

Through the Rocky Mountain Partnership, **COMMUNITY PARTNERS** and **COMMUNITY MEMBERS** work together on innovative projects toward shared goals. **Below are the projects that have been identified so far.**



Goal 1: Increase the supply of talent to the jobs that are most critical to our region's economic vitality

PROJECT 1

Create a central hub of talent supply data and information to support community members to access programs and resources, and policy makers and practitioners to make more informed decisions about talent-related programming, policies, and initiatives

PROJECT 2

Support the work of the Adams 12 Five Star Schools Long Range Planning Advisory Committee to **gather community voice and perspective** and ultimately mobilize to **advocate for any ballot initiative(s) to increase funding** for the district

PROJECT 3

Support the development of an innovative regional Career and Technical Education (CTE) campus that will serve high school and adult learners (Ranum Reimagined)

PROJECT 4

Expand and better connect CTE and work-based learning programs across the region so that the skills and credentials learners are getting are consistent from provider to provider and meet the needs of industry



Goal 2: Employers improve how they hire, retain, and promote diverse talent

PROJECT 1

Provide and connect regional employers to technical assistance and coaching to improve their hiring, retention, and employee advancement practices

PROJECT 2

Engage chambers and associations in the 'Recruiting and Retaining Talent Challenge,' which brings **customized coaching, training, and technical assistance** directly to chambers and their members





Goal 3: Increase the availability and accessibility of attainable housing

- PROJECT 1** Bring workforce, educational, housing, and basic needs services to where community members live, work, and learn (**Co-Locating Services**)
- PROJECT 2** **Convene and facilitate the RMP Regional Housing Roundtable** in order to foster a regional approach to increasing the availability and accessibility of attainable housing
- PROJECT 3** **Create a central hub of housing data and information** to support community members to access programs and resources, and policy makers and practitioners to make more informed decisions about housing-related programming, policies, and initiatives
- PROJECT 4** **Support regional clarity around the requirements for localities to access funding through Proposition 123** - these requirements include implementing a 90-Day Fast Track Approval Process for new housing projects and setting a 3% growth target for affordable housing



Goal 4: Distribute funding to reduce the impacts of the opioid crisis

- PROJECT 1** **Distribute funding through the Adams County Opioid Abatement Grant** to address funding gaps around addiction treatment, recovery, and prevention programs
- PROJECT 2** **Convene subcommittee to draft the initial target(s)** (potentially a 5 year target related to opioid related overdose deaths) that the Regional Council will be working towards and all efforts will ladder up to
- PROJECT 3** **Pursue regional capital projects** that fill major gaps in services and strategize how to access funding from multiple sources to support them (Initial focus on the need for a youth residential treatment center)