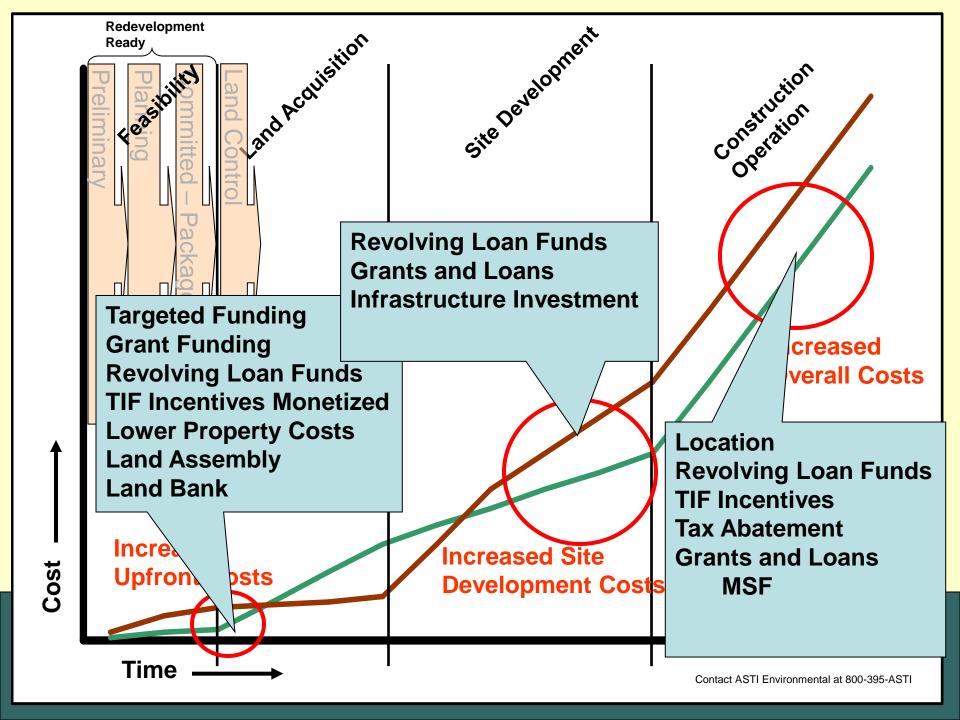
Some Provided for Specific Purpose, Others Flexible

Some Are Incompatible (no Double Dipping)

Takes Time: 3 to 6 (24 for federal grants) months to complete process







### The Key Ingredients for Incentives

Must be an... Eligible Property developed by an.... Eligible Investor who... • Creates an Eligible Project that ... • Incurs Eligible Costs after approval (with exceptions)... • Can complete the project (Execution) within the defined time, investment or job creation goals

That meets the Threshold Needs of a Community

- Targeted Location
- Targeted End Use

  Tangible Community Benefit
  - · Targeted Financial Need

#### Eligible Properties Can Include....

Perceived Contamination/Impairment "Traditional" Brownfields (aka contaminated) Blighted and Functionally Obsolete Properties Mistoric Resources Housing Resources Tax Reverted Owned by a Land Bank Properties in Targeted/Designated Áreas/Zones/Districts Adjacent and Contiguous

#### Incentives Objectives

**Developer** 

Community/Agency

Recover Extraordinary Costs

Obtain Development Incentives to Close
Financing Gap and meet Target IRR

Attracting New Investment and Creating Jobs Creating a Catalyst for Area Development Be Part of a Great Project Do it at a Reasonable Cost

### AAA Key Steps

Assessment

• Does it Meet Criteria?

• Is There Sufficient Time?

• Is Incentive Worth the Cost?

