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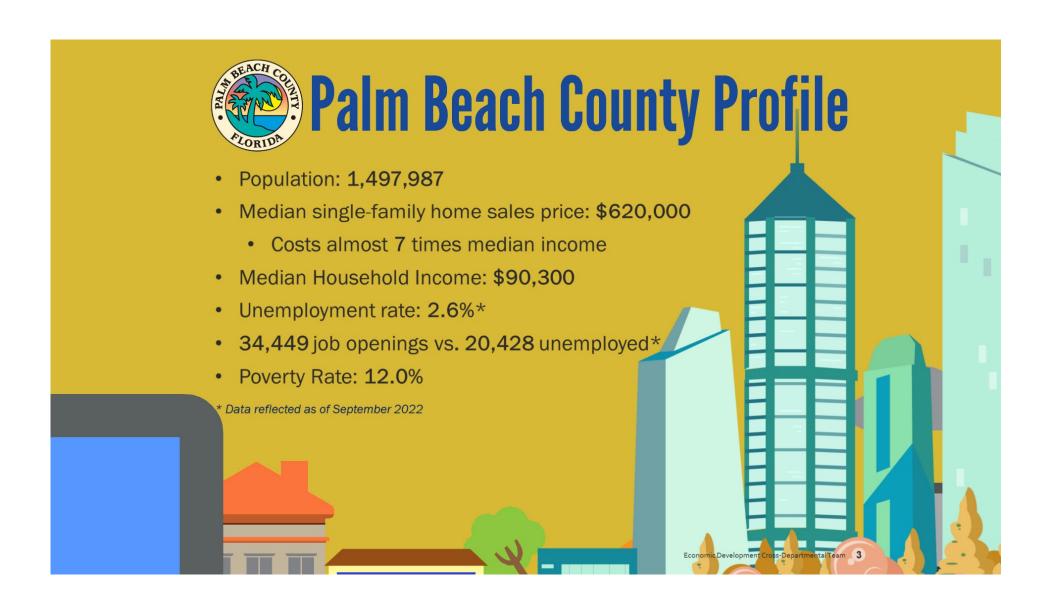


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### Top 5 Industries by Employment Growth

Data represents the number of people employed + increase year over year (2021-2022)

1.	Leisure/Hospitality	+11,100 jobs	92,100
2.	Education/Health Services	+7,100 jobs	109,700
3.	Trade/Transportation/Utilities	+4,500 jobs	121,300
4.	Other Services	+4,500 jobs	35,000
5.	Manufacturing	+1,100 jobs	21,500







Number of Small Businesses (25 or less employees) = 61,557 businesses in PBC or 93.5%

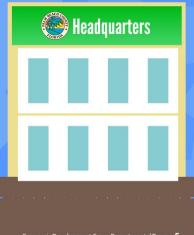


"To promote economic revitalization by driving the creation of employment opportunities while reducing disparities and improving quality of life for everyone."

### **Economic Development Goals:**

- 1. A stable, diversified, and resilient economic base that maximizes jobs for County residents and capitalizes on emerging industries.
- 2. Growing the Tourism and Hospitality Industry by driving room nights and their associated economic impact.
- 3. Promote Entrepreneurial Opportunities.
- 4. Revitalize Communities to Support Economic Development.
- 5. Support and Promote a Viable and Diverse Agricultural Industry.
- 6. Enhance and Expand Opportunities for Paid and Unpaid Student and Apprentice Programs.

  HOUSING









# Goal 1: A Stable, Diversified, and Resilient Economic Base That Maximizes Jobs for County Residents and Capitalizes on Emerging Industries

### **Housing and Economic Development**

### From 2017 - 2021:

- Every \$1 of county investment was leveraged by \$11.44 in private investment, resulting in creation/retention of 14,262 jobs and \$820M of Economic Impact.
  - This includes programs managed directly by the Housing and Economic Development Department (HED) and also with HED's contract partners.
- Businesses increased by 9,745 to 65,811, an increase of 17.4%.

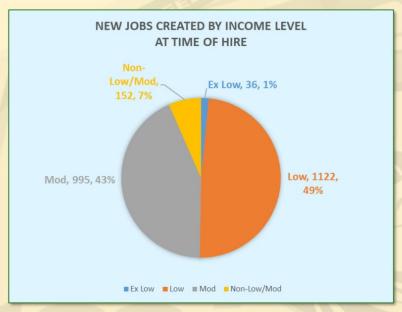


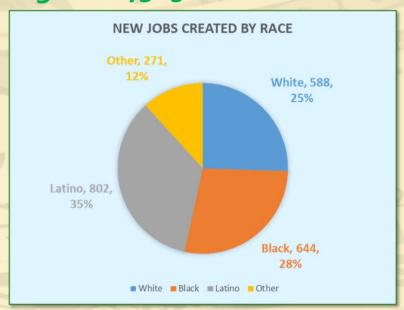
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# Goal 1: A Stable, Diversified, and Resilient Economic Base That Maximizes Jobs for County Residents and Capitalizes on Emerging Industries

## HUD Section 108 Loan Program-2,305 New Jobs







## Community Services Department Family Self-Sufficiency Program (FSSP)



Scott Stevens completed CDL training and obtained employment at \$32.50/hr, through the FSSP program, hosted by the Community Services Department.

