

RCAC partners with rural and Indigenous communities to achieve their vision and well being through technical assistance, training, financial resources and advocacy.

NADO 2025 Annual Training Conference

From Assets to Action: A Hands-on Wealth Creation Workshop

Building Rural Economies (BRE)

- ✓ Envision a future
- Shore up local capacity to plan and implement
- Catalytic Community Economic Development Projects
- Creation of Entrepreneurial Ecosystems



WealthWorks Model







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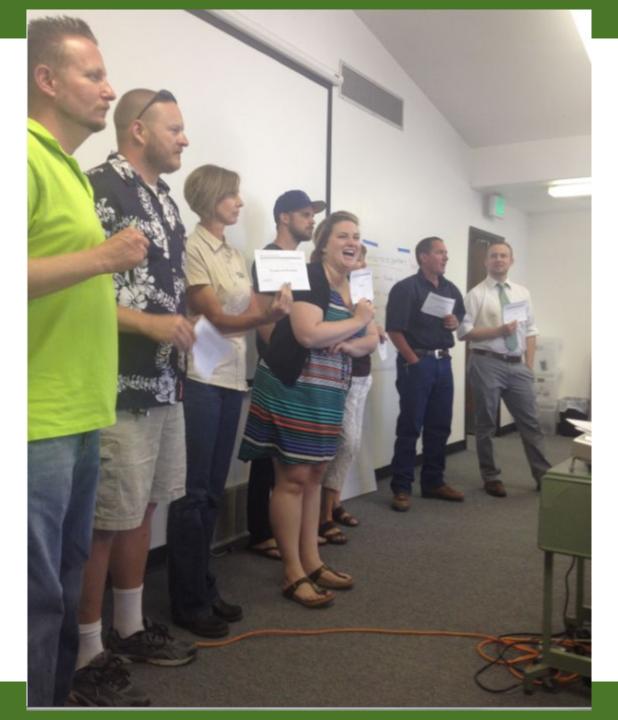




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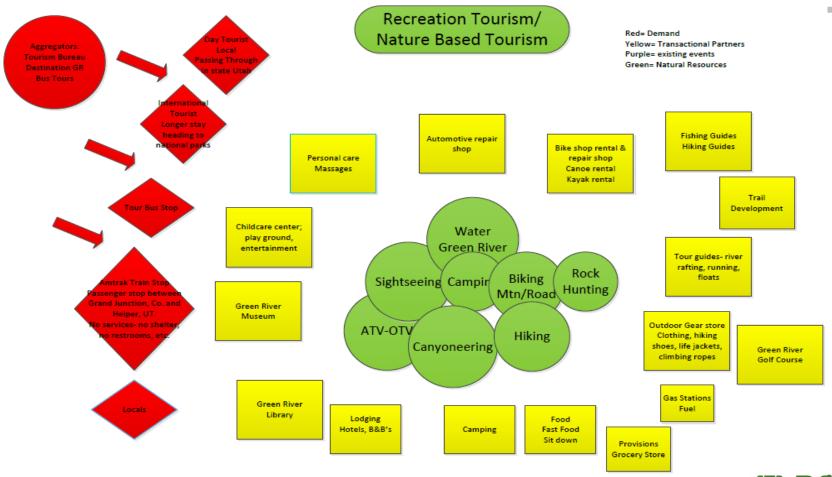








Green River Value Chain: Tourism





OUTPUTS / OUTCOMES

- Epicenter capacity building
- ✓ Tamarisk Restaurant Boutique Hotel Rooms
- ✓ Adventure Center
- Created a Small Business Center
- Downtown Revitalization Plan
- Frontier House
- Tax Credit Increment Financing
- Branding, Signage
- Secured \$116,604 federal funds
- \$302,500 state, private, foundation



Learnings....

- Mindset Shift is "key" to drive Economic Opportunity
- Local Leadership
- Economic "Sector" may be different than expected
- ❖ Time

"GO WITH THE ENERGY!"

