

wellness, Edu-Tourism, “Blue Economy” research and development, and, Agri-Technology. These findings have been incorporated into the CEDS as the CEDS Plan of Action.

In addition to summarizing the status of the local economy and areas of opportunities, the focal point of the CEDS is identification of projects that may be eligible for federal grant funding. The CEDS includes 45 such projects that will facilitate the reuse of the former Fort Ord and creation of new opportunities in many of the cities in Monterey County. As each jurisdiction prepares individual grant applications for funding, the projects will be evaluated for how well they support the economic opportunities contained in the CEDS and SRI strategy reports.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

The Economic Opportunity Committee has reviewed the CEDS and recommended that it be presented to the Board of Supervisors for adoption.

FINANCING:

There is no additional cost to the General Fund. The County’s cost to manage development of the CEDS was funded out of the General Fund support for the Economic Development Department (Fund 001, Organizational Unit 8221).

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