

| TALENT SUPPLY & EDUCATION PILLAR | | | | | | | | |
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| Project | Lead/Partners | Type | Resources | Status | 2015 Update | 2016 Update | 2017 Update | 2018 Update |
| Accelerated Education Programs | Educators | | TBD | On going | Brief discussion on the possibility of collecting data on the types of accelerated programs found in all 7 counties, to determine a baseline of information on these types of programs. No additional work completed to date. | Counties are making changes to accommodate these courses of study. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| | Comments: Example includes International Baccalaureate in all 7 counties | | | | | | | |
| 21st Century eLearning Platform Project | Jacksonville Office of Economic Development & Duval County Schools Partners : STIC Computing, LLC & AceApplications, LLC | Vital | TBD | No Progress | | Needs a Champion. | Needs a Champion. | Needs a Champion. |
| | Comments: Website: http://aceapplications.com/ | | | | | | | |
| Summit among the School Boards | NEFRC, School Boards, Educators, Corporate Sponsors, others | Regionally Significant | \$7,500 | Planning stages | Approach and timing are under discussion. | Interest from the Regional Leadership Academy in moving forward. Meeting to be held with DCSB Chair. | Needs a Champion. | Needs a Champion. |
| | Comments: Get all institutions together to talk about educational equity to meet the talent pool need. Provide tools so students are employable right after high school if they want: vocational training. Ask and assist educators with the best programs in the region to help replicate them in counties without them. Begin by convening a Summit among the School Boards to acknowledge the good work they do, and provide a regional forum and focus. Address: transferability of best practices, equity issues for domestic and foreign-born students, skills training, accelerated programs and technology. Output should be a specific action plan with support identified, and implementation. | | | | | | | |
| Capitalize on Veterans | JaxUSA Partnership, CareerSource | Vital | TBD | Planning stages | Researching current activity status of programs, processes, and projects related to this item. | VA selected Jacksonville as one of the first 25 areas to launch a Veterans Economic | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |

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| | | | | | | Communities Initiative. The City launched a portal on its website for companies looking to hire veterans to post information. There is a lot of activity in this area and coordination is needed. | | |
| | <p>Comments: Veterans are a highly desirable source of employees for existing Jacksonville businesses and businesses considering Jacksonville for expansion or relocation. Veterans are a dedicated and loyal employee, have training and skillsets which can be of immediate use in the labor force, thrive in a diversified workforce, and have demonstrated the ability to lead and be led. Due to Personal Privacy laws, DoD will not allow government resources to be used to recruit active duty/veterans or have them post their qualifications and resumes. Most exiting military are aware of their exit date months ahead of their final day of service and should be able to be courted by potential employers and be prepared for the transition.</p> <p>The region could be the leader in creating a new web-based initiative which would allow active duty and veterans the ability to post their resumes, their availability dates, their unique skills and qualifications, their interests, etc. on a website which could be accessed by potential employers. Employers should also be able to post positions that that would be accessible only by active duty and veterans. There should also be a weblog where jobseekers can post questions, ask advice, etc. Although it sounds easy, there would need to be a way to limit access to only veterans and not be abused by companies trying to “sell” services to our active duty military or veterans.</p> <p>Currently if a company asks a question on availability such as “Can you tell me how many service members will be leaving the Navy in this area with Helicopter maintenance backgrounds in the next year and how we could get in touch with them to offer employment, the answer is “we do not have access to that data”. This web-based service could change the answer by producing a list and contact information.</p> | | | | | | | |
| Bridge Training | TBD | | TBD | On going | Skills gap analysis and business needs is a study topic of the Region’s economic development directors. | Needs a Champion. | Further work with Innovate will address. | See Elevate. |
| | Comments: Do a study of the under-employed and business needs. Provide bridge training to address the gaps. | | | | | | | |
| Advanced Manufacturing | FSCJ, EDO’s and Regional Public Schools | Vital | First Coast Manufacturers Association, Regional Manufacturers | No progress | Next step: contact the First Coast Manufacturers Association to scope out | Needs a Champion. | Further work with Innovate will address. | See Elevate. |

