

## **BUSINESS ACTIVITIES ELIGIBLE FOR EDP FUNDING**

- **Manufacturing**
  - Apparel and Finished Fabrics
  - Cannabis Cultivation / Extraction production (Must possess an Illinois cannabis license)
  - Chemical and Chemical Products
  - Computer Equipment
  - Electronic Equipment and Components
  - Fabricated Metal Products
  - Fine-Quality Instruments
  - Furniture and Fixtures
  - Industrial and Commercial Machinery
  - Leather and Leather Products
  - Measuring and Control Instruments
  - Medical and Pharmaceutical Products
  - Paper Products
  - Petroleum and Other Fuel Products
  - Printing and Publishing
  - Primary Metal Products
  - Processed Foods and Food Products
  - Rubber and Plastic Products
  - Stone and Clay-Based Products
  - Transportation Equipment
  - Textile Product
  - Wood Products
  
- **Warehouse and Distribution Centers**
  - Major traffic generators (requiring traffic study information and warranted needs)
  - Major intermodal terminals (planned with co-location of major industrial development and ancillary warehouse/distribution activities)
  
- **Business Service Centers (Requiring minimum employment levels)**
  - Regional (Multi-State) Data Processing Centers
  - Regional (Multi-State) Call Centers
  - Research and Technology Facilities for Manufactured Products

- **Major Tourism and Entertainment Venues**

- Proposed facility must submit a comprehensive feasibility study analyzing / identifying economic impact (direct / indirect), activities / events, attendance levels, market draw, operational and time feasibility factors.
- The total investment of the proposed project must exceed \$25 million.
- The facility must include a minimum parking capacity for 1,500 vehicles.
- The facility must reach and maintain an annual minimum attendance of 50,000 visitors.
- The facility must have a statewide or multiple market draw.
- The facility must have the ability to host multiple activities / events throughout the year.
- The approved venue project must be operational within 5 years of the award.
- Entity has a dedicated sales/marketing strategy to market the facility for events and has relationship with local Destination Marketing Organization (DMO).