



## Fact Sheet

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**Mission Statement:** The Nevada Commission on Economic Development promotes a robust, diversified and prosperous economy, enriching the quality of life for Nevada citizens by stimulating business expansion and retention, encouraging entrepreneurial enterprise, attracting new businesses and facilitating community development to enable economic growth and prosperity.

Founded in 1983, the Nevada Commission on Economic Development is the state's leader in developing and maintaining a diverse economic base. The state agency works with a network of development authorities who are experts regarding local political climates, business opportunities, tax climates, and real estate costs and availability. The NCED strives for a healthy economy for the Silver State with multiple services through the following:

**Nevada Film Office:** This division delivers key information to the production industry to encourage use of the state's locations and resources. The Nevada Film Office assists and facilitates production companies and their crews with location scouting, script breakdowns, defining and managing logistics, intergovernmental cooperation including permitting and jurisdiction and problem solving. The NFO saves productions hours, effort, manpower and guesswork so projects stay on time and on budget.

**Procurement Outreach Program (POP):** This division works to increase the flow of contract dollars to Nevada businesses by providing the necessary training and technical assistance to find, bid on and acquire federal, state and local contacts.

**Rural Community Development & CDBG:** The Rural Community Development Division is tasked with promoting and facilitating community development throughout rural Nevada. The overarching objective is to build prosperity and enhance the quality of life in rural Nevada. Community development is the process of managing change within communities and involves dialogue among community members to decide their shared vision of the future

**Global Business Development:** The Global Trade and Investment programs are aimed at both assisting Nevada businesses to begin or expand activities in international markets and also attracting foreign investment to the state. The Office of Diplomatic Relations & Protocol coordinates meetings

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for heads of state and foreign delegations. The office prepares letters of invitation to qualified international businesspersons wanting to conduct business in Nevada.

**Business Development & Research:** Nevada Commission on Economic Development (NCED) and its regional partners have assisted 468 companies relocate, expand or start up in Nevada. As you consider a business expansion or relocation in Nevada, NCED and its partners are here to connect and assist you. Its strategic network can provide customized services for a quicker, cheaper and less stressful relocation or expansion process

**Current Initiatives:**

- Renewable Energy
- Technology Commercialization
- Workforce Development

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