



**Alabama Communities in Excellence  
Region 1**

July 20, 2018  
Montevallo, AL

# Overview of Region 1

13 Counties

Population: 1,134,607

(23.3% of Alabama's Population)

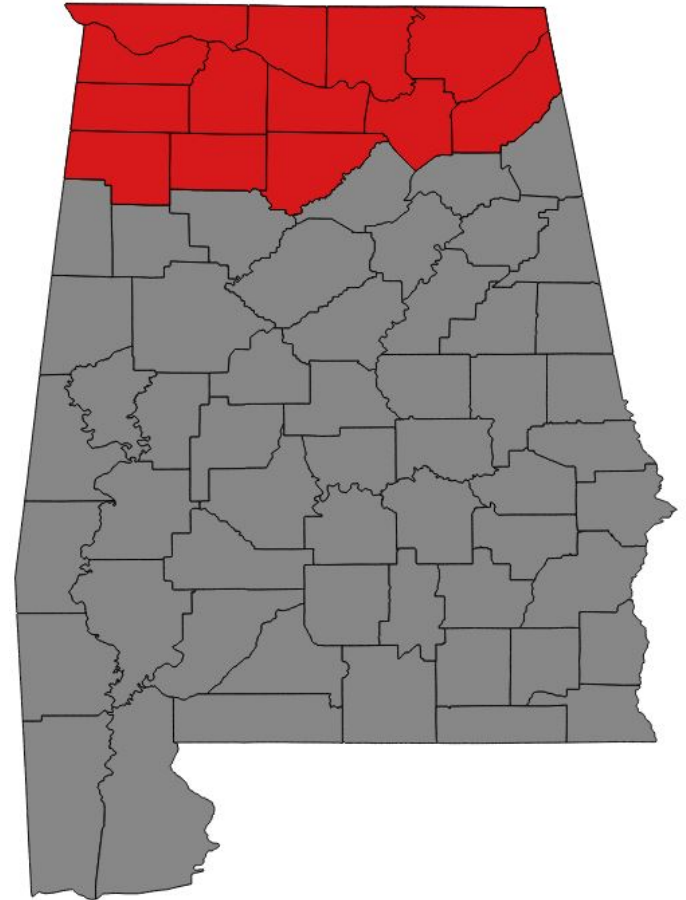
35% of the State's Annual  
Population Growth

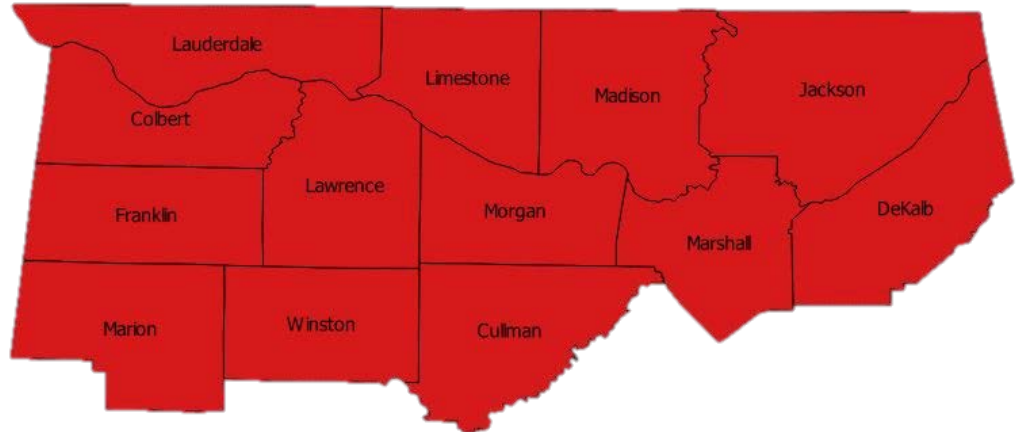
23.5% of the State's Labor Force

7 Community Colleges

31 EDA/Chamber Organizations

(Source: JobsEQ, North Alabama Industrial  
Development Association)





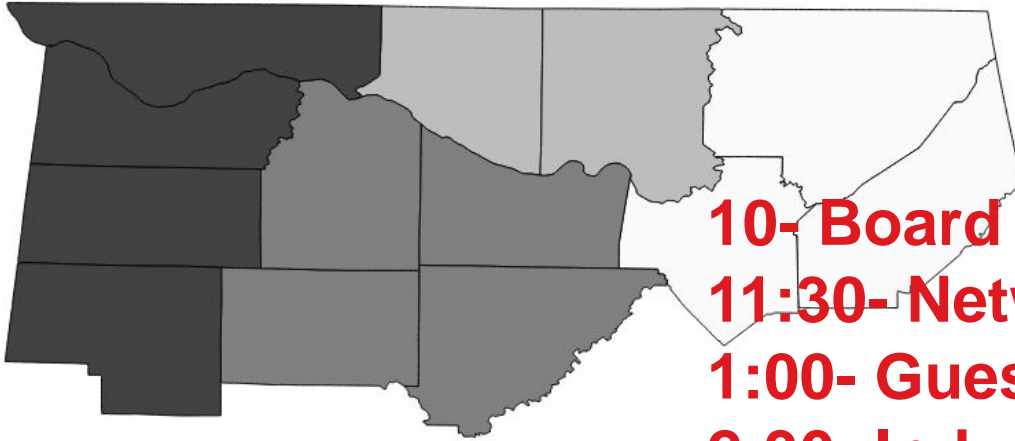
# What does the Council Do?

