

# Community Building Consortium

The collective professional expertise of GPEC's councils and advisory groups helps shape the organization's key initiatives, leverages connections to further job creation and competitiveness efforts, and supports the implementation of programs.

#### Mission

Apply the expertise of our private-sector partners to help capture business development opportunities and increase the region's transactional capabilities.

#### **FY20 Goals and Activities**

For the upcoming year, CBC will cover the following topics each quarter to gain a better understanding of the region and how to enhance its competitiveness. Topics will be covered in the form of a presentation, guest speaker and/or panel discussion.

- 01. Industry Ecosystems
- 02. The Connected Place
- 03. Modern Economy Plan
- 04. Projects Wins & Losses Analysis
- 05. Unique Regional Trends

GPEC staff will provide an overview of the region's Industry Ecosystems to

CBC and will evaluate the region's Industry Ecosystems to determine our strengths and weaknesses, and capture qualitative information.

Together with GPEC staff, the CBC members will examine the branding and marketing efforts of The Connected Place, and learn about new tools used to track and identify prospects.

GPEC staff will provide an analysis and overview of active projects in the pipeline that are likely to announce their expansion plans in the Greater Phoenix region.

The CBC will assist in providing a comprehensive inventory of available sites throughout Greater Phoenix in order to market those spaces to potential locates.

Together with GPEC staff, CBC members will review why the region recently won or lost a project while helping shed light on the company's decision-making factors.

The CBC will provide input on unique commercial trends taking place in our community with a focus on how we can improve our ability to attract business to all parts of our region.

#### **Members**

- Aerotek
- Alliance Bank of Arizona
- APS
- Archicon Architecture and Interiors,
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- · Arizona State University
- BRYCON Construction
- · Brookfield Residential
- Caliber Companies
- CBRE
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- JP Morgan Chase
- Kitchell
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- Mutual of Omaha Bank
- National Bank of Arizona
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- · Sherman & Howard
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