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| | | | | | needs for qualified talent. | | | |
| | Comments: Create a pipeline of qualified talent to fill jobs in Advanced Manufacturing | | | | | | | |
| Clinton Health Matters Bold Action Steps | TBD | Regionally Significant | TBD | | | | | |
| | Support education and employment for young black men to accomplish economic self-sufficiency. | | | | Food Access and Nutrition Comm. Looking at jobs. Also related to YMCA and new Town Success Zone. | I'm a Star and JTA partnership. Young people staff the produce stand at Rosa Parks. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| | Implement a NEFL transportation plan to access education and employment opportunities. | | | | JTA transit redo. | New routes implemented and ridership is up. Regional Transit Action Plan. | There is now a Regional Transit Coordinating Committee of the RTC, and transit is part of Innovate. | See Elevate. |
| | Every school is an "A" school. | | | | See School Board Summit project. | See School Board Summit Project. | Needs a Champion. | Needs a Champion. |
| | Expand Guiding Stars throughout Northeast Florida. | | | | The line item allocation for a pilot expansion was vetoed by the Governor in 2015. The Early Learning Coalition would still like to see the model expand so will try again next year. | Vetoed again in 2016. | No update. | No Update. |
| | Identify and provide resources necessary to move all homeless children into appropriate housing. | | | | Ability Housing, Homeless Coalition, other advocacy group support but needs catalyst/champion to "Go to Zero." | Changing Homelessness. Achieved functional zero for veterans. Voices for Youth efforts in progress. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| | Develop a Right to Thrive framework to be socialized community-wide. | | | | DCPS pilot slated in | Pilot launched | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |

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| | Launch a community-wide training effort to adopt, integrate and translate the Right to Thrive framework. | | | | “ | “ | No update. | No update. |
| | Adopt and begin implementation of a framework of “health equity” that delineates optimal requirements for support. | | | | “ | “ | No update. | No update. |
| | Create a funded, staffed “coalition central” organizing body to connect community-wide family and social service support efforts. | | | | Integrated Health Working Group needs tech. support. | Needs funding and champions. | No update. | No update. |
| | Promote comprehensive health education for incarcerated youth. | | | | Happening, but time of incarceration impacts amount of information. | Same as last year. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| INNOVATION AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PILLAR | | | | | | | | |
| Project | Lead/Partners | Type | Resources | Status | 2015 Update | 2016 Update | 2017 Update | 2018 Update |
| Work with JaxUSA Partnership | JaxUSA | | | On Going | Regional economic development directors, planners and elected officials participate in quarterly education forums | Regional economic development directors, planners and elected officials participate in quarterly education forums | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| JHealth | JHealth/Health Sector/TBD | Regional Innovation and Best Practices | TBD | Exploring partnership potential and feasibility | | | A partnership is sought among key stakeholders aligned with the mission of promoting healthcare innovation, entrepreneurship and investment in the greater Jacksonville region. JHealth | Ongoing. |

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| | | | | | | | is proposed as a technology commercialization center serving the seven counties of Northeast Florida, bringing together: 1) Place-making for startups and high-growth companies, 2) Innovation and entrepreneurship programming, and 3) Community engagement. A public-private partnership is envisioned, and a grant may be sought through EDA regarding feasibility if appropriate and eligible partner organizations become involved. | |
| Jacksonville Space Initiative | City of Jacksonville & Cecil Field Partners: Florida Space Tourism Society, Jacksonville Aviation Authority | Information Sharing | None required to start | New Project | One educational seminar/luncheon event hosted to promote Cecil Field as a horizontal launch space port. | Launch Site Operators License 09-012 was issued in 2010 for Cecil Air and Spaceport to accommodate and facilitate operations by | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |

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| | | | | | | horizontal launch vehicles. Currently, JAA has an agreement with one operator regarding the use of Cecil to conduct horizontal launch operations, and is working to secure operating agreements with others. Commercial launch activity is anticipated to begin in late 2017. A Spaceport Master Plan completed in 2013 recommended the development of permanent Commercial Space facilities. Currently, JAA is moving forward with the implementation of the Spaceport Master Plan. | | |
| | Comments: Website: http://spacetourismsociety.org/sts-florida/ | | | | | | | |
| Regional Tourism | All Counties | | TBD | On Going | NEFRC will convene two meetings, north and south of Jacksonville, to determine what marketing strategies will be of most help to businesses and communities. | Meetings convened, asset list developed along with possible approaches. Scope of work has been developed for funding. Name changed. | Regional Tourism is the Regional Community Institute’s policy issue for 2018. | Regional Action Plan for Regional Tourism completed August, 2018. NEFRC will consider in |

