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Overview

We are pleased to have the opportunity to report to the Joint Legislative Commission on Governmental Operations and the Fiscal Research Division. The North Carolina Community Development Initiative ("The Initiative") is a statewide non-profit organization with a targeted investment strategy that creates an efficient means for government, financial institutions, and foundations to invest in economic development and recovery throughout North Carolina. Acting as a conduit to highly effective community based enterprises (including community development corporations "CDCs") the Initiative and its investees produce measurable, positive and enduring results. The Initiative leverages and invests funding in projects and services that catalyze change creating and supporting jobs, businesses, infrastructure, housing, and community facilities. This results in an expanded tax base and economic opportunity in North Carolina's most difficult and underserved areas. The Initiative manages and protects each investment with due diligence, monitoring, and quality technical assistance resulting in stronger and better outcomes for communities.

The Initiative has become a national model of a public-private partnership built to stimulate economic development in underserved areas leveraging the strengths of financial institutions, foundations, and government. This model works to build local capacity in community enterprises (CDCs) which are able to get to scale and replicate various projects in difficult areas. There is now a network of these community enterprises that has the capacity and institutional knowledge to grow this practice of community economic development throughout the state.

During the last 18 years, the Initiative has supported and invested in over a half billion dollars in completed projects that have provided opportunity for the most needy, helped to stabilize families and communities, and expanded the tax base in every place of engagement.

Currently, the Initiative has forty grant investments, including twenty organizations that receive Strategic Transitional Investments, six organizations that receive Strategic Targeted Investments, and eight organizations that receive Innovation Investments. The Initiative also granted 26 stipends/grants to student leaders during its youth leadership program.

The value of the Initiative as a financial and technical support provider is as critical now as ever before. Without the Initiative's support, most of our grantees would not have the staffing capacity, track record, or organizational currency to attract the multi-faceted investments needed to carry out just one economic development project. The Initiative, serving in the

intermediary capacity, has been able to increase the financial and technical resource "pie," and along the way, present a common voice to policymakers and the public on critical issues and resource investments affecting poor communities. In addition, the intermediary model allows for promotion of innovation across the CDC network, promoting effectiveness through sound performance measurement and management as a condition of continued investment.

Programmatic Activities

While the environment has changed, major challenges still remain. The Initiative has continued work in its core areas -- financial investment to include technical assistance, innovation to include research and development, and leadership development.

Grant Investment Program

The Initiative's grant investment program awarded approximately \$2,600,000 in grants in 2011. These investments helped increase the organizational productivity of the local CDC or CBE by providing a stable consistent source for core operating costs. These investments were coupled with *Strategic Issue Management and Project Development (SIMPD)*. The Initiative pairs our financial assistance with technical assistance that is geared to the very specific organizational and program development, collaborative leadership and learning/evaluation needs of the CDC. The SIMPD program is hands on, place-based technical assistance offered to the community economic development industry statewide. The SIMPD program's emphasis is placed on optimizing organizational productivity utilizing the concepts of accountability, consistency and predictability to achieve measurable goals, outcomes and impact. This program is designed to provide high-level strategic issue management on topics ranging from organizational development to real estate development and deal analysis.

The North Carolina Community Development Initiative Capital, Inc. (Initiative Capital)

Initiative Capital, our subsidiary lending corporation, is responsible for lending and capital formation. Initiative Capital offers three lending products: Land Acquisition, Permanent Financing, and Flexible Financing. Each investment is a direct response to the lending needs of the state's nonprofit community economic development industry. Additionally, in an effort to help stabilize communities through the Neighborhood Stabilization Program, Initiative Capital will provide loan products to community organizations for the acquisition and

rehabilitation of foreclosed properties. To date, Initiative Capital has committed \$3.6 million to the purchase and rehab of foreclosed properties throughout the state.

Leadership Development

The Leadership Institute – North Carolina (LI – NC) is a collaborative effort between the North Carolina Community Development Initiative, the North Carolina Rural Economic Development Center, and the North Carolina Association of Community Development Corporations to analyze and address trends that present major challenges, both currently and in the years ahead, to the field of community economic development.

The goal of LI – NC is to provide a unified gathering place for industry leaders to come together and discuss the identification of strategic opportunities such as the development of green communities, preservation of assets, and institutional stability and preservation.

Community Economic Development Youth Internship Program

During the summer of 2012 (fiscal year 2011-2012) we awarded 26 rising high school seniors from across the state with a Summer Youth Community Economic Development Leadership Internship. Since its inception, the goal of the summer internship program has been to interest and engage rising high school seniors in the field of community economic development and the nonprofit sector while introducing them to principles of leadership. Interns earned a stipend for eight-weeks and committed to saving one-half of the stipend for future educational cost. Students had an opportunity to interact one-on-one with national, state and local entrepreneurs, corporate leaders and policy makers in the fields of nonprofit management, law, hospitality, entertainment, and government.