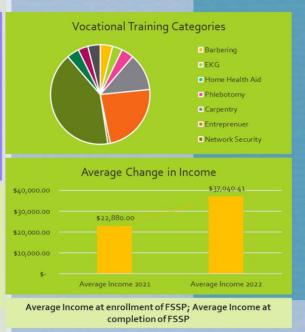


Total Amount Invested:

\$619,000!!!

Total Clients Served:

247





# Goal 2: Growing the Tourism & Hospitality Industry by Driving Room Nights & Their Associated Economic Impact

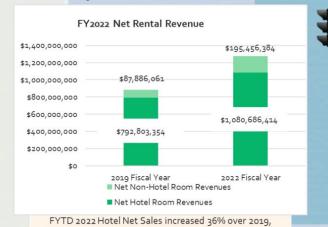
### **Tourist Development Council**

### Fiscal Year 2022 Results



The Leisure & Travel Industry has shown a strong recovery with record Bed Tax Collections for September through May as the Palm Beaches "Open Spaces and Quiet Places" welcomes both Drive Market and Air Travelers.

Business Travel, Groups, and Meetings continue to gain momentum as they are set to outpace our Record 2019 levels of activity.



Non-Hotel Sales 122% higher than FYTD 2019



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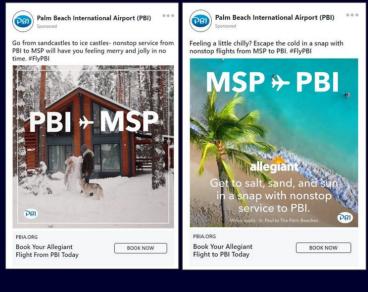


# Getting the Word Out About PBI

### Expedia Ad Campaigns



#### Social Media Ads



#### **#FLYLOCAL**





Palm Beach School for Autism, Avelo & TSA





Discover The Palm Beaches





**Cultural Council** 





# **Goal 3: Promote Entrepreneurial Opportunities**

In order to determine our true ROI, the Office of Equal Business Opportunity (OEBO) takes into consideration the following factors:



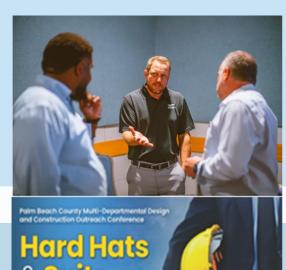
- · Number of outreach events held
- Number of participants in attendance
- Number of vendor registrations and applications for certification processed as a result of the outreach event
- Number of contracts awarded
- Dollars awarded to S/M/WBE Primes

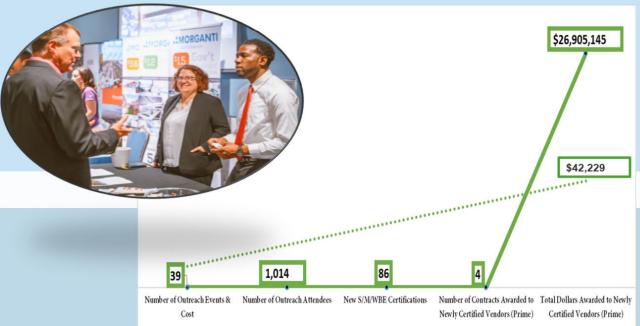
OEBO's focus is on certified vendors and their journey through the procurement process and continued business with Palm Beach County.





# Return on Investment



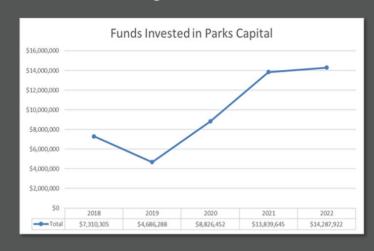




# **Goal 4: Revitalize Communities to Support Economic Development**

### Parks and Recreation and Office of Community Revitalization

- Metrics Number of Countywide Community Revitalization Team (CCRT) areas with a park within 1/4 mile
  - Funds Invested in Parks Capital Projects
  - Number of improvement projects completed in CCRT areas
  - Number of Neighborhood Revitalization Grants Awarded through the NEAT Grants Program



#### Funds Invested in Neighborhood Improvements in CCRT Areas From 2018 - 2022

- Invested \$887,000 in the installation and 20-years operation and maintenance of 155 streetlights in the Homes at Lawrence, Limestone Creek, San Castle and Watergate Estates CCRT areas.
- Invested over \$150,000 in the installation of 38 speed humps in the Plantation, San Castle and Cannongate-Southwoods CCRT areas.
- Invested \$1,453,000 in the construction of neighborhood park improvements in the Belvedere Estates, Cabana Colony, Canal Point, Kenwood Estates, Lake Worth West, Limestone Creek, and the San Castle CCRT areas.
- Awarded \$646,500 in NEAT grant funding for the completion of 79 neighborhood improvement projects in various CCRT areas.