Application

· Site Plan and Financials

• Tenant or Project Plan

• Complete Application

• Financial Review

• Community Participation

·Background Check

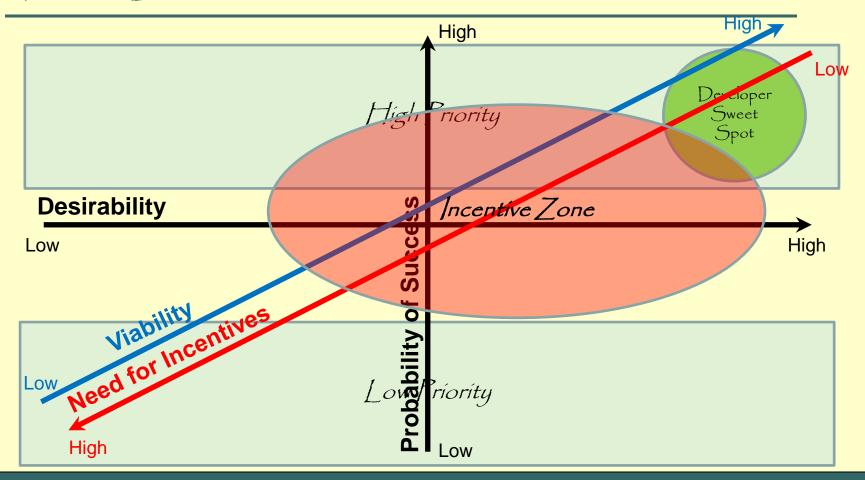
• Document and Report Performance

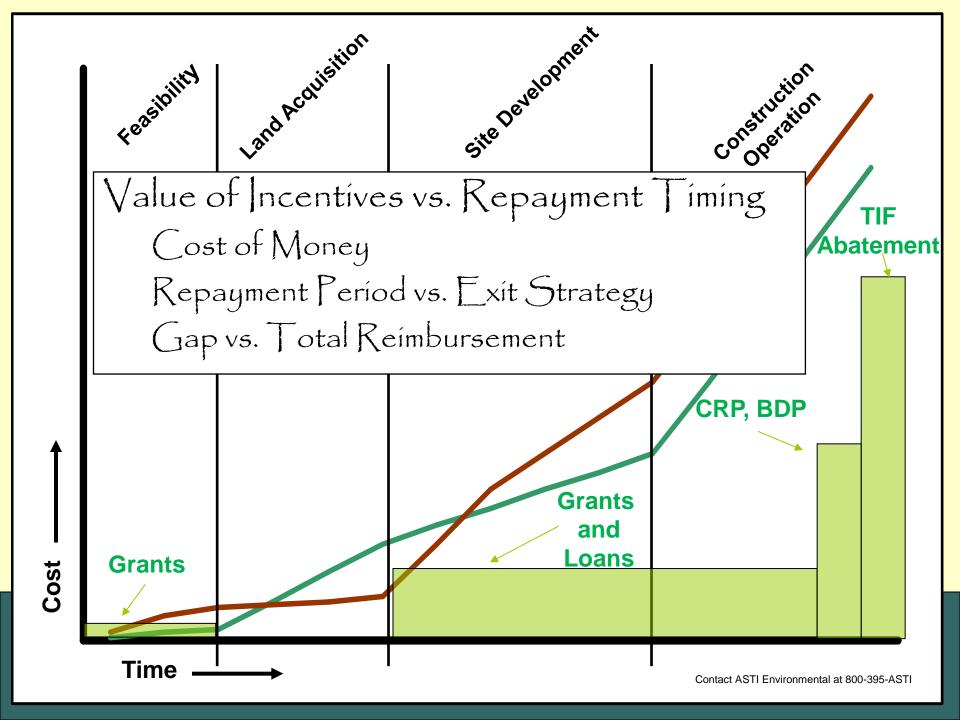
Approval

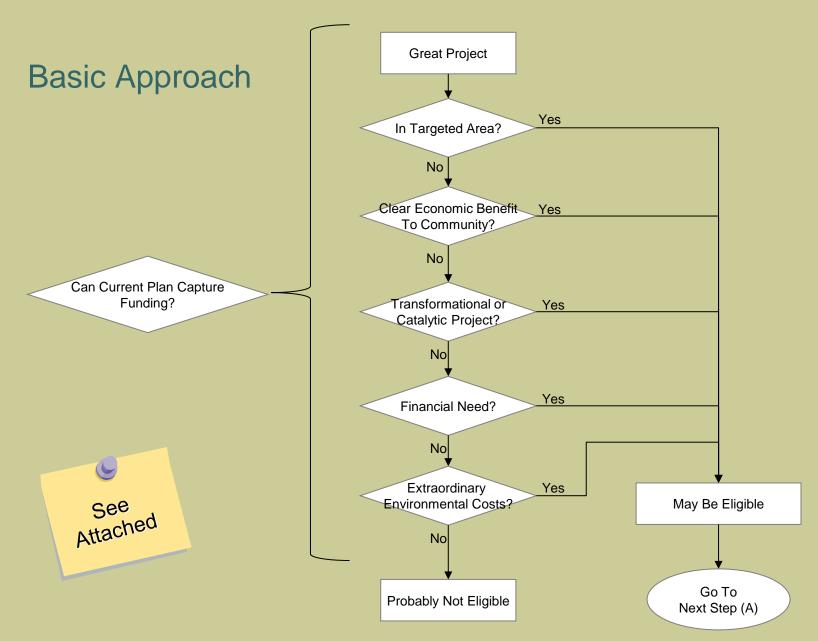
#### Incentives Balance

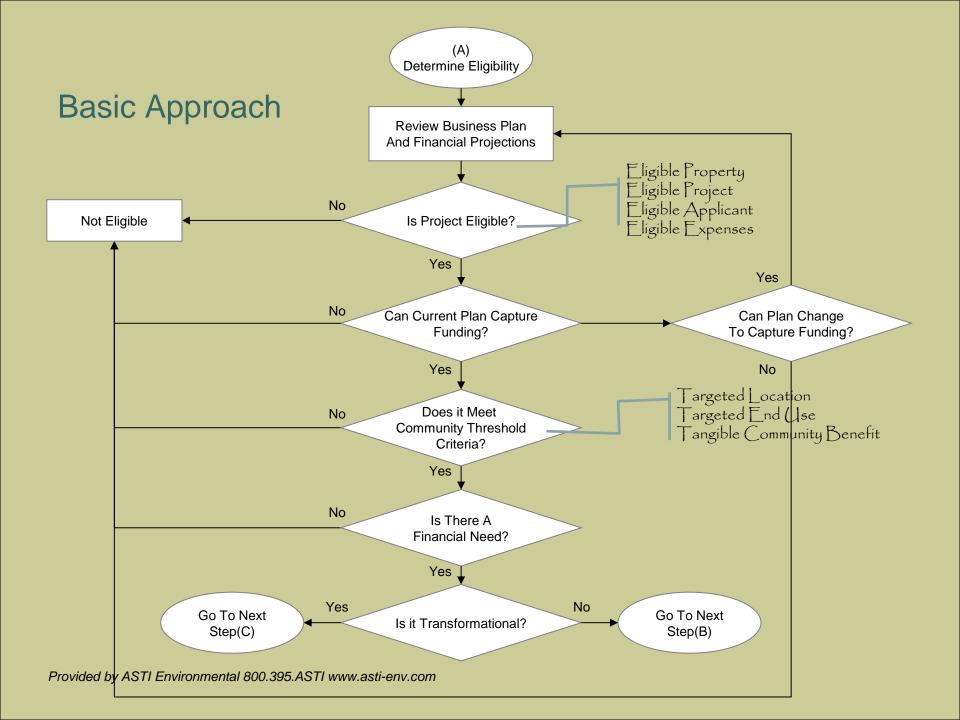
Time Required to Obtain vs. Construction Schedule Effort (Brain Damage) vs. Value of Incentives Value of Incentives vs. Uncertainty and Risk of the Project (The Conundrum) Value of Incentives vs. Repayment Timing Extraordinary Costs vs. On-Book Costs ("True" Benefits v. Off-Set Benefits)

