Florida Paradigm Shift Community Development Corporations to Community Economic Development Corporations

A Market-Based Approach To:

Revitalization of Minority Low-Moderate Income Communities

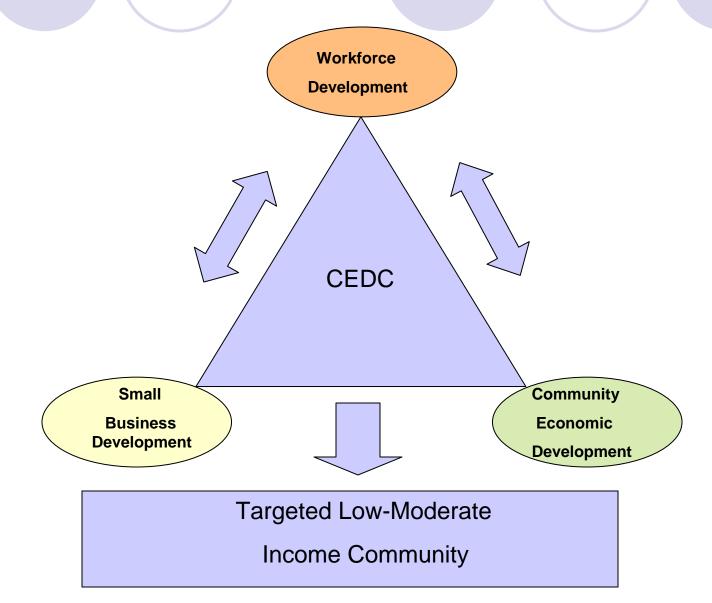


Florida Minority Community Reinvestment Coalition Urban Redevelopment Solutions, Inc. 2302 W. St. Louis, Tampa FL 33607

© All Rights Reserved For Entire Content Of Presentation By Al Pina

Market Based

Community Economic Development Corporation (CEDC) "Integration of Inner City Assets into Regional Economy"



CEDC

The Master Community Economic Development Engine

-For Targeted Minority Low-Moderate Income Community

- Utilization of Market Based Community Economic Development Model
- Primary Function: Integration of <u>Inner City Assets</u> (consumption, labor, small business etc...) into Regional Economy
- Utilization of For Profit Model Community Economic Development Corporation (CEDC) (Non-Profit/For-Profit Arms) As Community Economic Development of Target Minority Community
- CEDC serves as "Master" community development mechanism for targeted minority community (Service Area)
- Primary economic development measurements for CEDC: poverty and unemployment rates (*Jobs, Jobs, Jobs*)

Primary community economic development focus: small business development-workforce developmentcommunity economic development projects (housing, light industrial, commercial etc...)



Community Economic Development Corporation



WHAT DOES CURRENT FLORIDA **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION MODEL LOOK LIKE** Self VERSUS COMMUNITY Sufficiency ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT Asset Accumulation-Jobs **CORPORATION?** Neighborhood Stabilization Integration Into Regional Economy Small Community Workforce **Business** Economic **Development** Development Development UR More Basic Social Services **Community Advocacy Basic Social Services Community Development Services**

Importing Proven Market Based CEDC Models

Take Proven CEDC Models And Integrate Into Florida-Including most successful CEDC in Country: TELACU

TELACU Model Market Based Community Economic Development Corporation

A pioneering institution committed to service, empowerment, advancement, and the creation of self-sufficiency.

For more than 40 years, TELACU has been improving the lives of individuals and families through community development, economic empowerment and educational advancement. TELACU is the largest Community Development Corporation in the United States.



Self Sufficiency CEDC Model:

Established in 1968, TELACU is the largest **Community Development Corporation and** one of the largest Hispanic businesses in the United States. Utilizing one of the most successful approaches to community and economic development, TELACU focuses its more than \$650 million in assets on empowering the lives of individuals and families within the communities it serves

• The TELACU Story

Forty years ago, TELACU was established as a pioneering institution committed to service, empowerment, advancement, and the creation of self-sufficiency. Chartered as a Community Development Corporation (CDC), TELACU was initially funded through federal legislation authored by Senators Robert F. Kennedy and Jacob K. Javits to revitalize urban, underserved communities throughout the United States.

