



2018 ANNUAL REPORT

DCA's efforts in 2018 resulted in significant progress in the growth of quality jobs and capital investment in Austin.

### 2018 Highlights

- 1. Austin Community Recreation Center construction is on track and on budget for completion by early 2020. DCA supporting organization, Austin Community Growth Ventures, owns the Rec Center and will gift the facility to the City of Austin upon completion.
- 2. While there has been no official announcement, DCA provided comprehensive assistance to a new company planning to begin operations at the former Bellisio facility. This will create dozens of new jobs and bring substantial new business to local contractors and service providers.
- 3. Small Business Development Center had a record year for Austin serving 40 businesses/individual clients, guiding the establishment of 7 start-ups, and helping with \$342,000 in new investment.
- 4. The Austin Co- working space opened in June of 2018. Since that time, we have conducted 3 cohorts for the Austin StartUp Factory serving 7 companies/businesses. Currently, we have 4 paid memberships for Launch; 2 private offices and 2 drop-in members. Also, a new company out of the Hormel Institute, Austin BioSciences LLC (ABS) continues on the path to commercialization. Dr. DaQing Yang is in the process of licensing the technology from UMN.

#### 2019 Top Priorities for the Year Ahead

To foster growth of local businesses and encourage economic development in Austin, DCA adopted the following strategic priorities for 2019:

- 1. In partnership with Agricultural Utilization Research Institute, Riverland and others, assess the needs of regional, ready-to-scale food and beverage companies and possibly develop in Austin a manufacturing space that provides flexible production capacity, entrepreneurial support, and incubator space for small companies poised to scale up.
- 2. Maximize funding opportunities such as Federal Economic Development Administration grant, foundations, New Market Tax Credits, and Opportunity Zones to attract high economic impact projects to the Austin area.
- 3. Initiate and help lead a collaborative program to increase awareness and use of community assets and economic development programs such as the SBDC, Startup Factory, Opportunity Zones, etc. to grow local businesses and encourage development of new businesses in the Austin area.
- 4. Work with DCA members and community businesses to grow by 10% funding for the SBDC, Launch, the Startup Factory, the Austin Area Minority Business Project and other DCA initiatives.

Your support of DCA and its affiliated nonprofits (Austin Community Charitable Fund and Austin Community Growth Ventures) is helping build a stronger, more diverse local economy. Thank you!

Sincerely,

Shelley King DCA Board Chair John Garry DCA President

# **2018 Sustaining/Contributing Members & Supporters**

#### **SUSTAINING**

### Platinum \$5000+

- \*Austin Housing & Redevelopment Authority
- \*Austin Utilities
- \*Astrup Family Foundation
- \*City of Austin
- \*Hormel Foods Corporation
- \*Mayo Clinic Health System-A. Lea & Austin

## Gold \$2500+

- \*Akkerman Inc
- \*Bremer Bank
- \*Cooperative Response Center Inc
- \*McGough Construction
- \*Quality Pork Processors
- \*The Joseph Company Inc
- \*Ulland Brothers Inc
- \*US Bank

### Silver \$1000+

- \*Adams, Rizzi & Sween
- \*Baudler Law Office
- \*CliftonLarsonAllen
- \*Damel Corporation
- \*First Farmers & Merchants Bank
- \*Fox Electric Co
- \*Hoversten, Johnson, Beckman & Hovey, LLP
- \*IBI Data
- \*McFarland Truck Lines Inc.
- \*MI O'Connor Inc.
- \*Ready Mix Concrete Co
- \*RSP Architects Ltd
- \*Wealth Management Solutions-Ameriprise
- \*Wells Fargo

#### Bronze \$500+

Accentra Credit Union

**BWBR** 

\*Clasen-Jordan Mortuary

Family Eye Care Center

\*Freeborn-Mower Cooperative Services

\*Games People Play

Harty Mechanical Inc.

Home Federal Savings Bank

Reichel Foods

## Contributing \$350+

**Austin Chamber of Commerce** 

Cedar Valley Services

**Grove Street LLC** 

Heartman Insurance

Nelson Dental

Potach & Mitchell Dental Clinic

Riverland Community College

State Farm Insurance - Greg Meyer

Sterling State Bank

Tecstra

The Hormel Institute/Univ. of MN

WHV Inc.

Worlein Funeral Home

## Individual \$100+

Crandall, Dave

Dolan's Landscaping

Innovision Eye Care

Overby Orthodontics-Eric Overby

Mark Thein

## \* 2018 Members/Supporters that have contributed \$5000 or more since DCA was launched

## Founding Members Initially contributed \$5000 or more to help launch DCA

Anderson Memorials, Inc.
Ankeny Mini-Marts
Austin Education Association
Austin Veterinary Clinic
Bell Liquor Store
Brick Furniture-Austin
City Concrete Co.

Coca-Cola Bottling Company Elrod & Green, DDS

Greenman Heating & Refrigeration

Hanson Tire Service

Hill Heating, Cooling & Roofing, Inc.

Hormel Foundation

Hy-Vee Food Store – Austin

JD Driver Ltd Jones Cabinets KAUS Radio KSMQ Television Laurence Nace

Minnesota Freezer Warehouse

Nick Kolas
Oak Park Mall
Overby Orthodontics
Ray Ondov

Rich Flack Richard Nordin

Reeve Chiropractic Clinic

RSP

Schammel Electric, Inc.
Shopko – Austin

Southern Minnesota Rail Shippers

TradeExpos, Inc. Usem Inc.

Weyerhaeuser Paper Co. - Austin

## **Financial Performance**

**Mission Statement:** The mission of the DCA is to aggressively support new or existing industrial and other commercial enterprises for the economic betterment of Austin and Mower County.

Development Corporation of Austin	2018	2017	Change 2017 to 2018
Assets Liabilities Equity	\$2,853.000 (1,397,000) \$1,456,000	\$ 3,090,000 (1,640,000) \$ 1,450,000	\$ (237,000) 243,000 \$ 6,000
Public Support Revenues Expenses Impairment Loss Change in Net Assets	\$ 125,000 354,000 (474,000) 	\$ 130,000 350,000 (480,000) —————————————————————————————————	\$ (5,000) 4,000 6,000 — - \$ 5,000
Austin Community Charitable Fund Assets Liabilities Equity  Revenues Expenses	\$\ \ \begin{align*} 1,358,000 \\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	\$ 680,000 (100,000) \$ 580,000 \$ 400,000 (170,000)	\$ 678,000 (908,000) \$ (230,000) \$ 866,000 (1,329,000)
Change in Net Assets  Austin Community Growth Ventures Assets Liabilities	\$ (233,000) \$ (233,000) \$ 16,518,000 (1,372,000)	\$ 230,000 \$ 1,157,000 (277,000)	\$ (463,000) \$ (463,000) \$ 15,361,000 (1,095,000)
Equity  Revenues  Expenses  Change in Net Assets	\$ 15,146,000 \$ 13,557,000	\$ 880,000 \$ 1,919,000 (1,077,000) \$ 842,000	\$ 14,266,000 \$ 11,638,000

The Development Corporation of Austin(DCA) is a 501c6 nonprofit organization. Revenue is from DCA members, public entities, lease revenue and grants. The Austin Community Charitable Fund (ACCF), a 501c3charitable organization, is a supporting organization of DCA. A portion of ACCF funds are restricted to Vision 2020 activities and operations. Austin Community Growth Ventures (ACGV), a 501c3, is a nonprofit organization to support ACCF. DCA, ACCF and ACGV are independently audited annually.

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