Project Example including all Programmatic Areas

An example of how the Initiative acts as a catalyst to create an efficient means for financial institutions, government entities and private businesses to engage is currently under construction in Cumberland County. The project was being sponsored by Kingdom CDC and includes land donated by the Town of Spring Lake and Cumberland County bringing in federal and state resources. With the assistance of the Initiative, Kingdom provided overall leadership coordination, pre-development funding relative to market analysis, feasibility, and negotiations with city, county and private partners. The private partner provided development expertise and net worth to attract private capital necessary

to get the project built. This project would not have been possible without the Initiative's continued grant and debt investment. The private bank would not make its investment available without the Initiative's investment being deposited first. This \$8,500,000 project represents: continued yearly financial and technical support from the Initiative, \$300,000 in project grant funds from the Initiative, \$500,000 of debt from Initiative's subsidiary, \$6.5 million in a conventional bank loan, and \$1.2 million from Cumberland County.

This project contributes to the overall economic recovery. There are local purchases from vendors, engagement of local professional services, hiring of contractors and subcontractors during construction phase, a creation of 85 permanent jobs for the life of the project, and a contribution back to the local tax base for the life of enterprise.

Thank you for the continued support and confidence in the Initiative and our work.

QUARTERLY REPORT ON GRANTS TO NON-GOVERNMENTAL/GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS

Reporting Entity	North Caroll	na Community Develo	oment Initiative, Inc.	
Quarter Ended	June 30, 201	2		
State FYE Reporting Date	June 30, 201	1		
Were all State funds received from If the answer is No, please list the			YesX ecelved.	No
SUMMARY OF ACTIVITY		(Commerce) Fiscal Management STATE	(All Other State, Federal, Private) OTHER	TOTAL
Funds Received This Quarter		7,015		·
Funds Received To Date (State FY	E June 30 th)			-
Expenditures This Quarter		28,943		28,943
Expenditures To Date (State FYE J	une 30 th)	4,518,839		4,518,839
Supplemental Information:			₽	· · · · · ·

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- (1) Please complete the attached Detail Description of State Funded Expenditures.
- (2) Please have the autorized official certify that the amounts are accurate and the expenditures have been made in compliance with all legal requirements.

7/31/2012 DATE

DETAIL DESCRIPTION OF STATE FUNDED QUARTERLY EXPENDITURES

- (1) Please complete the detail schedule for expenditures paid with State funds received from NC Commerce only.
 (2) Please add and highlight any expenditure descriptions not ilsted.
- (3) Attach a brief description of each expenditure category reported.

The "Detail Description of State Funded Quarterly Expenditures" should be within your organization's current FY approved budget, if a budget line items' expenditures exceed your organization's current FY approved budget, please submit a revised approved budget with the quarterly report in which the expenditures exceed the current approved budget.

EXPENDITURE DESCRIPTION	1 ⁸¹ QUARTER FY 10-11	2 ND QUARTER FY 10-11	3 RD QUARTER FY 10-11	4 TH QUARTER FY 10-11	4 TH QUARTER	YTD TOTAL
PERSONAL SERVICES Salaries & Wages Fringe Benefits Other Purchased Services	412,403 341,522 66,191 4,690	252,814 175,276 77,537	210,363 138,615 71,848	208,146 158,970 49,177	FY 11-12	1,083,726 814,283 264,753 4,690
PURCHASED SERVICES Travel Communications/Data Processing Postage/Freight/Deliveries Printing/Advertising Repairs/Maintenance/Utilities Contracted Services Other Services	1,697 14,477 43,287	101,908 11,024 6,475 267 3,871 10,425 69,844	77,058 1,689 4,998 115 4,468 13,287 52,521	39,927 705 7,706 118 9,936 21,463		287,902 18,044 24,082 500 10,036 48,125 187,115
SUPPLIES & MATERIALS General Administrative Supplies Other Administrative Expenses	9,978" 1,806 8,172	6,303 3,004 3,299	3 ₁ 223 494 2,729	2,722 250 2,472	V	22,226 5,554 16,672
FIXED CHARGES & EXPENSES Rent/Leases Insurance/Bonding Other Fixed Charges/Expenses	2,853 84	12,087 5,243 6,844	3,591 6,188	4,174 12,367	21.12.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2	15,861 25,484
CAPTIAL OUTLAY Office Equipment Office Fumiture Buildings/Other Structures/Improvements Land Motor Vehicles Other Captial Outlay		13,076	2,718	3,832		19,626
GRANTS Grants to Other Entities (Sub-Awards)	860,150 860,150	1,051,368 1,051,368	642,250 642,250	309,650 309,650	28,943 28,943	2,892,361 2,892,361
DEBT SERVICE Principal Payments Interest Payments	42,191	41,326 41,328	The state of the s		erapping to the con-	83,517
OTHER EXPENDITURES Other Expenditures	32,143 32,143	18,844 18,844	6,029	31,122 31,122		88,138 88,138
GRAND TOTALS	1,428,813	1,497,723	951,420	611,941	28,943	4,518,839

The totals for the detail expenditures should agree with the Summary of Activity (State Expenditures by Quarter and State ExpendituresTo Date).