## Goal #1:

- Work with Business and Industry to identify their needs.
- Develop and implement strategies to fill those needs.



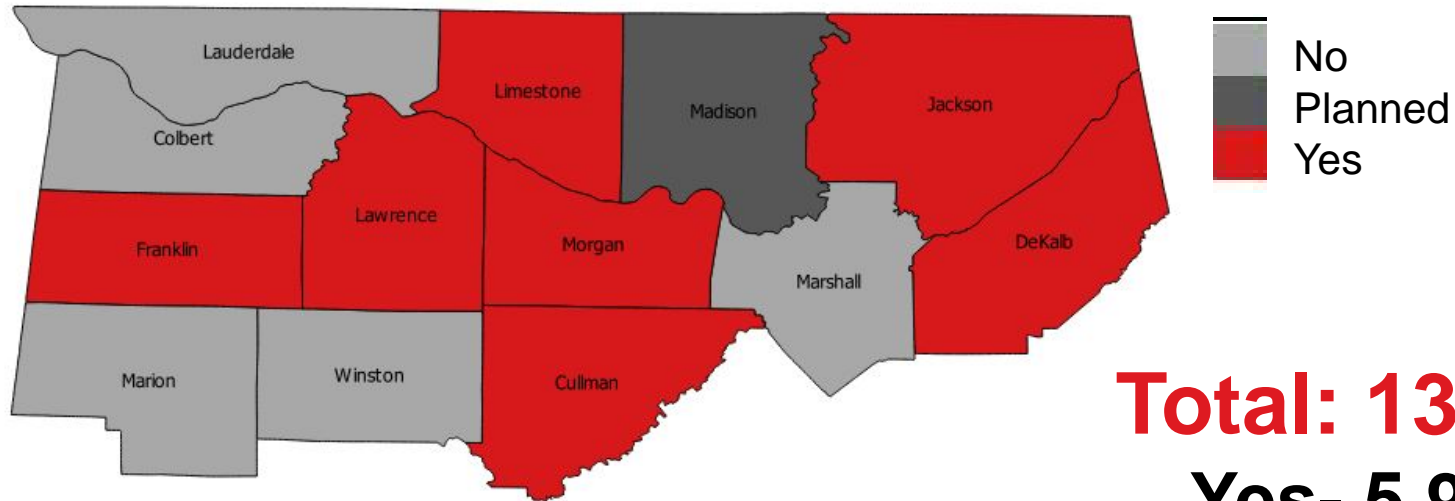
# Quarterly Workforce Summits



**10- Board of Directors Meeting**  
**11:30- Networking Lunch**  
**1:00- Guest Speakers**  
**2:30- Industry Clusters**



# K-12 Outreach for Future Workforce



**Total: 13,498**  
**Yes- 5,922**  
**Planned- 3,977**  
**No- 3,599**

- Career Coach Days
- Worlds of Work type events
- Education Coordination Meetings

# Industry Clusters

- Advanced Manufacturing
- Healthcare
- Construction
- Transportation/Logistics
- Cyber/IT



# Requests for Training (RFTs)

## ADVANCED MANUFACTURING

Focused Needs (Industrial Maintenance, Welding, Tool and Die)

Injection Molding

## CONSTRUCTION

Basic Carpentry

Structural Welding

## HEALTHCARE

Healthcare Success Coach

Focused Needs (RN, LPN, CNA, and Surgical Technicians)





# Training Grants Recieved

**2017 Total  
Awarded**

**\$2,090,567**

**2018 Total  
Requested**

**\$2,218,022**

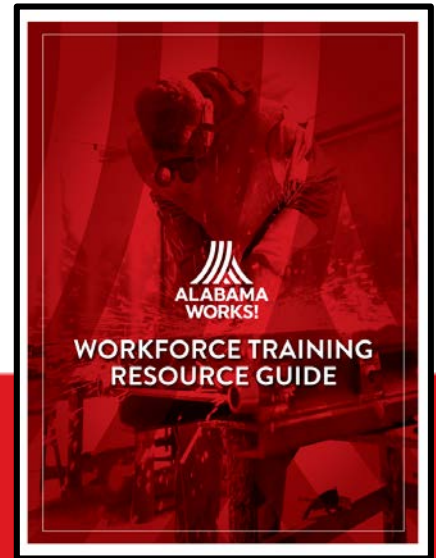
**WIOA Occupational Skills RFPs**



# Support & Outreach Efforts



- Economic Development Coordination Meetings
- County Business and Industry Outreach Meetings
- EITP Grants
- Apprenticeship Alabama
- Incumbent Worker
- Ready to Work



# QUESTIONS?

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