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| | | | | | | | | | October, 2018. Focus on assets and sharing of information. |
| Universities downtown | TBD | Regionally Significant | TBD | No progress | | FSCJ is partnering to do student housing downtown. | Housing in place. | | Housing in place. |
| | Comments: Put a university, or cluster/collaboration of universities, downtown. Get UF to do research in our region. They could be one of the universities downtown. Let UF know the opportunities we have to collaborate on research. | | | | | | | | |
| Energy Efficiency of Buildings | TBD | | TBD | On Going | USGBC NF has this as an ongoing goal. | USGBC work is ongoing, Greater Jax Chamber is partnering, discussion of PACE in Duval, already in place in Nassau and Flagler. | USGCB work is ongoing. | | USGBC work is ongoing. |
| | Comments: Increase energy efficiency of buildings, with emphasis on retrofit. | | | | | | | | |
| Alternative fuels | North Florida TPO, RTC; EDO's; transportation providers | Vital | TBD | On Going | Through the North Florida TPO, the North Florida Clean Fuels Coalition is investing in CNG (for fleets),LNG (for rail), EV charging stations and the clean truck program to bring fuel efficiency to trucks serving JAXPort. | North Florida TPO and partners got Clean City designation in 2016. JaxPort's Blount Island Berth 35 rebuild includes LNG infrastructure. | Clean Cities work is ongoing. | | Clean Cities work is ongoing. |
| | Comments: Position Northeast Florida as an innovative center for production, distribution and use of alternative fuels (natural gas, LNG, CNG) | | | | | | | | |
| Clinton Health Matters Bold Action Steps | TBD | Regionally Significant | TBD | | | | | | |
| | Grow telehealth systems to increase access to care in rural areas | | | | | Policy barriers at state level. | Task force to address the issue passed the | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |

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| | | | | | | legislature in 2016. | | |
| | Expand telemedicine for substance abuse and mental health | | | | “ | RW Johnson Foundation, CHMI, JU, others kick off work on Jacksonville as a Health 2.0 City soon. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| | Construct an integrated system of care in which money moves with client to best serve patients. | | | | Integrated Health Working Group draft approach. | LSF regional health info exchange. | Ongoing | Ongoing |
| | Create a coordinated and sustainable mental health system. | | | | Kennedy Forum working with local folks on policy, action plan. | JCCI will complete 2 year implementation phase on mental health issues soon. | Study in implementation. | Study in implementation. |
| | Use creative strategies including social media and smart phone technology to address family diet. | | | | Duval Medical Society, Million pound challenge, draft logic model, could use support: financial and vocal champions. | Mission One Million launched, Duval County Medical Society leadership strong. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| Fishing Industry | Commercial fishing historically had been a measurable component of Northeast Florida’s economy. During the past 30 years, there has been a steady decline in this industry. Indicators suggest that there may now be an opportunity for a resurgence in commercial fishing. | Regionally Significant | TBD | On Going | City of Jacksonville considering investment in Mayport Village. | Needs a Champion. | City of Jacksonville considering investment in Mayport Village. | City of Jacksonville has identified some capital funding. |
| Brevi Bus | The Brevi Bus was designed and created in Northeast Florida as a mid-sized transit bus, specifically designed for rural use. Recently certified by the FTA, the bus is poised for production. | Regionally Significant | TBD | On Going | Added in 2015 | Ride Solution continues to work on partnerships. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| Update regional economic development strategic plan for Northeast | JaxUSA/NEFRC and Partners | Strategy Plan | TBD | Current plan expires next year. | | | Innovate update is underway. | See Elevate. |