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Quarter Ended June 30,	, 2012		
State FYE Reporting Date June 30,	, 2012		8
Were all State funds received from the Depa If the answer is No, please list the Source at		YesX_ received.	No
	(Commerce)	(All Other State,	
SUMMARY OF ACTIVITY	Fiscal Management STATE	Federal, Private) OTHER	TOTAL
Funds Received This Quarter	1,248,728	12,159	1,260,887
Funds Received To Date (State FYE June 30	^{sh}) 3,746,192	944,517	4,690,709
Expenditures This Quarter	93,366	1,135,807	1,229,173
Expenditures To Date (State FYE June 30 th)	3,746,192	1,699,468	5,445,661

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EXPENDITURE DESCRIPTION	1 ST QUARTER	2 ND QUARTER	3 RD QUARTER	4 TH QUARTER	YTD TOTAL
PERSONAL SERVICES Salaries & Wages Fringe Benefits Other Purchased Services	262,123 226,819 35,304	213,491 150,143 63,348	261,137 195,781 65,356	36,167 33,630 2,537	772,918 606,373 166,545
PURCHASED SERVICES Travel Communications/Data Processing Postage/Freight/Deliveries Printing/Advertising Repairs/Maintenance/Utilities Contracted Services Other Services	9,251 26,635	2,359 7,076 10,174 27,275	52,125 1,590 7,721 1,570 13,391 27,853	14,219	161,696 10,968 21,844 1,570 45,551 81,762
SUPPLIES & MATERIALS General Administrative Supplies Other Administrative Expenses	6,842 697 6,145	2,539 464 2,075	4,670 1,662 3,008	2,247	16,298 2,824 13,475
FIXED CHARGES & EXPENSES Rent/Leases Insurance/Bonding Other Fixed Charges/Expenses	35,792 4,155 31,637	5,678 5,678	20,466 5,288 15,178	-	61,935 15,120 46,815
CAPTIAL OUTLAY Office Equipment Office Furniture Buildings/Other Structures/Improvements Land Motor Vehicles Other Captial Outlay		•	7,410		7,410 7,410 - - - -
GRANTS Grants to Other Entitles (Sub-Awards)	1,365,495 1,365,495	523,663 523,663	671,838 671,838	33,348 33,346	2,594,341 2,594,341
DEBT SERVICE . Principal Payments interest Payments	-		13,328	-	13,328
OTHER EXPENDITURES Other Expenditures GRAND TOTALS	50,229 50,229	20,975 20,975 813,230	39,675 39,675 1,070,648	7,387 7,387 93,366	118,266 118,266 3,746,192

The totals for the detail expenditures should agree with the Summary of Activity (State Expenditures by Quarter and State Expenditures To Date).

Appendix A – North Carolina Community Development Initiative, Inc. 2012 List of Initiative Funded CDCs

CORE INVESTMENTS

Brick Capital CDC

Ms. Kate Rumely Executive Director Sanford, NC 27330

Cleveland County CDC

Ms. Karla Haynes Executive Director Shelby, NC 28151

Durham Community Land Trustees, Inc.

Ms. Selina Mack Executive Director Durham, NC 27701

EmPOWERment, Inc.

Ms. Delores Bailey Executive Director Chapel Hill, NC 27516

HandMade in America

Ms. Gwynne Rukenbrod Executive Director Asheville, NC 28801

Monroe - Union County CDC

Ms. Isabelle Gillespie Executive Director Monroe, NC 28111

Northeastern CDC

Ms. Maria Garcia Executive Director Camden, NC 27921 Cape Fear Regional CDC

Mr. Stan Turner Executive Director Wilmington, NC 28402

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Corporation of Mooresville/South Iredell

Mr. Jim King Executive Director Mooresville, NC 28115

East Carolina Community Development,

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Housing Assistance Corporation

Mr. Patrick Kennedy Executive Director Hendersonville, NC 28793-2057

Kingdom CDC

Mr. J. Carl Manning Executive Director Fayetteville, NC 28301

Mountain Housing Opportunities

Mr. Scott Dedman Executive Director Asheville, NC 28801

Passage Home, Inc.

Ms. Jeanne Tedrow Executive Director Raleigh, NC 27603

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Outer Banks CDC

Mr. Charles (Chuck) Poe Executive Director Kill Devil Hills, NC 27948

Rebuilding Broken Places CDC

Mr. John Barnes Executive Director Goldsboro, NC 27530

UDI

Mr. Ed Stewart President and CEO Durham, NC 27713

Prosperity Unlimited, Inc.

Ms. Louise Mack Executive Director Kannapolis, NC 28083

Rocky Mount/Edgecombe CDC

Ms. Joyce Dickens President Rocky Mount, NC 27801

WCIA

Ms. Barbara Blackston Executive Director Wilson, NC 27893

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STRATEGIC TRANSITIONAL INVESTMENTS

Davidson Housing Coalition

Marcia Webster Executive Director Davidson, NC 28036

Lexington Housing CDC

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Robeson County Community
Development Corporation, Inc.

Gayle Fernandez Executive Director Rowland, NC 28383 Goler Community Development Corp.

Michael Suggs Executive Director Winston-Salem, NC 27101

Liberty CDC

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Unity Builders, Inc.

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