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## **2025 CEDS Update**New Project Submission Form

Regional Economic Development Center of Southern New Hampshire (REDC) submits an annual Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS) plan to the U.S. Department of Commerce, Economic Development Administration. The CEDS includes a Priority Project list of local and regionally significant economic development construction, planning, and program projects. If your community/agency would like to submit a new project for consideration, please use this form.

The form is designed to provide information on potential CEDS Priority Projects in a simple, straightforward manner. Each individual project should have a separate form in order to be considered for this year's CEDS Priority Project List.

Name/Title of Project:	
Location of Project:	
Sponsoring Community/Organization:	
Contact Person & Title:	
Phone:	
EmailAddress:	
Submittal Date:	

Deadline for Submission: February 28, 2025

Please submit form via: Email to: jennifer@redc.com

Mail to: REDC

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## Part I:

1.	Please describe the scope of work for this project. Include a project description and an estimate of jobs created and/or retained. Attach additional sheets if necessary.
	Is the project within an identified Brownfield and/or Superfund site? Yes No
2.	What is the start/end date of the project? If the project occurs in phases, please list timeline by phases.
3.	What is the total project cost? If the project is in phases, please split the costs by phase.
4.	What are the proposed funding sources for the project? If unknown, please state potential funding sources.
5.	What organization/s will be responsible for the development and completion of the project?

## **PART II:**

In order for a project to be considered for the Priority Project List, it must be consistent with the CEDS Goals & Objectives. This section is used to determine if the proposed project meets the CEDS Priority Project selection criteria. A project is required to meet at least one of the four economic development goals; however it is not required to meet all four goals. Attach additional sheets as necessary.

Please indicate which goal/s the proposed project addresses and how the project will meet the goal and specific objectives. For more detail on each goal, including specific objectives, please refer to the 2024 CEDS.

**Infrastructure Development:** To invest in infrastructure planning and improvements such as roads, bridges, walkable communities, water and wastewater systems, broadband, energy networks, and multimodal transportation systems that will strengthen and diversify the regional economy, promote economic resiliency, and strengthen the region's adaptation to climate change.

**Workforce Attraction & Retention:** To attract and retain a skilled workforce by providing the necessary support in the form of housing, education and training, networking, transportation options, and cultural/social opportunities.

<b>Housing:</b> To develop diversified housing options for people of all incomes, ages, and lifestyles.
<b>Sustainable Living:</b> To foster a strong sense of community and maintain the unique qualities of life in southern New Hampshire through sustainable living best management practices, including the preservation of natural and historic resources and a balanced approach to economic development and resiliency.