| <p>Florida. Building on success of Innovate Northeast Florida (2012-2017), plan would update target industry focus and make recommendations for marketing, talent, business climate, entrepreneurship and physical infrastructure to drive recruitment of jobs and capital investment to Northeast Florida.</p> | | | | | | | | |
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| <p>INFRASTRUCTURE AND GROWTH LEADERSHIP PILLAR</p> | | | | | | | | |
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| <p>Regionalize Food Policy Group</p> | <p>TBD</p> | | <p>TBD</p> | <p>On Going</p> | <p>NEFRC to contact Cecil Williams, Duval County Food Policy Council Chair and suggest that regional reps be invited to meetings. Solicit reps from the other six counties. Joint meetings in 2016, then decide if group should be regional.</p> | <p>Needs a Champion.</p> | <p>Needs a Champion.</p> | <p>Needs a Champion.</p> |
| | <p>Comments: Make current Jacksonville food policy group regional</p> | | | | | | | |
| <p>Raise the Shands Bridge</p> | <p>FDOT, North Florida TPO, Chambers, County and Municipal Governments</p> | <p>Vital</p> | <p>TBD</p> | <p>No progress.</p> | <p>Likely this issue can only be resolved / addressed in conjunction with funding and construction of the First Coast Expressway river crossing.</p> | <p>Same as last year.</p> | <p>A new crossing is still planned, date not set.</p> | <p>FDOT has programmed all of the First Coast Expressway.</p> |
| <p>Google Fiber Project</p> | <p>Jacksonville Office of Economic Development & Jacksonville Mayors Office & JEA Partners : STIC Computing, LLC &</p> | <p>Vital</p> | <p>TBD</p> | <p>On hold</p> | <p>Next step: The google fiber expansion project is on hold at this time because the company is</p> | <p>Google rethinking this program.</p> | <p>Suspended.</p> | <p>No update.</p> |

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| | AceApplications, LLC & Google | | | | working in the 34 cities approved for fiber expansion. Registered for updates on the google fiber expansion project. | | | |
| | Comments: Website : http://aceapplications.com/https://static.googleusercontent.com/media/fiber.google.com/en/us/about/files/googlefibercitychecklist2-24-14.pdf | | | | | | | |
| Jacksonville Port Expansion | JaxUSA/Jacksonville Chamber/Jacksonville Port Authority | Vital | TBD | Planning stages | The Port continues to move forward with the implementation of its Port Master Plan and expansion projects. The ICTF (Intermodal Container Transfer Facility) is on schedule for completion by the end of the year, or by the end of January. The Port is continuing to improve and replace the berth infrastructure at both Blount Island and Talleyrand. At Blount Island the wharfs are being deepened to accommodate 50 feet of water depth and the new 100' gauge electrified cranes which are currently being manufactured in Korea. The deepening project continues to move through the State Permitting process and is proceeding with engineering. The Mile | Rail corridor study completed that will result in better access to Blount Island. RiverKeeper lawsuit on-going. | Funding in place for Phase 1 of harbor deepening project. | Deepening project underway. |

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| Desalinization Plant | TBD | | TBD | On hold | The Flagler County led Coquina Coast desal initiative is on hold. Meaningful alternative water supply initiatives should await completion of numerous water resource planning projects currently underway. | Regional Community Institute is addressing water policy next year. | Water Regional Action Plan adopted by NEFRC. | Work is ongoing on Water Beyond Borders. |
| | Comments: This should be considered as utilities plan for growth, and conservation should be used to delay its construction. | | | | | | | |
| Replace failing septic tanks | TBD | | TBD | On going | COJ has a program to provide hookups in areas in close proximity to surface waters. | Needs a Champion. | Ongoing, but Needs a Champion. | Ongoing. |
| | Comments: Replace failing septic tanks with sewer hookups or functioning systems within 5 years | | | | | | | |
| Clinton Health Matters Bold Action Steps | TBD | Regionally Significant | TBD | | | | | |
| | Increase pedestrian and bicyclist safety. | | | | Visit Jacksonville, COJ, NEFRC and partners. | RW Johnson Foundation, CHMI, JU, others kick off work on Jacksonville as a Health 2.0 City soon. Focus on pedestrian and bicycle safety. | Ongoing for City of Jacksonville and several other cities. | Ongoing. |
| | Provide bike lanes to connect neighborhoods and commercial centers. | | | | | “ | “ | Ongoing |
| | All parks accommodate all abilities for physical activities | | | | Interest from JU, needs catalyst. | No movement, contact CHMI is interested. | All new work on parks in Jacksonville | Ongoing. |