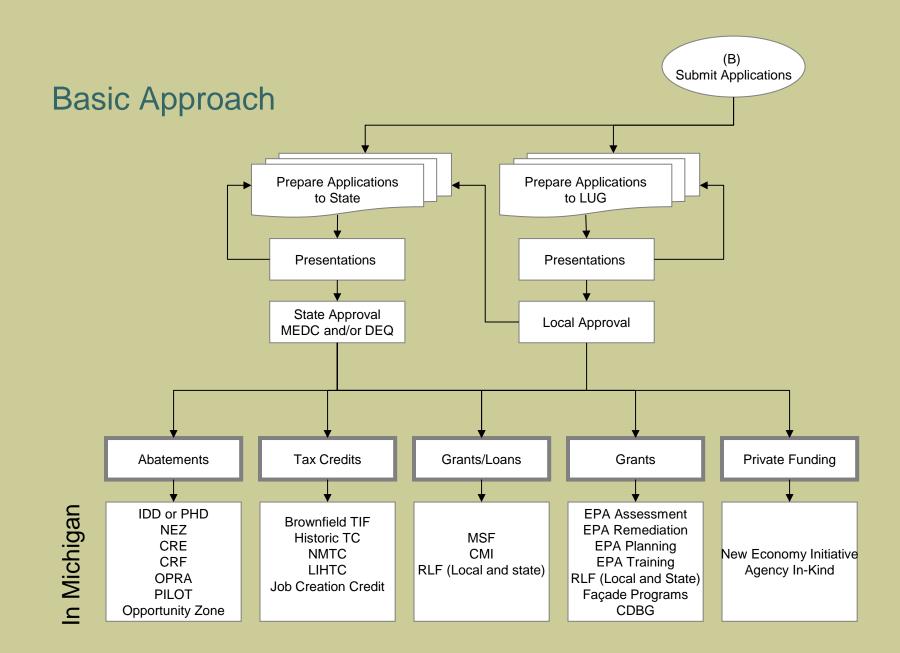
#### The Conundrum

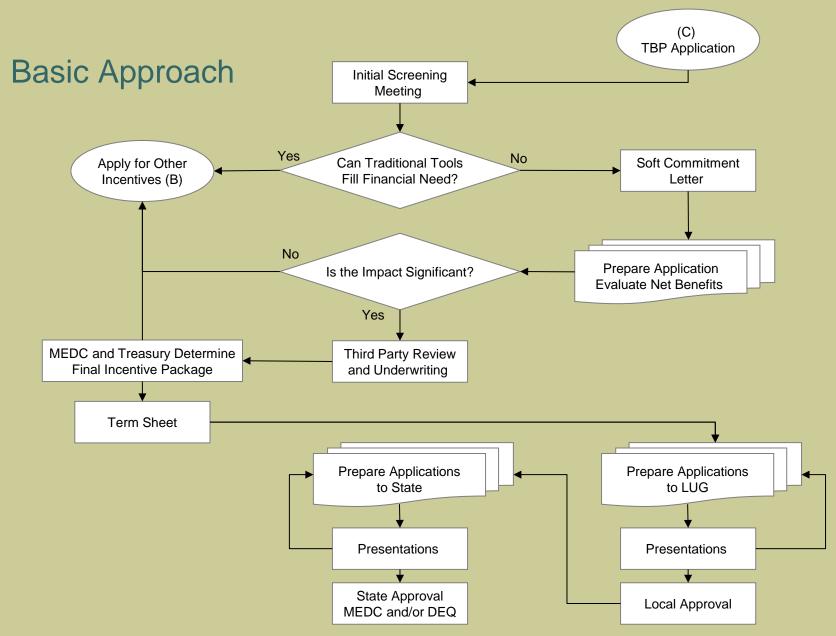












#### "True" Benefits

When incentives are applied to nonextraordinary costs

When it can be used to secure or enhance a funding source

#### Offset Benefits

When incentives are applied to extraordinary costs

# Project Funding Offset Benefits "True" Benefits

	Summary of Funding Sources						
			<b>Environmental TIF</b>	Redevelopment	CRP Grant	Developer	
Investments	Total Cost	Grant Funded	Funded	TIF Funded	MRT Credit	Investment	
Site Acquisition	\$3,402,500	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,402,500	
Environmental Investigation Remediation	\$121,900	\$15,300	\$103,500	\$0	\$0	\$3,100	
Site Preparation	\$55,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$55,000	
Public Infrastructure	\$500,000	\$0	\$0	\$500,000	\$0	\$0	
Demolition	\$183,000	\$0	\$0	\$183,000	\$0	\$0	
Construction Costs	\$4,825,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$603,125	\$4,221,875	
Other Construction Costs	\$1,594,600	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,500	\$1,592,100	
Total Above	\$10,682,000	\$15,300	\$103,500	\$683,000	\$605,625	\$9,274,575	
Contingency	15%	15%		15%	15%	15%	
	\$1,602,300	\$2,295	\$15,525	\$102,450 \$705,450	\$90,844	\$1,391,186	
Total With Contingency	\$12,284,300	\$17,595	\$119,025	\$785,450	\$696,469	\$10,665,761	

No "Double Dipping" -

Example Small Project 1



# Project Funding

Developer Eligible Expenses \$404,475 Developer Tax Credit \$696,469 Developer **Benefits** Public Infrastructure (Osts \$500,000 BRA Administrative Costs \$21,000 LUG Local RLF Funding \$1,304,206 **Benefits** Increased Taxes to Jurisdictions \$9,259,461

# Incentive Options

```
Grants
oans
oan Guarantees and Enhancement
Tax Increment Financing
Tax Abatement
Tax Credits
In Kind Contributions
Insurance
```

#### WOW Factor



#### STEELCASE CAMPUS



## STEELCASE CAMPUS

203 Acres

4,700,000 sq ft -18 heavy industrial buildings

Mixed Use Development

\$162million investment

1,800,000 sq ft renovated industrial

500,000 sq ft new industrial

365,000 sq ft of commercial/80,000 R&D

400 housing units

## STEELCASE CAMPUS

- \$32 million in Brownfield costs
- \$13 million in TIF with 15 year payback
- \$9.9 million in SBT Credit Phased Purchase

MDOT Grant

Public Participation in Infrastructure

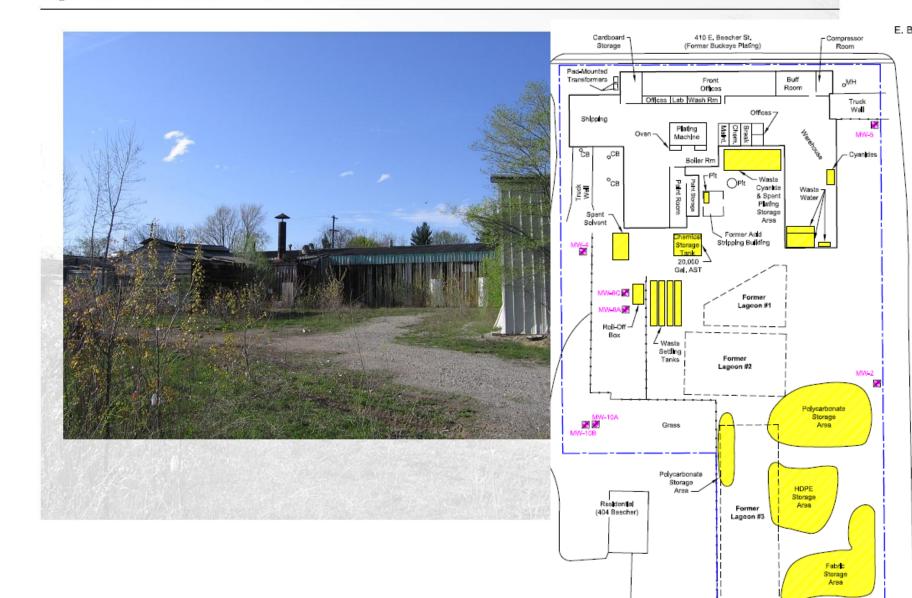
PRP Involvement

Green Objective

## Bread and Butter



## BUCKEYE PRODUCTS



## BUCKEYE PRODUCTS

3.3 Acre Site

25,600 sq ft light industrial platting operation

RCRA Site

Soils and groundwater impacts

Corporate Office

\$5-10 million investment

#### BUCKEYE PRODUCTS

- \$208,000 Site Assessment Grant
- \$200,000 EPARCRA Investigation
- \$300,000 EPA CERCLA Investigation
- \$200,000 EPA CERCLA Remediation
- \$100,000 Assessment Grant for Demo
- \$200,000 Site Remediation Grant
- Will Apply for TIF, CRP and CMI

