



## LARIMER COUNTY POLICIES BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

**SUBJECT:** BCC P#01212003P003  
**ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT POLICY FOR LARIMER COUNTY,**

**REVISION DATE:** January 21, 2003  
**REVIEW:** Annually - January

**CANCELLATION:** Economic Development Policy, #P19A, dated January 8, 1996

**CONTACT:** Assistant Director of Workforce Center

**ATTACHMENTS:** None

**REFERENCE:** None

**REVISION LOCATOR:** All Sections

**PURPOSE:** To articulate the policy of the Board of County Commissioners regarding response to economic development issues and incentives.

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### **POLICY:**

- I. Larimer County supports the development of a sustainable, self-reliant local economy that meets the present needs while addressing possible needs of future generations. Achieving this goal will deliver the following benefits:
  1. Preservation and enhancement of a diversified, vital local economy
  2. Availability of productive rewarding job opportunities for residents of Larimer County
  3. Stabilization of economic cycles
  4. Generation of adequate public and private resources for the delivery of essential services and infrastructure to county residents

5. Conservation and upgrade Larimer County's economic and natural resources resulting from responsible stewardship of our natural environment, planning and development of consumer driven transportation alternatives, renewable energy resources, attainable / affordable housing, and recreational opportunities.
- II. Such economic development would support existing businesses and retain existing employment, as well as foster new employment opportunities for Larimer County.
- III. The role of County government is to support and facilitate other public and private economic development efforts when appropriate and requested.
  - A. Tools:
    - Tax Policy Revenue sources
    - Right to Farm Policy
    - Environmental Policies
    - Workforce Development
    - Demographic, Economic and Labor Market Information
    - Larimer / Weld Revolving Loan Fund

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Larimer County Board of County Commissioners

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