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| | Identify or establish comprehensive teen health clinics in Northeast Florida. | | | | Clay has one, Duval considering school-based model. | Five counties have teen clinic hours. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| | Design and begin implementation of a regional trail and connectivity system that embraces the unique character of the region and provides trail access to the beach, river, tributaries and ICW to realize the tremendous economic and health impacts to the Region. | | | | See first two projects in this section. | NEFRC owns this, related to regional marketing tool, above, as these are huge assets. | River to Sea Loop is underway, Regional Tourism efforts. | Regional Tourism Regional Action Plan will be considered by NEFRC in October. |
| | Preserve, renovate and/or develop 500 units of affordable housing. | | | | Homeless Coalition looking at Nashville model. | NEFRC Ad Hoc Committee on Affordable Housing meets until December. | Affordable Housing Needs Plan will be approved by NEFRC in 2018. | Implementation of Affordable Housing Needs Plan underway. |
| Water Beyond Borders Regional Action Plan | NEFRC/Environmental Agencies/Utilities/Local Governments in NE Florida and Georgia | Implementation of recommendations | TBD | NEFRC will track, regular convening | | | New project. | Implementation underway. |
| BUSINESS CLIMATE AND COMPETITIVENESS PILLAR | | | | | | | | |
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| Food Innovation and Business Incubator | Educational and Research Institutions (UF, UNF, Flagler College, First Coast Technical College, etc.), Florida High Tech Corridor Council, Food Industry (Distributors such as , U. S. Food, Beaver St. Fisheries, Retailers, etc.) and End users (Mayo Clinic and hospitals, military, schools, etc.) | Vital | \$8,000,000. Could be two phases. Hub and Product Development | On going | UF is considering a multi-location approach to food innovation, distribution and processing. First Coast Fresh is now actively engaged with at least 3 farms to diversify crops, aggregate products from the farms and distribute those products. We anticipate a major announcement on October 1st regarding a Regional Food Hub. | Held brainstorming session on June 29, 2016 and developed an action item list. Working on establishing the working group. | Working group established-ongoing. | Draft grant application submission to EDA anticipated in September. |

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| | Comments: to allow local food to be processed and distributed in the region. Two major components: Food hub to allow for shared use processing, and product development research kitchen/labs/facilities. Maximizes opportunity for nutraceuticals, already identified as having potential in NE Florida. Model: Rutgers Food Innovation Center | | | | | | | |
| Build wealth in rural areas | Use Enterprise Florida Study to determine techniques that will help us build wealth in rural areas | | TBD | | | Needs a champion. | Needs a champion. | See Elevate. |
| Medical Tourism | Visit Florida funded a Destination Marketing and Medical Meetings Marketing grant for Jacksonville under their Medical Tourism Program that ended in June 2015. They will not fund such grants next year. Medical, service and tourism development partners must determine if efforts continue. | | TBD | On Going | Added in 2015 | Visit Jacksonville and partners continue to explore. | On hold. | On hold. |
| Coastal and waterfront modeling | The Public/Private Regional Resiliency Committee of the NEFRC is a business focused group that is working on actions to help the region thrive in a changing climate. While general tools are available, no analysis that is specific to helping the public or private owners of potentially vulnerable areas determine which adaptation approach will work for them yet exists. | | TBD | On Going | Added in 2015 | Scope of study is very different in this phase of Public/Private Regional Resiliency work. Action item for next year. | Vulnerability study will be available for review in 2018. | Vulnerability study delayed by NFWF. Anticipated Fall 2018. |
| Food Security Study | UF or Consultant, USDA Rural Development, NEFRC, local governments to implement. | Vital | \$50,000 | On going | A Food Desert Survey/Study is underway in Jacksonville / Orlando /Gainesville being under-taken by the Common Thread Alliance with funding by the Florida Department of Children and Families. The purpose of the study is to identify ways to connect Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program (SNAP) recipients with locally | Ongoing efforts. | Ongoing efforts. | Ongoing. |