### Trends

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Limiting Incentives to Financial Need
High Density, Mixed Use, Walk-able, Transportation
  Oriented Development Target
Job Creation and Investment Targets Must Be Met
Increased Competition for Less Incentives
TIF Backlash
Preference for Loans over Grants
Collaborative and Area-Wide Focus
Modifications to the Application (Be Ready to Dolt
  Many Times)
```

## Assistance

MEDC Community Assistance Team EGLE Brownfield Redevelopment Team MSHDA Brownfield Redevelopment Team Regional Economic Development Organizations Other Communities Private Companies Professional Organizations (MEDA) Consultants

### 5 Minute Break

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# Brownfield TIF (One Option)

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## Definitions

General

Greenfield: Undeveloped, un-impacted land

Greyfield: Previously developed land, not requiring special controls or procedures

Brownfield: Previously developed land requiring controls or special considerations

Orangefield: Where you can make money (green) on a Brownfield

### Brownfield Definition

#### Federal (EPA)

"A brownfield is a property, the expansion, redevelopment, or reuse of which may be complicated by the presence or potential presence of a hazardous substance, pollutant, or contaminant."







## Brownfield Definition

#### Michigan

Contamination greater than the applicable Residential Clean-up Criteria under Part 201, or

Is in a Land Bank Fast Track Authority

Blighted or

Functionally Obsolete

Historic Resource

Adjacent and Contiguous Properties

TOD Related Development

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Coldwater
Coleman
Crystal Falls
Dearborn
Dearborn Heights
Detroit
Dowagiac
East Lansing
Eastpointe
Ecorse
Escanaba
Ferndale
Flint
Gaastra
Genesee Twp.
(in Genesee Co.)
Gibraltar
Gladstone
Grand Haven
Grand Rapids
Grayling '
Hamtramck
Harbor Beach
Harper Woods

Hart Hartford Hazel Park Highland Park Holland Inkster lonía Iron Mountain Iron River Ironwood Ishpeming Jackson Kalamazoo ansing Lincoln Park ívonía Ludington Manistee Manistique Marquette Melvindale Menominee Midland Monroe

Mount Clemens Mount Morris Mt. Morris Twp. (in Genesee Co.) Mount Pleasant Muskegon Muskegon Heights Three Rivers Norton Shores Norway Oak Park Omer Onaway Owosso Pinconning Pontíac Portage Port Huron Redford Twp. (in Wayne Co.) River Rouge Royal Oak Twp. (in Oakland Co.) Saginaw

Saint Louis Sault Sainte Marie Southfield Sturgis Taylor Trenton Traverse City Vassar Wakefield Warren Wayne Wyandotte Wyoming Ypsilanti

#### **Core Communities**

# BFTIF Can Be Applied To ...

All Brownfields for...

Environmental Investigations

Preparation of Due Diligence Documents

Remedial Activities

- Including Exposure Barriers
- Other Environmental Response Activities

Demolition and asbestos/lead abatement

Brownfield Plan preparation (max \$30,000, no contingency)

Brownfield Plan implementation (max \$30,000, no contingency)

Reasonable costs of environmental liability insurance

Interest



# BRTIF Can Be Applied To ...

Core Community Brownfields, or Property Currently Owned or Under Control of a Land Bank, for... Infrastructure

 Parking Structures, Urban Storm Water Management

Site Preparation Not a Response Activity

Planning and Economic Strategies

Building Rehabilitation

Relocation of public buildings or operations for economic development purposes.

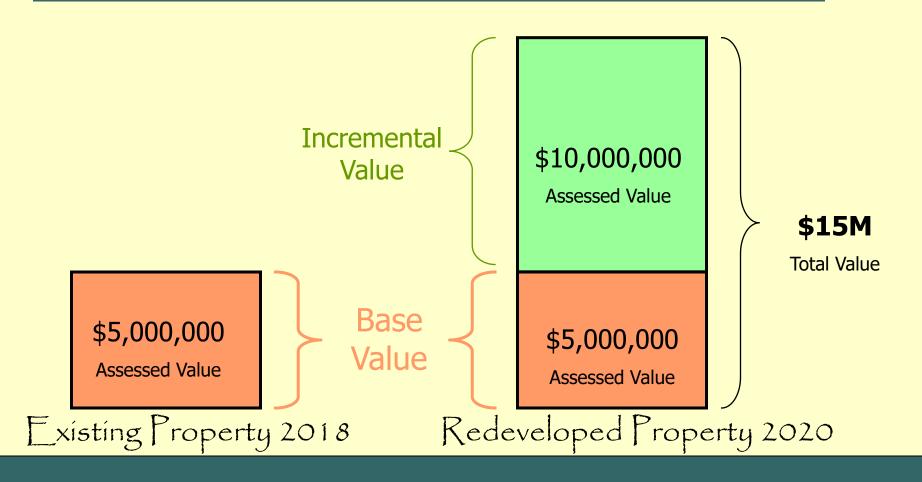
# BFTIF Can Be Applied To ...

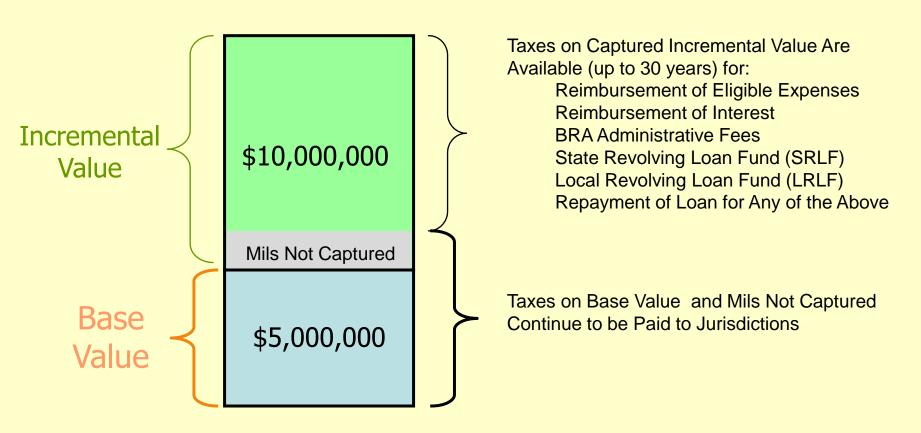
Property Currently Owned or Under Control of a Land Bank, for...

Cost of clearing or quieting title to, or selling or otherwise conveying, property owned or under the control of a land bank fast track authority

Acquisition of property by the land bank fast track authority if the acquisition of the property is for economic development purposes

Note: 5/50 Rule Applies





Tax capture can be from local taxes only, or local and school taxes. School tax capture requires state approval, either EGLE and/or MSF. Eligible expenses are limited in a non-core community.

\$10,000,000

\$5,000,000

\$232,276
Annual
Incremental
Tax

Captured Taxable Value \$5,000,000 5,125,000 Personal Property Total Taxable Value \$5,000,000 \$5,125,000 Captured Millage Category Mills/\$1000 **Tax Capture** COUNTY 4.5626 \$ 22,813 23,383 VILLAGE OPERATING 18,356 18,814 3.6711 \$ **VILLAGE REFUSE** 2.1051 \$ 10,526 10,789

2021

2022

LIBRARY 1.1465 \$ 5,733 5,876 0.9411 \$ 4,705 FIRE 4,823 **POLICE** 15,232 15,612 3.0463 \$ 5,376 5,510 TOWNSHIP OPERATING 1.0752 \$ 1.5809 \$ 7,904 COMMUNITY COLLEGE 8,102 1.8879 \$ 9,675 MILFORD DDA 9,440 OAKLAND COUNTY ISD 3.3626 \$ 16,813 17,233 17.4808 \$ 87,404 89,589 SCHOOL OPERATING SCHOOL SET 5.5951 \$ 27,976 28,675 Total Incremental Tax 46.4551 \$ 232,276 238,083

