

REGIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AGENCIES BY SPECIALTY

Idea/Concept

Start-up/Attraction

Sustainability

Growth/Expansion



ACTIVITY

Elements of a professional or commercial nature are thoroughly examined for potential viability.

Funds are provided for business activities, such as purchasing and investing.

Programs are centered on the attraction of new businesses to an area with the intention of diversifying that area's economic base.

Resources are provided to small businesses (fewer than 500 employees) and entrepreneurs for success in the global marketplace.

An interconnected set of employment solutions are provided to meet employment needs.

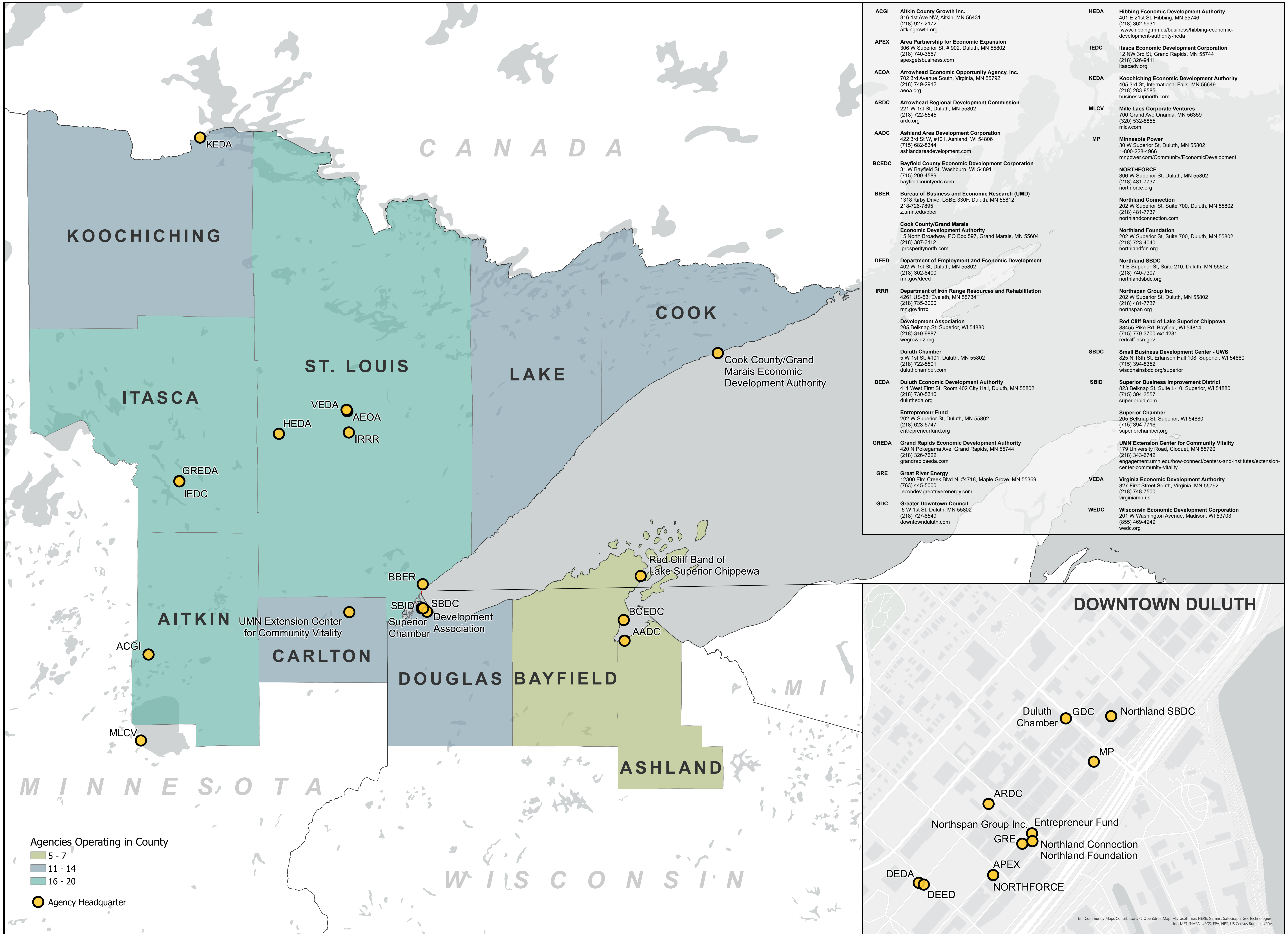
Social, economic, and environmental outcomes are prioritized to strengthen civil society.