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| | | | | | grown foodstuffs, perhaps through a mobile market. Currently seeking funding for a wider food security study. | | | |
| | Comments: Food security study to include carrying capacity of the region. Determine per capita consumption of meat, fruits and vegetables in region. Also determine the potential for sales of agricultural products grown in-region to markets outside of the region. Determine how much land is currently producing these agricultural products, and what locations and amount are necessary for the continued viability of agriculture in NE Florida. Once the study is complete, local governments should consider before any proposal to convert agriculture to other uses is approved. NEFRC should consider policies for inclusion in the regional plan. | | | | | | | |
| North Florida Small Business Help | SBDC at UNF/SBDC at UCF/NEFRC/Technical Assistance Providers | Regionally Significant | \$3,000 | Progress | Next step: contact SBDC director and identify potential members for the 7 county partnership. | Potential for a new partner to fund improvements to the website. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| | Comments: Make North Florida Small Business Help a more robust site that is continuously updated. It should include a calendar of events for all seven counties, and include resources available in all seven counties. It's Road Map feature should be enhanced to provide the user with more assistance, regardless of the development stage of their business. It should have a dedicated source of funding so that SBDC at UNF can maintain the enhanced site and can coordinate with Flagler County and the SBDC at UCF on events and resources. It should be governed by a partnership of organizations from the seven counties that can continuously improve its usefulness. | | | | | | | |
| Scenic By Ways. Inclusion in CEDS recognizes their potential as business/cultural/recreational and other destinations for locals and tourists. | Four Scenic Byways are located in Northeast Florida. Each is managed by a local group with support from FDOT. | Local efforts with regional benefit | TBD | Ongoing | | | Byways are partnering, A1A Ocean Islands Trail launched in 2017. RCI is working on regional tourism and byways are engaged. | Regional Tourism Regional Action Plan to be considered by NEFRC October 2018. |
| Supply Chain Mapping: Review businesses in the region, what they buy and from | TBD | Study | TBD | | | | Needs a Champion. | Needs a Champion. |

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| where. Compare this to what is produced here and what entrepreneurs would like to produce. | | | | | | | | |
| Clinton Health Matters Bold Action Steps | TBD | Regionally significant | TBD | | | | | |
| | Develop and begin implementation of a youth-centric strategic plan with youth for youth to address obesity and healthy eating. | | | | I'm a Star Foundation Strategic Plan: done. | Accomplished: #fitorfat. | | |
| | Design and implement a mobile food distribution system. | | | | Pie in the Sky efforts based in Hastings-underway. | Looking at other models. | Some efforts underway. | Ongoing. |
| | Engage corner stores and other retailers to offer fresh fruits and vegetables at affordable prices. | | | | Food Access and Nutrition Comm. | Happening. Walgreens and other retailers looking at retrofit. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| | Engage government, sports, schools and faith-based organizations to create a single message campaign for healthy eating and food quality. | | | | Above plus Duval Medical Society, Million Pound Challenge | See Health 2.0 City. | See Health 2.0 City. | Ongoing. |
| | Launch a regional study of factors influencing domestic violence and launch a region-wide campaign to prevent domestic violence. | | | | One Love Foundation campaign. | Continues. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| | Increase prevention programs to reduce youth crime and youth violence. | | | | Girls Count, Barr-Weaver Foundation. | Delores Barr-Weaver Policy Center working on this. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| | Expand community access for mental health services. | | | | Integrated Health Working Group. | See JCCI Study above. | Study is in implementation. | Ongoing. |
| CIVIC AND GOVERNANCE SYSTEMS PILLAR | | | | | | | | |
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| Regional Clearinghouse | NEFRC | | | Complete | Visit www.nefrc.org to use the clearinghouse | | Discontinued. | |
| | Comments: Create an online clearinghouse for | | | | | | | |

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| | studies on all issues of interest to the region | | | | | | | |
| Collaborate on Six Pillars Caucus | NEFRC/Florida Chamber Foundation | Regionally Significant | TBD | On-going | Next step: compare the 20 Year Strategic Plan of the Six Pillars Caucus System to engage their issue experts with the Region's vital projects. | Regional Scorecard is being maintained. | Regional Scorecard is being maintained. | Regional Scorecard is being maintained. |
| | Comments: Northeast Florida is a Six Pillars Community. Collaborate on Six Pillars Caucus Leadership Website: http://www.flchamber.com/six-pillars/six-pillars-caucus-system/ | | | | | | | |
| “Farm to Flag” | JaxUSA Partnership, Institutions, FL Dept. Ag. Marketing Council | Vital | \$1,000 | On going | Due to insurmountable obstacles, direct distribution to the US Military is not currently feasible. However the goal of “Farm to Flag” – increase production, diversification into higher value crops, product aggregation, and value added processing appear to be happening under “Food Innovation and Incubation. Recommendation – rename to relate to a broader array of institutional users beyond the Military. | Needs a Champion. | Needs a Champion. | Needs a Champion. |
| | Comments: Convene an event to implement the principles of “Farm to Flag”: get local produce into government and corporate institutions. Convene the institutions to discuss their needs and how this could be done. Facilitate institutions in local purchasing. | | | | | | | |
| Replicate success of JaxUSA | Clinton Health Matters, Providers in the Region | Regionally Significant | TBD | On Going | Additional investigation reveals that there are on-going viable and valuable regional collaborations in Northeast Florida regarding a broad array of issues from the elderly to workforce | Needs a Champion. | Needs a Champion. | See Elevate. |