Taxes for 2021 (one year delay in assessment)



\$10,000,000

\$5,000,000

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$10M Value

=$5M TV

$232,276

Annual

Incremental

Tax

(Year 1)
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# TIF Programs -in a DDA

\$10,000,000

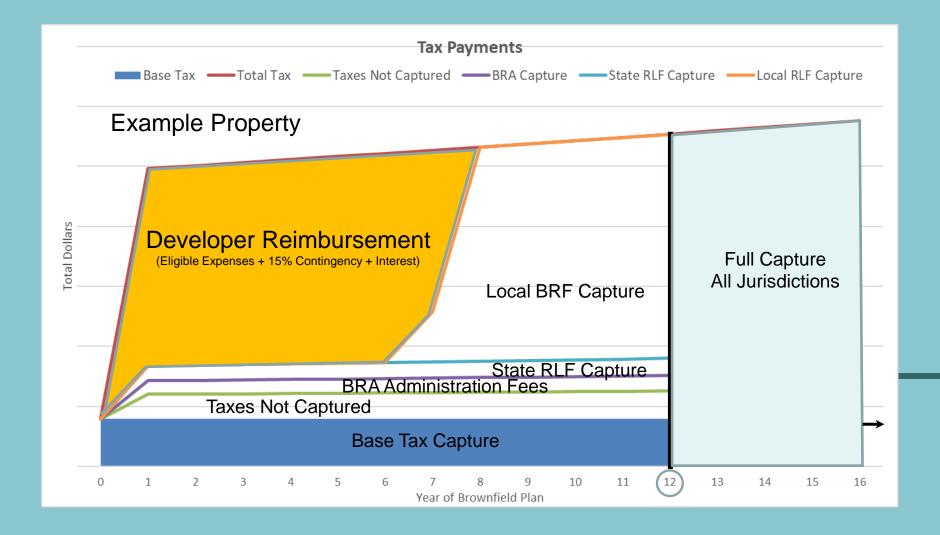
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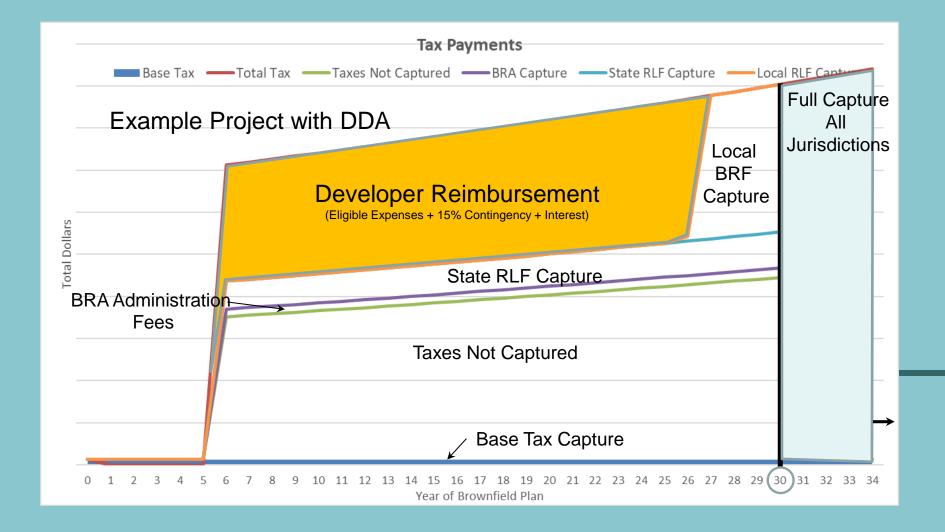
\$50,387
Incremental
Capture

\$181,889
Incremental
For DDA

			2021		2022		
Captured Taxable Value		\$ 5	5,000,000	Ę	5,125,000		
Personal Property		\$	· · ·		· · ·		
Total Taxable Value	'	\$ 5	5,000,000	\$ 5	5,125,000		
	Captured						
Millage Category	Mills/\$1000	Tax Capture					
COUNTY	0.0000	\$	-	\$	-		
VILLAGE OPERATING	0.0000	\$	-	\$	-		
VILLAGE REFUSE	0.0000	\$	-	\$	-		
LIBRARY	1.1465	\$	5,733	\$	5,876		
FIRE	0.9411	\$	4,705	\$	4,823		
POLICE	3.0463	\$	15,232	\$	15,612		
<b>TOWNSHIP OPERATING</b>	0.0000	\$	-	\$	-		
COMMUNITY COLLEGE	1.5809	\$	7,904	\$	8,102		
MILFORD DDA	0.0000	\$	-	\$	-		
OAKLAND COUNTY ISD	3.3626	\$	16,813	\$	17,233		
SCHOOL OPERATING	0.0000	\$	-	\$	-		
SCHOOL SET	0.0000	\$	-	\$	-		
Total Incremental Tax	10.0773	\$	50,387	\$	51.646		









# Key Points in Attracting \* Development

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\*Don't Forget Retaining



# A 12 Step Recovery Program

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# 12 Step Program Summary

- 1. Focus Efforts to Leverage Local Assets
- 2. Consider Area-Based Planning
- 3. Communicate Performance Expectations
- 4. Economic Considerations First
- 5. Have a Plan and Communicate It
- 6. See Who Has Skin in the Game
- 7. Look at Tax Impact with and without Project
- 8. Balance Incentives and Need
- 9. Leverage Local Commitment
- 10. Look at Tax Impact to All Jurisdictions
- 11. Consider Other Relevant Financial Contributions
- 12. Demand Performance

# Community Specific Objectives

#### City of Flint

- "A. Promote Economic Development and Job Creation Through the Reuse of Underutilized Properties
- B. Position Brownfield Redevelopment Projects to be Competitive with Traditional Development Projects
- C. Maximize the Impact of Incentives by Encouraging Brownfield Redevelopment that Complements Other Redevelopment Efforts
- D. Protect Human Health and the Environment Through the Use of Appropriate Remediation and Due Care Activities, and
- E. Maintain Transparency During the Approval Process"

#### City of Rochester Hills

- "1. Incorporate a preference for source control, active remediation, or mitigation;
- 2. Create full time jobs;
- 3. Provide an increase in taxable value to the property and a potential beneficial effect in the area that would not have occurred without the incentives; and
- 4. Use these incentives only after all other sources of funding for eligible activities have been exhausted."

# Community Specific Objectives

Popcorn Incentives v. Catalytic Projects

v. Area Planning

## Return on Investment for Incentive

#### Threshold Criteria and Performance Criteria

"An eligible project **can be considered** for Brownfield incentives in the City if it meets all of the following criteria:

- The project Internal Rate of Return indicates that it requires incentives to be successful and would not occur without the incentives, and
- The development will ameliorate threats to public health or the environment that were caused by site conditions through remediation, mitigation or control or redevelopment of an historic resource."

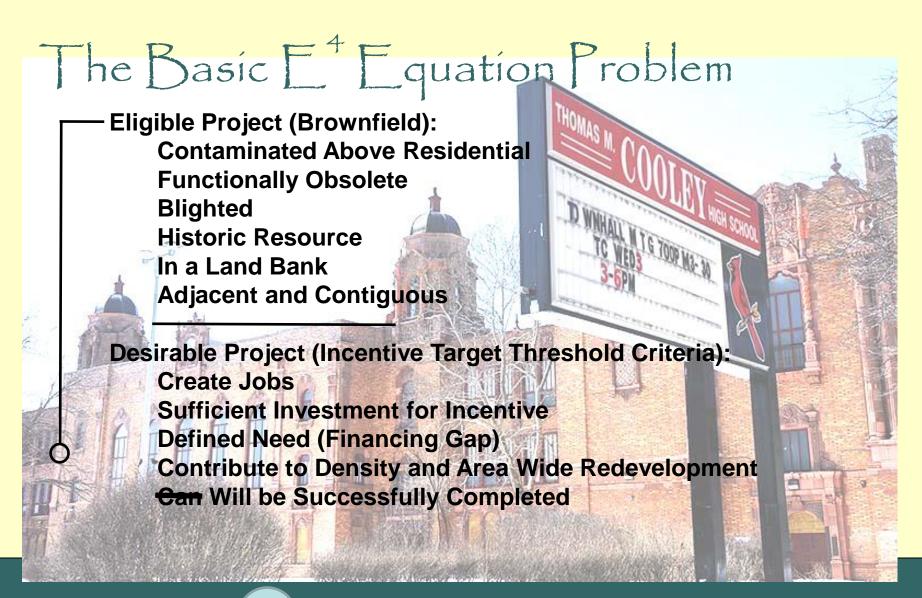
"Projects will be evaluated based on, but not limited to, the following criteria:

- · Amount of property tax generated
- Amount of investment on a square foot basis
- Job retention, creation and quality
- Location
- Existence of abandoned, blighted or functionally obsolete buildings
- Amelioration of threats to public health or the environment
- Whether the project will provide additional beneficial effects on the surrounding area and the community as a whole."

# The Basic E + Equation

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Eligible Property + Eligible Activities +
Eligible Taxpayer = Eligible Project
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(Brownfield+ Investment Listed as Eligible+ Innocent Landowner= Eligible Project)



## The Role of Policies and Procedures

Setting Expectations for Applicants
Collecting Review Fees
Setting BRF Administrative Capture
Funding a Revolving Loan Fund

# Anatomy of a Deal

\$73M Investment
30 New Jobs
\$8.2M TIF
12 Years
\$10M MBT



## But For Test

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What is the Financing Gap?

Equity vs. Debt

Debt to Equity Ratio

Are Extraordinary Costs the Cause?

What are the Other Incentives and are They

"First In"?
```

