Economic Development Jurisdictional Scan

City/Country	Highlights	Priority Sectors	Common Links		
	Canada				
Burnaby, Canada Economic Strategy: Burnaby - 2020 Burnaby Economic Development Strategy	Ties together elements of the community - social, physical and economic to form a holistic economic development strategy.	 Information technology Biotech and life sciences Media Education Environmental technology Light and heavy industrial Agriculture 	 Technology and innovation Biotechnology Education Environmental technology Financy Warehousing and logistics Heavy industrial 		
Calgary, Canada Economic Strategy: Calgary - 2019 Calgary in the New Economy	1800 CEOs participated in the formation of Calgary's strategy which focuses on: Talent, Innovation, Business Environment and Place.	 Aerospace & logistics Agribusiness Creative industries Energy Financial services Interactive digital media Life sciences Technology 	 Logistics Agribusiness Creative industries Energy Financial services Interactive digital media Life sciences Technology Similar in size 		

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Montreal, Canada Economic Strategy: Montreal Geared up for Tomorrow	Concentration on limiting urban spread and fostering an integrated approach to territorial development.	 Cultural and creative industries Life sciences and health technologies Digital industry Mobility and transport Cleantech Manufacturing 	 Creative industries Innovation Manufacturing Life sciences and health technologies
Ottawa, Canada Economic Strategy: Economic Development Areas of Focus (Website)	Leveraging knowledge-based sector, private and public, to create high paying jobs.	 Knowledge-based industries Leveraging private and public research institutions. Tourism and creative industries Rural economy Business Improvement Areas 	 Knowledge industries Tourism and creative industries Business Improvement Areas. Similar size with a large government sector.
Quebec City, Canada Economic Strategy: A Vibrant City (Website)	A five year plan directed at entrepreneurial innovation, finance, growth and support services. Goal to make Quebec City an entrepreneurial hub.	 Start ups Research Technology commercialization Tourism Digital media 	 Focus on regional successes Abundant natural resources High tech clusters Access to international markets

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Saskatoon, Canada Economic Strategy: Saskatoon - Growing Together	Identify the opportunities to support the use of innovation to advance natural resource sectors, particularly in sustainability.	 Education aimed at indigenous people Natural resource based Oil Potash Uranium Wheat Lentils Canola 	 Focus on regional economic development Energy and resource rich Target innovation and talent attraction Large indigenous population
Toronto, Canada Economic Strategy: Economic Development and Culture Divisional Strategy	Four focus areas. Inclusion and equity, talent and innovation, space and access, and operational excellence.	 Film Life sciences Food and beverage processing green/greentech Aerospace Financial services Fashion Design Information and smart city technology Education 	 Education. Financial services Information and smart city

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Vancouver, Canada Economic Strategy: Vancouver - 2011 An Economic Development Plan for the City	Leveraging relationships with surrounding municipalities to enhance economic benefits for all.	 Transportation Real estate Film and television Tourism Construction 	 Resource based industry Education Green City Transportation
Victoria, Canada Economic Strategy: Victoria - 2020-2041 Recovery Reinvention Resilience	Supports small businesses while in conjunction preparing for a global economy.	 Advanced technology Tourism Education Large public sector 	 Tourism Large public sector base Innovation

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Windsor, Canada Economic Strategy: Windsor - 2018-2022 Five Year Strategic Plan	Focus is on promoting a workforce and industry that is more tech savvy.	 Agri-business Food processing Advanced manufacturing Health and life sciences Information technology Logistics and warehousing Cross - border technology Professional services 	 Agribusiness Cannabis Manufacturing Health and life sciences Warehousing and logistics
Winnipeg, Canada Economic Strategy: Economic Development Winnipeg (Website)	A private sector led initiative with the goal of growing Winnipeg's Innovation ecosystem.	 Advanced manufacturing Aerospace Agribusiness Information and communications technology Creative Energy and environment Financial services Life sciences Tourism Logistics 	 Advanced manufacturing Agribusiness Information communication technologies Creative Energy and environment Financial services Life sciences Tourism Logistics

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United States				
Dallas, USA Economic Strategy: Dallas - 2020 Dallas Regional Economic Development Guide (Website)	Innovation fund for tech startups, office campus clusters (Industrial Communities, more focused for office).	 Innovation Corporate headquarters Professional services Telecom Data centers 	 Low cost of living Education Regional partnerships Heavy airport cargo traffic Trucking and rail hub 	
Denver, USA Economic Strategy: Denver 2017 - JumpStart	To maintain a relationship management database of the top influential businesses in the city. Assign a rep to each and manage the relationship closely.	 Aerospace Broadcast and telecommunications Healthcare and wellness Financial services Bioscience Energy Information technologies software 	 Healthcare Financial services Energy Bioscience 	

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Houston, USA Economic Strategy: Houston - 2020 Houston Business Insider	Houston understands the upcoming downfall to their energy-based sector and is leading the Energy Transition toward greener technologies.	 Healthcare and life science Energy Manufacturing Logistics Space (NASA) 	 Energy (oil and gas) Focusing on green energy Education Regional economic development Innovation Arts and culture Green City
Kansas, USA Economic Strategy: Kansas - 2019 Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy Plan	The plan is a comprehensive plan that accounts for 119 municipalities in nine counties spanning 4,400 square miles in two states.	 Advanced manufacturing Corporate and professional services Logistics and distribution Food processing and manufacturing Aerospace and defense Animal health Bioscience Agriculture Energy and natural resources 	 Strategy is for regional metro Kansas City growth Similar mid-sized population

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Memphis, USA Economic Strategy: Memphis - 2017 Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy	Regional collaboration, target industry marketing, workforce development and infrastructure development.	 Advanced manufacturing Agribusiness and technology Corporate and professional services 	Logistics hub, however Memphis relies heavily on FEDEX as its logistics anchor. Also of note is the regional governance strategy: "Develop New Capacity and Governance for Regional Development"
Portland, USA Economic Strategy: Portland - 2019 Economic Development	Local Development Review System (LDRS) for new and non - residential developments that is nimble, predictable and fair.	 High technology industry Manufacturing athletic/outdoor apparel Healthcare Wholesale trade Software IT growth Educating and training (30 higher education institutions) 	 Energy and Clean Tech Tourism Innovation districts

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Salt Lake City, USA	Surveyed 800 businesses assessing challenges, opportunities and	Outdoor productsAerospace and defenseInformation technologies	Education servicesManufacturing and distribution
Salt Lake City - 2017 - 2020 Strategic Economic Development Plan	perceptions, as well as 242 in person visits. Comprehensive plan using large amounts of quantitative and qualitative data.	 Manufacturing Health sciences Financial services 	Young age demographic

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