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| | Replicate the success of Jax USA Partnership in all issue areas. Include human services, education, wealth-building, food, etc. | | | | | | | |
| Clinton Health Matters Bold Action Steps | TBD | Regionally Significant | TBD | | | | | |
| | Every K-12 public school has a joint use agreement that allows for safe public access to encourage physical activity. | | | | Policy barriers. | Local issue. | Local issue. | No update. |
| | All K-12 public schools offer 30 minutes of PE or other physical activity daily. | | | | Already required by statute, needs tracking of implementation. | Policy issue. | Policy issue. | No update. |
| | Work towards policy change that ensures all Northeast Floridians are eligible for affordable health insurance. | | | | State level policy barriers. | State level policy barriers. | State level policy barriers. | No update. |
| | Support the acceptance of federal pass-through funds to support the expansion of Medicaid eligibility, making more insurance affordable. | | | | “ | “ | “ | |
| | Develop an integrated regional care and information exchange to increase access points to care and care coordination. | | | | Integrated Health Working Group. | See JCCI Study. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| | Implement health literacy programs in all K-12 public schools. | | | | Needs champion. | Happening in Duval. Opportunity for sharing of best practices (see School Board Summit.) | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| | Expand the comprehensive medical home model to more primary care providers. | | | | Integrated Health Working Group. | See JCCI Study. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| | Expand and share effective drug policies across Northeast Florida to ensure that there are consistent substance abuse policies across the counties. | | | | Needs Champion. | “ | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| | Regionally source and distribute funds dedicated to substance abuse prevention and intervention. | | | | Needs Champion | “ | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| QUALITY OF LIFE AND QUALITY PLACES PILLAR | | | | | | | | |
| Project | Lead/Partners | Type | Resources | Status | 2015 Update | 2016 Update | 2017 Update | 2018 Update |
| Energy, water efficiency, resiliency, and | NEFRC, All counties, Low income housing providers meeting grant criteria | Vital | Federal Home Loan Banks, USDA Housing Preservation Grants for Rural | On Going | Asked local counties if they participate in Flood Mitigation Assistance Program (Yes = Clay, | NEFRC currently has a committee working on an affordable housing | Affordable Housing Needs Plan will be adopted by | Plan in implementation. |

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| <p>accessibility retrofit for low and very low income residents of the region</p> | | | <p>Areas, Office of Environmental Justice Small Grants Program 2015, HUD</p> | | <p>Duval, Flagler), also participation in Residential Construction Mitigation Program (wind hardening) (Yes=Flagler). Non-participants were interested in these program opportunities. NOFA was just released for RCMP (due August 5th). Meetings are being established to determine if Baker and Putnam counties would like to participate in this year’s application process.</p> | <p>needs plan.</p> | <p>NEFRC in 2018.</p> | |
| | <p>Comments: Enhance all HOME funded, CDBG funded and SHIP funded programs in the region to include energy and water efficiency retrofit, resiliency retrofit, and accessibility retrofit for low and very low income residents of the region. This includes inspector education, program expansion and implementation. Funding would give the homeowner the information and ability to choose efficiency/resiliency/accessibility. Funds could only be used for these improvements, not to augment existing program.</p> | | | | | | | |
| <p>Regional Maritime Management Plan</p> | <p>Duval, Nassau, St, Johns, Flagler Counties, FIND, NEFRC</p> | <p>Vital</p> | <p>TBD</p> | <p>On Going</p> | <p>FIND funding in place. Project to start summer 2015. Project team for COJ is NEFRC, UNF, JU.</p> | <p>Duval Plan is in the assessment phase. Survey is open at jaxboatplan.com. This may be a catalyst for others.</p> | <p>Duval Plan will be adopted in 2018.</p> | <p>Adopted 2018.</p> |
| | <p>Comments: Capitalizing on the Duval County plans for a maritime management plan, review the assets of the St. Johns River, Intracoastal Waterway and Atlantic coast and identify sites for additional boat access, including mooring facilities. Encourage other Counties to do similar plans using a consistent methodology so the result is a regional maritime management plan.</p> | | | | | | | |
| <p>Jacksonville Regional Health Collaborative</p> | <p>Duval County Health Department, Health Planning Council, Institutions of Higher Education, Hospitals, etc.</p> | <p>Regionally Significant</p> | <p>TBD</p> | <p>On Going</p> | <p>The Jacksonville Regional Health Collaborative is initiating a formal membership drive, it is holding regular monthly</p> | <p>Update has been requested through HPCNEF.</p> | <p>Ongoing.</p> | <p>Ongoing.</p> |