## But For Test

8% Equity73% Debt19% Incentives

	Summary of Funding Sources								
Source		Total Cost		Equity		Deat	R	leimbursement	
Developer Equity	\$	5,940,844	\$	5,940,844	Ð		\$	-	
Senior Debt	\$	52,978,320	\$		\$	52,978,320	\$	-	
MBT Credit (w/o Contingency, Resale Value)	\$	7,944,371	5	7,944,371	\$	-	\$	-	
TIF Reimbursement (w/o Contingency)	\$	5,938,450	\$	-	\$	-	\$	5,938,450	
Total Above	\$	72,801,985	\$	13,885,215	\$	52,978,320	\$	5,938,450	
8.9:1 Debt to Equity of Funding Uses									
Uses		Total Cost		Expended	T GI	Remaining			
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Site Acquisition	\$	6,750,000							
Assessment and Brownfield Plan Costs	\$	202,350							
Site Preparation Costs	\$	636,600							
Site Improvements	\$	2,146,475							
Infrastructure	\$	7,920,600							
Demolition	\$	1,174,500							
Construction/Renovation/Improvement	\$	38,933,918							
Soft Costs and Fees	\$	15,145,292							
Total Above	<u> </u>	72,909,735	\$	-					
Contingency	Ψ	15%	*						
	\$	10,936,460							
Subtotal With Contingency	\$	83,846,195							

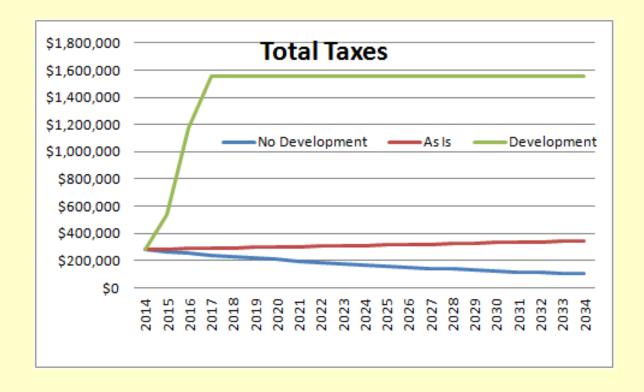


Financing Gap

See Who Has Skin in the Game

(107,750)

### What If Not Test (the But Not Test)



#### Evaluate Need v. Incentive

Assess Need Based on long term IRR not just Financing Gap

Determine a "Base Incentive" on Need

Adjust "Base Incentive" For Other Criteria

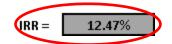
Be Consistent with Policy and Objectives

#### **Developer Return Analysis**

		Net					Net
	Cash	Developer			Net Cash	Land/Building	Developer
Year	Investment	Fees Rec'd	Cash flow	Sale Proceeds	Investment	Investment	Investment
0	\$3,459,795	\$2,300,000	\$0	\$0	(\$1,159,795)	\$7,762,500	(\$8,922,295)
1		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
2		\$0	\$1,601,469	\$0	\$1,601,469	\$0	\$1,601,469
3		\$0	\$1,708,728	\$0	\$1,708,728	\$0	\$1,708,728
4		\$0	\$1,818,409	\$0	\$1,818,409	\$0	\$1,818,409
5		\$0	\$1,930,570	\$0	\$1,930,570	\$0	\$1,930,570
6		\$0	\$1,405,090	\$0	\$1,405,090	\$0	\$1,405,090
7		\$0	\$1,522,385	\$0	\$1,522,385	\$0	\$1,522,385
8		\$0	\$1,642,338	\$0	\$1,642,338	\$0	\$1,642,338
9		\$0	\$1,604,524	\$0	\$1,604,524	\$0	\$1,604,524
10		\$0	\$1,272,997	\$0	\$1,272,997	\$0	\$1,272,997
11		\$0	\$692,893	\$0	\$692,893	\$0	\$692,893
12		\$0	\$453,468	\$0	\$453,468	\$0	\$453,468
13		\$0	\$546,533	\$0	\$546,533	\$0	\$546,533
14		\$0	\$641,419	\$0	\$641,419	\$0	\$641,419
15		\$0	\$738,164	\$0	\$738,164	\$0	\$738,164
16		\$0	\$836,802	\$0	\$836,802	\$0	\$836,802
17		\$0	\$937,370	\$0	\$937,370	\$0	\$937,370
18		\$0	\$1,039,906	\$0	\$1,039,906	\$0	\$1,039,906
19		\$0	\$1,144,447	\$0	\$1,144,447	\$0	\$1,144,447
20		\$0	\$1,251,033	\$0	\$1,251,033	\$0	\$1,251,033
	\$3,459,795	\$2,300,000	\$22,788,544	\$0	\$22,788,544	\$7,762,500	\$22,788,544