Strategic connections are leveraged between business and government to improve business climate.

A business development strategy designed for stakeholders to understand and respond to local business needs.

AGENCY

- Area Partnership for Economic Expansion (APEX)
 - Arrowhead Regional Development Commission (ARDC)
 - Northland Small Bus. Dev. Ctr.(NL-SBDC)
 - NORTHFORCE
 - Northland Connection
 - Northspan Group Inc.
 - Small Business Development Center (SBDC) - UWS
 - UMD Bureau of Business and Economic Research
 - UMN Extension Community Vitality
- Aitkin County Growth Inc.
 - Arrowhead Econ. Opportunity Agency, Inc. (AEOA)
 - ARDC
 - Ashland Area Dev. Corp. (AADC)
 - Dept. of Iron Range Resources & Rehab. (IRRRB)
 - Entrepreneur Fund
 - Grand Rapids Econ. Dev. Auth.
 - Great River Energy
 - Hibbing Econ. Dev. Authority
 - NL-SBDC
 - Northland Foundation
 - Northspan Group Inc.
 - Virginia Economic Dev. Auth. (VEDA)
 - WI Econ. Dev. Corp. (WEDC)
- Aitkin County Growth Inc.
 - APEX
 - Dev. Association
 - Grand Rapids Econ. Dev. Auth.
 - Great River Energy
 - Greater Downtown Council
 - Hibbing Econ. Dev. Auth. (HEDA)