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| | | | | | meetings that are open to all those interested, and it is in the early planning stages for its first Forum Event. | | | |
| | Comments: Jacksonville Regional Health Collaborative to facilitate collaboration/incubation/research. | | | | | | | |
| Northeast Florida Global Supply Chain Institute | UNF CCB & Engineering & UF Engineering JaxPort, Jax USA Partnership First Coast Manufacturers Association | Regionally Significant | TBD | on-going | Next Step: contact the UNF Supply Chain program director | UNF Div. of Continuing Ed. has a certified supply chain professional course, and related study areas. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| | Website: http://fisher.osu.edu/centers/scm | | | | | | | |
| Affordable Housing Needs Plan | NEFRC | Recommendations & Measures | TBD | An Ad Hoc Committee will report to the NEFRC Board in December. | | | Plan is anticipated to be approved by NEFRC in February, 2018. Implementation will follow. | Plan in implementation. |
| Livable Cities Coalition, the entity mentioned in JCCI's Re-think Aging initiative as providing leadership in implementation of transformation of communities in NE FL to livable communities that allow all residents to thrive. | NEFRC, HPCNEF, ElderSource and partners | Implementation & Measures | TBD | Under Discussion | | | Coalition is currently dormant, seeking opportunities. | No update. |
| Northeast Florida Community and Economic Development | HUD/government agencies/non-profits/community based initiatives | Convening | TBD | Ongoing | | | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |

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| <p>Roundtable. HUD facilitates a diverse partnership of organizations with the following Mission / Vision: “Transforming Neighborhoods of Concentrated Poverty into Neighborhoods of Opportunity” Objectives: (1) Build the capacity of local faith and secular non-profit organizations (2) Foster collaboration and networking opportunities (3) Be a catalyst for establishing an on-going forum for non-profit organizations to regularly meet to discuss and share important mutual beneficial issues and opportunities.</p> | | | | | | | | |
| <p>Clinton Health Matters Bold Action Steps</p> | <p>TBD</p> | <p>Regionally Significant</p> | <p>TBD</p> | | | | | |
| | <p>Identify a dedicated funding stream for an ongoing physical activity strategy.</p> | | | | <p>Needs champion.</p> | <p>In Jax, local option gas tax reserves</p> | <p>Ongoing.</p> | |

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| | | | 20% for bike/ped 2016-2036. | | |
| | Medical community embraces fitness as a prescription for better health. | Food Access and Nutrition Comm., YMCA. | JU is a model. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| | Strengthen families and create the foundation for optimal health through integrated program and resource tracking. | Integrated Health Working Group. | See JCCI study. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| | Increase utilization of existing care facilities to meet residents’ needs and improve health disparities. | Integrated Health Working Group. | “ | Ongoing | Ongoing |
| | Develop a program that provides certification to users and land uses that meet healthy criteria. | USGBC NF: LEED Well | Same as last year. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |
| | Update and revise zoning codes and comprehensive plans to evaluate health implications and incorporate health into all public policies. | NEFRC SRPP. | Will be impacted by Livable Communities Coalition. | Coalition is dormant. | No update. |
| | Clean drinking water is available and sustainable in all areas throughout Northeast Florida. | Needs champion. | RCI policy focus next year. | RCI Water Plan completed and adopted in 2017. | Water Beyond Borders in implementation. |
| | Increase substance abuse prevention and mental illness identification training with school counselors, law enforcement and emergency responders. | Drug Free Duval grant for SBIRT. | Good progress Drug Free Coalition. | Ongoing. | Ongoing. |