**MEDC IRR Worksheet** 





# Eligible Costs Included

# Threshold IRR v. Extraordinary Costs Using Interest

Total Eligil	ole Activities	Total Cost	Ε	ligible Cost
1	Environmental Investigation and BEA/Due Care	\$ 107,350	\$	107,350
2	Brownfield Plans (Brownfield Plan and 381 Work Plan)	\$ 95,000	\$	20,000
3	Demolition All Eligible	\$ 1,174,500	\$	1,174,500
4	Site Work	\$ 636,600	\$	636,600
5	Infrastructure	\$ 7,920,600	\$	4,000,000
6	Contingency 15% (Excluding Task 2))	\$ 1,475,858	\$	887,768
Total Eligib	le Activities	\$ 11,409,908	\$	6,826,218
7	Interest	\$ 1,367,957	\$	1,367,957
8	Capture for Authority	\$ 1,245,524	\$	1,245,524
9	Capture for State BRF	\$ -	\$	-
10	Capture for Local LSSRF	\$ 3,015,537	\$	3,015,537
Total Additi	onal Capture	\$ 5,629,018	\$	5,629,018
Total Abov	е	\$ 17,038,925	\$	12,455,235

Extraordinary Costs

Limited by Threshold IRR

Interest Included Based
On MEDC Calculation



#### Local Share

Coordinating with
State Programs

		Total	Total
	Millage Category	Mills/\$1000	<u>Capture</u>
	Wayne County Operating	0.9897	\$ 234,207
	Wayne County Jail	0.9381	\$ 221,995
	Wayne County Parks	0.245	\$ 58,177
	Wayne County HCMA	0.2146	\$ 50,783
	Wayne County RESA (ISD)	0.09 <mark>6</mark> 5	\$ 22,832
	wccc	3.24 <mark>0</mark> 8	\$ 766,952
g with	Wayne County Zoo	0.1000	\$ -
g with grams	General City Operating	19.95 <mark>2</mark> 0	\$ 4,721,775
arame	Debt Service (City)	8.9952	\$ -
grams	Library	4.6307	\$ 1,095,875
	School Debt	13.000	\$ -
	Wayne County Tax (Winter)	5.6493	\$ 1,336,696
	Wayne County RESA Sp Ed	3 <b>2</b> 678	\$ 797,003
	Wayne County DIA	0.2000	\$ -
	School Judgment	0.1423	\$ -
	School Operating	18.0000	\$ 2,361,716
	School SET	6.0000	\$ 787,224
	Total Incremental Tax	85.7619	\$ 12,455,236
	Brownfield Tax Capture		Total
	Tax Capture for Reimbursement		\$ 6,826,218
	Interest Payment to Developer		\$ 1,367,957
Additional Local Ca	apture Capture for Drownfield Authority:		1,245,524
	Capture for State BRF		*
	Capture for LSRRF		\$ 3,015,537
Proportiona	Local Share Total Capture:		\$ 12,455,236
	Total Tax Capture		
	Local Tax Capture	$\sim$	\$> 9,306,295
	School Tax Capture		\$ 3,148,941
	Total		\$ 12,455,236

See Attached

9 Leverage Local Commitment

# State Share

Consider Entire Incentive Package

		Total		Total
	Millage Category	Mills/\$1000		<u>Capture</u>
	Wayne County Operating	0.9897	\$	234,207
	Wayne County Jail	0.9381	\$	221,995
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	Wayne County HCMA	0.2146	\$	50,783
	Wayne County RESA (ISD)	0.0965	\$	22,832
• *	wccc	3.2408	\$	766,952
ntire	Wayne County Zoo	0.1000	\$	-
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	Wayne County DIA	0.2000	\$	-
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	Total		\$	12,455,236

See Attached

# Match Payment Period to Prediction

										<u>Assumptions</u>		
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Assumed Completion	Schedul	e 🔪	- 1			٦.	p. 00.0		Redevelop	ment Activities:	\$	6,692,765
									Total El	igible Expense:	\$	6,826,218
Year		<u>2014</u>		<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>		<u>2017</u>		202	2026		<u>2027</u>
Percent Complete		20%		70%	100%	ノ	100%	######		100%		100%
Incremental Taxable Value		\$	-	\$ 2,976,920	\$ 10,4 <del>18,6</del> 69	\$	14,884,099		14,884,099	\$ 14,884,099	\$	14,884,099
New Personal Property		\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$	<u> </u>		\$ -	\$ .	\$	-
Total Incremental Taxable Value		\$	-	\$ 2,976,820	\$ 10,418,869	\$	14,884,099		\$ 14,884,099	\$ 14,884,099	\$	14,884,099
	Total							#				
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Wayne County Operating	\$ 234,207	\$	-	\$ 2,946	\$ 10,311	\$	14,730		\$ 14,730	\$ 14,730	\$	14,730
Wayne County Jail	\$ 221,995	\$	-	\$ 2,792	\$ 9,773	\$	13,962		\$ 13,962	\$ 13,962	\$	13,962
Wayne County Parks	\$ 58,177	\$	-	\$ 731					\$ 3,659			3,659
Wayne County HCMA	\$ 50,783	\$	-	\$ 638	\$ 2,235	\$	3,194		\$ 3,194			3,194
Wayne County RESA (ISD)	\$ 22,832	\$	-	\$ 287		5	1,436		\$ 1,436	\$ 1,436	\$	1,436
Wccc `	\$ 766,952	\$	-	\$ 9,647	\$ 33,765	\$	48,236		\$ 48,236	\$ 48,236	\$	48,236
Wayne County Zoo	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$	· -		\$ -	\$ -	\$	· -
General City Operating	\$ 4,721,775	\$	-	\$ 59,393	\$ 207,877	- 5	296,967		\$ 296,967	\$ 296,967	\$	296,967
Debt Service (Citγ)	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$			\$ -	\$ -	\$	·-
Library	\$ 1,095,875	\$	-	\$ 13,784	\$ 48,246	\$	68,923		\$ 68,923	\$ 68,923	\$	68,923
School Debt	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$	· -		\$ -	\$ -	\$	-
Wayne County Tax (Winter)	\$ 1,336,696	\$	-	\$ 16,813	\$ 58,848	\$	84,069		\$ 84,069	\$ 84,069	\$	84,069
Wayne County RESA Sp Ed	\$ 797,003	\$	-	\$ 10,025		\$	50,126		\$ 50,126		\$	50,126
Wayne County DIA	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$			\$ -	\$ -	\$	
School Judgment	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$			\$ -	\$ -	\$	-
School Operating	\$ 2,361,716	\$	-	\$ 53,582	\$ 187,539	\$	267,913		\$ 16,208	\$ 10,804	\$	5,237
School SET	\$ 787,224		-	\$ 17,860					\$ 5,402		\$	1,745
Total Incremental Tax	\$ 12,455,236		-	\$ 188,498					\$ 606,912		\$	592,284
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Tax Capture for Reimbursement		\$	-	\$ (0)					\$ 500,164	165,351		-
Interest Payment to Developer		\$	-	\$ 169,649					\$ 39,366	19,974		(0)
Capture for Brownfield Authority:		\$	-	\$ 18,850	\$ 65,976	\$	94,252		\$ 60,691	\$ 59,971	\$	59,228
Capture for State BRF	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$	-		\$ -	\$ -	\$	-
Capture for LSRRF	\$ 3,015,537	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$	<u>-</u>		\$ 6,690	\$ 354,411	\$	533,056
Total Capture:	\$ 12,455,236	s	_	\$ 188,498	\$ 659,761	g	942,518		\$ 606,912	\$ 599,706	g.	592,284

