

# LONG ISLAND REGIONAL COUNCIL – ROUND 1 PROGRESS



# LONG ISLAND REGIONAL STRATEGIES

- ▶ Create a cohesive education and workforce training strategy through partnerships among a range of stakeholders
- ▶ Develop innovation and industry clusters in transformative locations across the region
- ▶ Enhance and develop multi-faceted, interdisciplinary facilities aimed at incubating and accelerating the commercialization of innovative products
- ▶ Develop a new generation of sustainable, well-paying jobs in the legacy sectors of agriculture, aquaculture, fisheries and tourism
- ▶ Rebuild and expand infrastructure to improve job access, revitalize downtowns and transit hubs, and attract and retain dynamic regional businesses and a highly skilled workforce.
- ▶ With these objectives in mind the Long Island region selected 13 transformative projects that would further the implementation of these strategies.
- ▶ They emanated from 4 primary work groups that we created.

# NATURAL ASSETS



# WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT



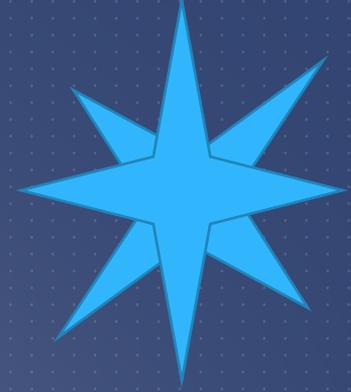
# INNOVATION



# INFRASTRUCTURE



# Early Successes...

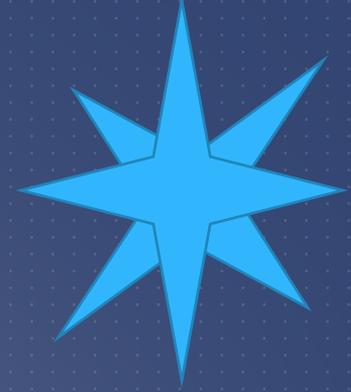


## BAY SCALLOP RESTORATION

- ▶ Regional Council support of the Peconic Bay scallop restoration initiative led by Cornell Cooperative Extension has made the first repopulation effort possible.
- ▶ State funds have resulted in increased production of scallops in the hatchery and researchers have expanded their long-line grow-out system which is located in Orient Harbor.
- ▶ Reseeding event June 15, 2012.



# AGRI PARK



- ▶ Thanks to the LIRC's identification of this project as a Priority, and award of a \$500,000 grant, farms on the east end of Long Island will very soon have access to a cold storage facility that will permit them to sell their products in markets outside Suffolk County, such as New York City.
- ▶ Ribbon-cutting event July 27, 2012.



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# INVESTMENTS IN OUR WORKFORCE

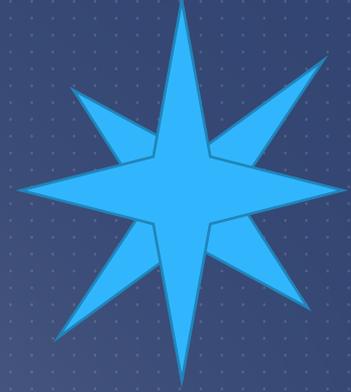
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# ENGINE

- ▶ **Job Creation:** 50 construction jobs; 7 permanent jobs
- ▶ **Implementation:** 2012-2013 academic year
- ▶ **Leveraging:** \$2 million (State challenge funding) over \$60 project cost (lab equipment, facility rehab, faculty hires)
- ▶ Increased graduation rates in STEM disciplines by 15% over 3 years

# STEM



# STEM

- ▶ **Job Creation:** Approximately 500 permanent jobs projected
- ▶ **Implementation:** All 6 STEM Projects have been implemented ahead of schedule.
- ▶ **Leveraging:** \$2.2 million (State funding) leveraging \$25 million in Long Island's future workforce.



# AMNEAL PHARMACEUTICALS EXPANSION



- ▶ **Job Creation:** 100 construction jobs; 400 permanent jobs; 700 retained jobs.
- ▶ **Implementation:** With state support, construction can begin fall 2012 with project phases to be completed in 2013 and 2014.
- ▶ **Leveraging:** \$3 million in state funding for capital purposes is leveraging \$60 million in private investment.
- ▶ **Groundbreaking Event:** June 15, 2012.



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# COLD SPRING HARBOR LAB ADVANCED DRUG TESTING FACILITY

- ▶ **Job Creation:** 85 construction jobs; 30 permanent jobs.
- ▶ **Implementation:** Shovel ready, permits pending; capital campaign concluded by June 2012; projected project completion date June 2014
- ▶ **Leveraging:** State investment of \$2 million for capital purposes related to \$90 million project.
- ▶ Kickoff event September 12, 2012.



Cold  
Spring  
Harbor  
Laboratory



# HEMPSTEAD VILLAGE RENAISSANCE

- ▶ Aging sewer pipe replacement to facilitate **\$2 billion** in private investment including **5,000,000** sf of commercial, residential and entertainment space.
- ▶ Long-term job creation: **10,000** construction and **3,400** permanent.
- ▶ Round I \$5M grant-funded investigation of existing conditions, design and engineering underway; construction fall 2012 – spring 2013.



# WYANDANCH RISING

- ▶ 1,700 construction jobs
- ▶ 150 permanent jobs
- ▶ \$6 million in State funding to leverage \$500 million of private funding



# EXCELSIOR TAX CREDIT PROGRAM

- 9 of 10 projects are in contract; 1 pending.
- \$24,606,825 total tax credits leveraging \$201,640,400 in private sector investment representing nearly 90% of the total funding.

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# INSTITUTIONAL COLLABORATION

## ACCELERATE LONG ISLAND



# RONKONKOMA HUB

- ▶ BIPARTISAN SUPPORT AND LEADERSHIP PROVIDED BY THE TOWNS OF BROOKHAVEN AND ISLIP AND THE COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.



**GOALS FOR ROUND 2**

**IMPLEMENTATION AND  
PERFORMANCE MEASURES**

**WHAT WE WILL ACHIEVE ON LONG  
ISLAND**