 - Itasca Econ. Dev. Corp. (IEDC)
 - Koochiching Econ. Dev. Auth.
 - Minnesota Power
 - Northland Connection
- AADC
 - AEOA
 - Bayfield Cty. Econ. Dev. Corp. (BCEDC)
 - Cook Cty./Grand Marais Econ. Dev. Association
 - NL-SBDC
 - Northland Foundation
 - SBDC - UWS
 - Superior Business Imprv. Dist.
 - Red Cliff Band of Lake Superior Chippewa
 - VEDA
- AEOA
 - Cook Cty./Grand Marais Econ. Dev. Auth.
 - DEED
 - IRRRB
 - NORTHFORCE
 - SBDC - UWS
- AEOA
 - ARDC
 - Cook Cty./Grand Marais Econ. Dev. Auth.
 - Duluth Chamber
 - Duluth Econ. Dev. Auth. (DEDA)
 - Dept. of Employment and Econ. Dev. (DEED)
 - Grand Rapids Econ. Dev. Auth.
 - IRRRB
 - KEDA
 - Northland Connection
 - Northspan Group Inc.
 - SBID
 - Superior Chamber
 - UMN Ext. Comm. Vitality
 - VEDA
 - WEDC
- APEX
 - BCEDC
 - Duluth Chamber
 - DEDA
 - Greater Downtown Council (GDC)
 - HEDA
 - MN Power
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 - Superior Chamber
- Aitkin Cty. Growth
 - APEX
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 - BCEDC
 - CED
 - DEED
 - Dev. Assn.
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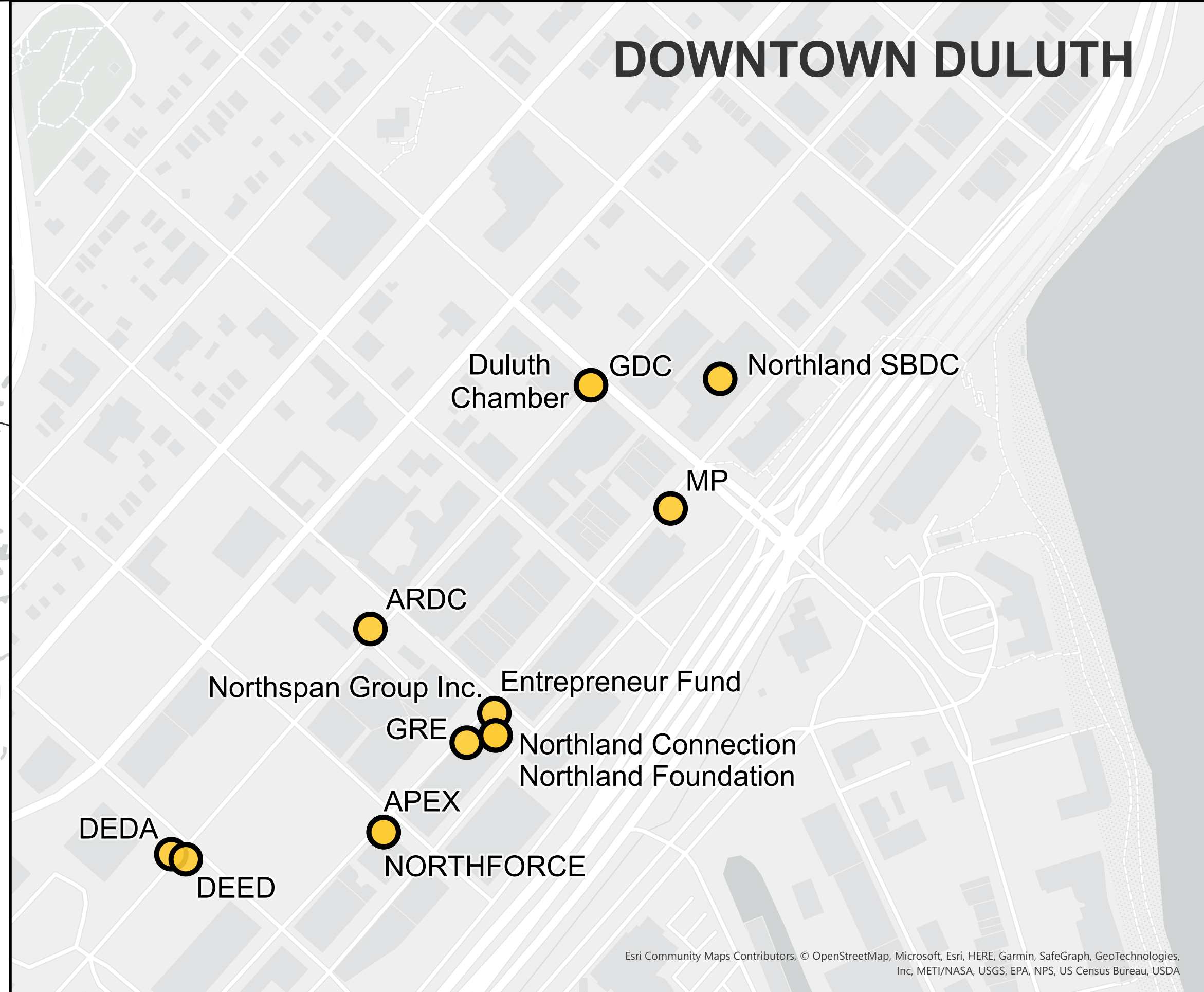