Utilizing a unique business model – The TELACU Model – for community and economic development, each and every business TELACU owns and operates has a double bottom line – profitability that is inseparable from social impact. The parent, non-profit CDC owns and operates a Family of Companies called TELACU Industries. These for-profit businesses not only provide valuable products and services to the community; but they also provide the economic means for TELACU to sustain its non-profit community-focused entities.

The TELACU Model is based upon the belief that there is no more viable business venture than one that is economically sound, enhances the community, and positively impacts people's lives. Quality, affordable homes are developed for first-time homeowners, and beautiful residential complexes are constructed and operated for families and senior citizens. New community assets like schools, infrastructure, shopping centers, and municipal facilities are built, creating well-paying jobs and revitalized communities for local residents. Responsive financial institutions are managed to provide access to capital for small business owners and hardworking families. And educational opportunities are expanded to create a greater future for young people and veterans.

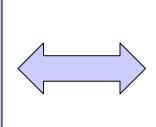
TELACU Family of Companies

TELACU Industries (TI) owns and operates a family of companies in four key business sectors – **Real Estate Development, Financial Services, Construction and Construction Management**. These profitable businesses, by their very nature, provide much of the benefit TELACU creates to empower communities – new homes, new jobs, revitalized neighborhoods, access to capital, restored infrastructure, and new community assets. As the economic engine that propels TELACU's Mission Statement, TI provides people with the tools they need to build their own lives.

TELACU Community Capital TELACU Construction & Construction Management TELACU Development TELACU Real Estate Services TELACU Residential Management TELACU Weatherization/Inter City Energy Systems Community Commerce Bank New Markets Community Capital Pyramid Services South Coast Shingle Tamayo Restaurant

For Profit Structure: Goal: Produce Income For Non Profit Services

Non Profit Community Development Corporation 501C3



For Profit Corporation (wholly owned by non profit) C Corporation (Separate Board of Directors)

Income Back To Non Profit

Sample CEDC Services:

Workforce Development, Financial Literacy, Housing Assistance, Education Health, Small Business Development

Asset Accumulation

Family Activities/Systems to Promote Self-Sufficiency

- 1. Attain higher level of skill sets and education
- 2. Improve Health
- 3. Home Ownership
- 4. Financial Literacy Education
- 5. Individual Development Accounts
- 6. Micro enterprise
- 7. Promote Entrepreneurship

Shift from dependency on social services to financial freedom, new opportunities and job creation

CEDC's Activities/Systems to Promote Self-Sufficiency

- 1. Utilize internal capacity/resources to develop competitive advantage in delivery of services
- 2. Engage in ventures with Private sector
- 3. Entrepreneurship Development
- 4. Diversify funding (Develop programs that generate revenue)
- 5. Develop business mind set (*Hire new skills and talent*)
- 6. Community Economic Development
- 7. Workforce Development

Shift from poverty maintenance to addressing causes of poverty and agency asset building

Minority CEDC self-sufficiency Principals:

Resources / Strategies

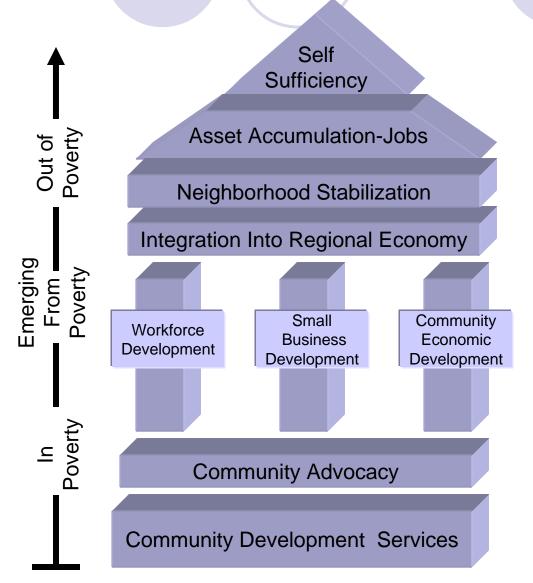
Non Profit-For Profit Corporations
For-profit Business Ventures
Fee based services
Leverage Resources-Funds

Assess Internal Capacity & Structure

Strong Internal Controls
Capacity for growth
Seed funding (increase discretionary funds)
Political Will (Board of Directors)
Entrepreneurial Spirit – Business mindset

Community Action CEDC

THE MODEL....Complete.



Self- Sufficiency OF Family

IS Primary Goal

JOBS-JOBS-JOBS