#### Evaluate Revenues v. Incentive

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Look at 30-yr 7	ax Rev	enues –	Tax Capture for This Plan			
Not Captured	Total	Taxes to	Total	Capture for Reimbursement	Capture for	
Millage Cathory	<u>Taxes</u>	<u>Jurisdictions</u>	<u>Capture</u>	and BRA	<u>LSRRF</u>	
Wayne County Operating	\$508,657	\$274,450	\$234,207	\$159,025	\$75,182	
Wayne County Jail	\$482,137	\$260,142	\$221,995	\$150,733	\$71,262	
Wayne County Panks	\$126,380	\$68,203	\$58,177	\$39,501	\$18,676	
Wayne County HCMA	\$110,294	\$59,511	\$50,783	\$34,481	\$16,302	
Wayne County RESA (ND)	\$49,596	\$26,764	\$22,832	\$15,503	\$7,329	
wccc \	\$1,665,610	\$898,658	\$766,952	\$520,755	\$246,197	
Wayne County Zoo	\$51,395	\$51,395	\$0	\$0	\$0	
General City Operating	\$10 > 4 339	\$5,532,564	\$4,721,775	\$3,206,051	\$1,515,724	
Debt Service (City)	\$4,623,087	\$4,623,087	\$0 <del>F</del>	uture Incentiveo	\$0	
Library	\$2,379,950	\$1,284,075	\$1,095,875	\$744,091	\$351,784	
School Debt	<b>\$</b> 6,681,355	\$6,681,355	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Wayne County Tax (Winter)	\$2,902,946	\$1,566,250	\$1,336,696	\$907,607	\$429,089	
Wayne County RESA Sp Ed	\$1 <mark>73</mark> 0,882	\$933,879	\$797,003	\$541,159	\$255,844	
Wayne County DIA	\$1 <mark>02,7</mark> 90	\$102,790	\$0	\$0	\$0	
School Judgment	\$73,111	\$73,111	\$0	\$0	\$0	
School Operating	\$9,251,107	\$6,889,391	\$2,361,716	\$2,340,605	112,112	
School SET	\$3,083,702	\$2,296,478	\$787,224	<b>\$780</b> ,189	7,035	
Total Incremental Tax	\$44,077,339	\$31,622,104	\$12,455,236	\$9,439,699	\$3,015,537	
	\$31.6	VI to Jurisdiction	ns (71%)	\$8.2M to Appli	cant (19%)	

# Evaluate Total Impact

#### Look at Impact Beyond Property Taxes (Net Benefits Analysis)

	<u>No.</u>	2	0-Yr Impact		<u>20</u> -	-Yr Impact
Income Tax Direct Jobs	190	\$	3,350,400	Brownfield TIF	\$	6,826,218
Income Tax Indirect Jobs	285	\$	6,700,800	Interest	\$	1,367,957
Income Tax Construction Jobs	300	\$	225,000	MBT Credit	\$	10,000,000
Real Net Property Tax		\$	20,297,176			
Personal Property Tax		\$	4,200,000			
Corporate Income Tax		\$	907,863			

\$35.7M Impact

\$18.2M Incentive \$9.3M Local Taxes

# Timing

"Unless otherwise agreed to in writing by the BRA, this Plan will expire and no longer be valid if the applicant does not execute a Reimbursement Agreement within one hundred and eighty days of the date the Plan is approved by City Council. To remain eligible for the approved incentives, eligible activities must start within eighteen months of Plan approval, construction must start within five years of the executed Reimbursement Agreement, and construction must be completed within three years of the estimated completion date."

#### Clawback Provisions

How much investment is substantially compliant? Rigorous review of content and date of reimbursement requests

#### Lessons Learned

MEDA Economic Development Course



#### Focus on Process

Single Point of Contract for Entire Process
Transparent, Predictable and Timely Process
Early Screening of Incentives
Build Incentives Team with State
Communicate Advantages
Listen to Advantages

# Be Developer Ready

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Reduce Uncertainty
   Publish and Implement Policies and Procedures
Manage Timelines
   Coordinate Meetings
Only Real Incentives Count
   Control the Incentives = Control the Conversation
The Real Estate Essentials Have Not
  Changed
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# Keep in Mind the Final Outcome

Create Sense of Place and Great Design
Drive Appropriate Clean-Up
Drive Appropriate Site Design
Leverage Incentives
Catalytic Projects v. Consistent Development

# Focus on Area-Wide Planning

Single Sited-ness |s Out

Coordinate Efforts Around Redevelopment Hubs

Economic Gardening on Local Clusters

Coordinate Efforts Between Communities

#### Lessons Learned

For urban redevelopment, it's a question of how much uncertainty

The full financial benefits are rarely available

A bad deal is still a bad deal

# Additional Reading

Building Small by Jim Heid (ULI Bookstore)

ULI Emerging Trends in Real Estate

The Option of Urbanism by Christopher

Leinberger

The Brookings Institute: Turning Around

Downtown: Twelve Steps to Revitalization

by Christopher Leinberger



# Additional Reading

Last Harvest by Witold Rybczynski Real Estate Development, Principles and Process, Edited by Mike Miles et al Northeast Midwest Institute: The Environmental and Economic Impacts of Brownfields Redevelopment Energy Benefits of Urban Infill, Brownfields, and Sustainable Urban Redevelopment



#### Additional Resources

- MEDA www.medaweb.org/
- Michigan Laws www.legislature.mi.gov
- MEDC www.michiganbusiness.org
- EGLE Grants and Loanswww.michigan.gov/egle/regulatory-assistance/grantsand-financing
- EPA Brownfields www.epa.gov/brownfields



#### Additional Resources

- Urban Land Institute at www.uli.org/
- International Council of Shopping Centers at www.icsc.org/
- National Brownfield Conference at https://gobrownfields.org/
- Brookings Institute Metropolitan Policy Program at www.brookings.edu/programs/brookings-metro/



# Q&A

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