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Work with the Oklahoma Team
to make expanding or relocating
smooth and efficient

OKLAHOMA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

DISCOVER THE OKLAHOMA EXPERIENCE

Expanding or relocating your business to a new market demands speed and flexibility. Our team of professional economic development specialists has managed projects totaling more than \$10 billion in investment.

We have worked with hundreds of corporate selection teams and site location consultants on a diverse blend of manufacturing, distribution, research and development, and customer care projects. Your specialist will provide expert and confidential guidance to get your company up and running in Oklahoma.

Make the Call.

You've answered the call and recognized Oklahoma as one of the top states for business success. Here's what you can expect next.

1. One-stop professional assistance.

Your partnership with Oklahoma begins with the assignment of a project manager. The manager will be your primary point of contact and provide single-source coordination with the Governor, key state agencies and local communities. They will help you determine the needs of your project

from facility to workforce, investment to timeline – reducing red tape and optimizing your benefits.

2. Site visits.

Oklahoma is a diverse state. From major metropolitan areas to smaller cities surrounded by vast expanses of land, your project manager will help you narrow in on the right place for your business. Then they will schedule confidential site/community visits based on your exact requirements.

3. Workforce analysis.

Your business cannot succeed without the right workforce. Your project manager will provide you with comprehensive labor market analysis, demographics, comparative wage data and initial employee identification and screening to help you understand Oklahoma's workforce.

4. State & local partnership.

Each of Oklahoma's communities is unique and has various services to offer your business. Our program can directly connect you with regional and community economic development organizations and services, including utilities, environmental, tax and finance, workforce and training.



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5. Permit assistance.

Your project manager will work closely with state and local agencies to ensure rapid permitting for your project.

6. Financial resources.

Your project manager can be a resource for finding available state and local finance sources.

7. Training assistance.

Oklahoma has an extensive and nationally acclaimed CareerTech network. The Oklahoma Team can help qualifying companies coordinate start-up training at no cost as well as long-term training through our state's CareerTech network.

8. Incentive & tax abatements.

You've heard about Oklahoma's renowned (and often imitated) incentive program. Your project

manager will identify all state and local incentives applicable to your project.

9. Groundbreakings & ribbon cuttings.

Everything is in place and you're ready to break ground or open your doors for business. The Oklahoma team can help you when it comes to planning your groundbreaking or ribbon cutting.

10. The next phase.

You've made the decision to expand or relocate your business to Oklahoma, but that does not mean our assistance stops. Your relationship with your project manager will continue as long as you request. The Oklahoma Team is committed to our partnership with your business and can offer assistance in a variety of areas to ensure that you reap the benefits of our state of success.

State of Accolades

#1 Most Attractive for Investment

– Fraser Institute, Global Petroleum Survey, 2013

#1 Cost of Living

– CNBC, America's Top States for Business, 2014

#2 Cost of Doing Business

– CNBC, America's Top States for Business, 2014

#2 Environmental Regulations

– Fraser Institute, Global Petroleum Survey, 2013

#4 Economic Climate

– Forbes, Best States for Business and Careers, 2013

#9 Lowest Tax Burden

– Site Selection, 2013

Ready to join our state of success?

Contact the Oklahoma Team and let us help you get started.

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