## Canyon District Park: Phase 1



A 36-acre park featuring three lighted multipurpose athletic fields, a fitness trail, group picnic shelters, restroom and concession building, maintenance facility and parking for 251 vehicles. Cost \$11M

\$6.3 MILLION

IN INCREMENTAL PROPERTY VALUES

\$108,663

IN INCREMENTAL TAX REVENUE

\$154.1 MILLION 1,000 YOUTH

IN ANNUAL HEALTH CARE COST SAVINGS

\$39,688

IN ENVIRONMENTAL SAVINGS

**206 JOBS** 

IN RELATED EMPLOYMENT

IN OUT-OF-SCHOOL PROGRAMMING



# Glades Pioneer Park OBC/CDBG Improvements Phase II



The Orange Bowl Committee selected Glades Pioneer Park as a recipient of a \$1.5 million matching grant in 2018. Phase 1, which was completed in December, 2019 consisted of the construction of a synthetic turf athletic field. Phase II, which was completed in August, 2022 involved the construction of a neighborhood center/restroom building.

\$24,750

IN INCREMENTAL PROPERTY VALUES

\$430

IN INCREMENTAL TAX REVENUE

**\$29.5 MILLION** 

IN ANNUAL HEALTH CARE COST SAVINGS

\$49,000

IN ENVIRONMENTAL SAVINGS

**206 JOBS** 

IN RELATED EMPLOYMENT

2,500 YOUTH

IN OUT-OF-SCHOOL PROGRAMMING



## Neighborhood Engagement & Transformation (NEAT) Grants Program



- BCC Investment \$150,000
- Total Project Cost \$300,000
- Return On Investment

Over 5,000 Residents benefitted from NEAT projects





# Goal 5: Support and Promote a Viable and Diverse Agricultural Industry

## **Cooperative Extension Office**

Research studies indicate that for every \$1.00 spent on EFNEP programming, \$10.64 can potentially be saved on health care costs, and \$2.48 can be saved on food expenditures. Given the FY22 EFNEP budget was \$484,030, the ROI calculation for FY22 is:





## Goal 6: Enhance & Expand Opportunities for Paid and Unpaid Student and **Apprentice Programs to Meet Local Needs**

### **Metrics:**

- 488 student positions budgeted
- 282 student positions currently filled 22% categorized as professional, paraprofessional & technician
- 78% categorized in service maintenance & clerical
- 17 Apprenticeship positions budgeted
- 9 Apprenticeship positions currently filled include **Utility Plant Operators, Building Inspectors &** Examiners (WUD, PZB)

**Environmental Resources Management Interns** 



Parks & Recreation Intern





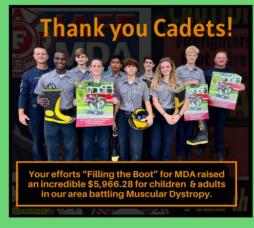
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### **Fire Rescue**

### Ways The Cadets Help The Community

- Volunteer at various charitable functions
- Participate in ride time with current professional firefighters
- Participate in competitions
- Attend weekly training meetings
- Make lifelong friends and go on group outings









### **Cadet Stats**

- Average of 150 teens at any given time
- 50 60 new teens join each year
- Since 2016 42 cadets were hired by PBCFR





## **Goal 6: Enhance & Expand Opportunities for Paid and Unpaid Student and Apprentice Programs to Meet Local Needs**

### Palm Beach Lakes Fire Academy's First Graduating Class

In 2018, Palm Beach Lakes Community High School accepted their first class of ninth graders into their new Fire Academy program.

- First graduating class in May 2022
- Partnerships with Palm Beach State College
- School District of PBC
- **Education Foundation of PBC**
- JP Morgan Chase & Co.
- **PBC Fire Rescue**
- Riviera Beach Fire Rescue
- West Palm Beach Fire Rescue







# Goal 6: Enhance & Expand Opportunities for Paid and Unpaid Student and Apprentice Programs to Meet Local Needs

Sound Bites from Youth Services Department Students and Interns

Key skills

Key skills developed & how students benefited





## Youth Services Students and Interns (2022)

4 Predoctoral Interns

2 Postdoctoral Fellows

1 Doctoral Practicum Trainee

3 Student Interns

4 Summer Camp Student Clerical

171 Summer Youth Interns and jobs through funded community based agencies



 Continue to develop and refine strategies to address the County's goals for Economic Development based on the changing climate.

 Continue to evaluate metric outcomes to determine effectiveness of strategies.

- Modify strategies to address negative outcomes.
- Explore methods to quantify ROI for County programs and expenditures.