Agencies Operating in County

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- 11 - 14
- 16 - 20

● Agency Headquarter

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| <p>ACGI Aitkin County Growth Inc.
316 1st Ave NW, Aitkin, MN 56431
(218) 927-2172
aitkingrowth.org</p> <p>APEX Area Partnership for Economic Expansion
306 W Superior St, #902, Duluth, MN 55802
(218) 740-3667
apexgetsbusiness.com</p> <p>AEOA Arrowhead Economic Opportunity Agency, Inc.
702 3rd Avenue South, Virginia, MN 55792
(218) 749-2912
aeoa.org</p> <p>ARDC Arrowhead Regional Development Commission
221 W 1st St, Duluth, MN 55802
(218) 722-5545
ardc.org</p> <p>AADC Ashland Area Development Corporation
422 3rd St W, #101, Ashland, WI 54806
(715) 682-8344
ashlandareadevelopment.com</p> <p>BCEDC Bayfield County Economic Development Corporation
31 W Bayfield St, Washburn, WI 54891
(715) 209-4569
bayfieldcountyedc.com</p> <p>BBER Bureau of Business and Economic Research (UMD)
1318 Kirby Drive, LSBE 330F, Duluth, MN 55812
218-726-7895
z.umn.edu/bber</p> <p>Cook County/Grand Marais Economic Development Authority
15 North Broadway, P.O. Box 597, Grand Marais, MN 55604
(218) 387-3112
prosperitynorth.com</p> <p>DEED Department of Employment and Economic Development
402 W 1st St, Duluth, MN 55802
(218) 302-8400
mn.gov/deed</p> <p>IRRR Department of Iron Range Resources and Rehabilitation
4261 US-53, Eveleth, MN 55734
(218) 735-3000
mn.gov/irrrb</p> <p>Development Association
205 Belknap St, Superior, WI 54880
(218) 310-9887
wegrowbiz.org</p> <p>Duluth Chamber
5 W 1st St, #101, Duluth, MN 55802
(218) 722-5501
duluthchamber.com</p> <p>DEDA Duluth Economic Development Authority
411 West First St, Room 402 City Hall, Duluth, MN 55802
(218) 730-5310
dulutheda.org</p> <p>Entrepreneur Fund
202 W Superior St, Duluth, MN 55802
(218) 623-5747
entrepreneurfund.org</p> <p>GREDA Grand Rapids Economic Development Authority
420 N Pokegama Ave, Grand Rapids, MN 55744
(218) 326-7622
grandrapidseda.com</p> <p>GRE Great River Energy
12300 Elm Creek Blvd N, #4718, Maple Grove, MN 55369
(763) 445-5000
econdev.greatriverenergy.com</p> <p>GDC Greater Downtown Council
5 W 1st St, Duluth, MN 55802
(218) 727-8549
downtownduluth.com</p> | <p>HEDA Hibbing Economic Development Authority
401 E 21st St, Hibbing, MN 55746
(218) 362-5931
www.hibbing.mn.us/business/hibbing-economic-development-authority-heda</p> <p>IEDC Itasca Economic Development Corporation
12 NW 3rd St, Grand Rapids, MN 55744
(218) 326-9411
itascadv.org</p> <p>KEDA Koochiching Economic Development Authority
405 3rd St, International Falls, MN 56649
(218) 283-8585
businessupnorth.com</p> <p>MLCV Mille Lacs Corporate Ventures
700 Grand Ave Onamia, MN 56359
(320) 532-8855
mlcv.com</p> <p>MP Minnesota Power
30 W Superior St, Duluth, MN 55802
1-800-228-4886
mnpower.com/Community/EconomicDevelopment</p> <p>NORTHFORCE
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(218) 481-7737
northforce.org</p> <p>Northland Connection
232 W Superior St, Suite 700, Duluth, MN 55802
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northlandconnection.com</p> <p>Northland Foundation
232 W Superior St, Suite 700, Duluth, MN 55802
(218) 723-4040
northlandfdn.org</p> <p>Northland SBDC
11 E Superior St, Suite 210, Duluth, MN 55802
(218) 740-7307
northlandsbdc.org</p> <p>Northspan Group Inc.
202 W Superior St, Duluth, MN 55802
(218) 481-7737
northspan.org</p> <p>Red Cliff Band of Lake Superior Chippewa
89455 Pike Rd, Bayfield, WI 54814
(715) 779-3700 ext 4281
redcliff-nsn.gov</p> <p>SBDC Small Business Development Center - UWS
825 N 18th St, Erlanson Hall 108, Superior, WI 54880
(715) 394-8352
wisconsinsbdc.org/superior</p> <p>SBID Superior Business Improvement District
823 Belknap St, Suite L-10, Superior, WI 54880
(715) 394-3557
superiorbid.com</p> <p>Superior Chamber
205 Belknap St, Superior, WI 54880
(715) 394-7716
superiorchamber.org</p> <p>UMN Extension Center for Community Vitality
179 University Road, Cloquet, MN 55720
(218) 343-6742
engagement.umn.edu/how-connect/centers-and-institutes/extension-center-community-vitality</p> <p>VEDA Virginia Economic Development Authority
327 First Street South, Virginia, MN 55792
(218) 748-7500
virginiamn.us</p> <p>WEDC Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation
201 W Washington Avenue, Madison, WI 53703
(855) 469-4249
wedc.org</p> |
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