



President

Lewiston – Auburn Economic Growth Council (Maine)

The Lewiston-Auburn Economic Growth Council (LAEGC) seeks a dynamic, experienced, collaborative-minded, economic development professional to provide leadership and direction in developing, coordinating and implementing economic development strategies, programs and efforts for the Lewiston-Auburn community. Lewiston-Auburn is Maine's second largest urban area with a strong reputation for its cooperation, support of business growth, a dedicated workforce and excellent quality of life. Backed by excellent infrastructure, and a supportive business community, the LAEGC Board of Directors is looking for an exceptional individual committed to collaboration, communication and change.

Successful candidates will help to create strategies that broaden the tax base, develop/support the workforce, engage business and community stakeholders, build consensus among decision makers and seek organizational and development financing to grow the LAEGC's mission and the communities. A vision of a prospering community achieved by working with a team of experienced employees, businesses and leaders in the city, region and state is a must.

Candidates should have a thorough knowledge of current, effective principles and practice of economic development and a firm understanding of the challenges affecting local businesses/industries, the community and region. In addition, candidates must have excellent communication skills, including public speaking, public relations, community interaction and image building. Position requires the capacity to effectively manage economic development activities involving a mix of both public and private sector organizations and interests.

The successful candidate will have a minimum of ten (10) years of experience as an economic development/business executive with a proven record of energetic, innovative leadership and success. Experience with public-private partnerships, operational and loan program funding development is desirable.

For a detailed job description/position profile, organizational and community information please visit www.economicgrowth.org

Submit a bio, resume, cover letter and at least 3 work related references in PDF format to:

Mark Adams, Chair
LAEGC
Attn: President Recruitment
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Position will remain open until filled. First interview deadline is **June 6, 2014**. Finalists will complete a thorough interview and background review process. References will not be contacted until mutual interest is established. The Lewiston-Auburn Economic Growth Council is an EEO employer.