

# **PASCO COUNTY INCENTIVES**

Pasco offers these in addition to the State of Florida **Incentive Programs:** 

- Property Tax Rebate
- Expedited Permitting
- Workforce Training Grants
- Mobility (Impact) Fee Waived for **Eligible New Construction**
- Job Creation Incentive (JCI) Grant
  - \* \$2,000-\$5,000 per job (minimum 10 new jobs)
  - \* Job wages at least 115% of Pasco County's average annual wage, 2024 average \$50,300 (Source: Florida Commerce, January 2024)

## **FLORIDA STATE INCENTIVES**

- 4th Best Tax Climate in the United States
- Sales & Use Tax Exemptions on **Manufacturing Equipment**
- Tax Exemption for R&D Equipment
- Clean Energy Incentives
- High Impact Performance Incentive
- Capital Investment Tax Credit
- Aviation Tax Exemption
- \* Migrationpatterns.org
- + American Community Survey

#### **OVER \$56 MILLION INVESTED** IN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT **PROGRAMS IN PASCO COUNTY**

This portion of the Penny for Pasco was utilized to foster diversified and sustained economic growth in:

- Entrepreneurship and small business programming
- Speculative office and industrial building development
- Business park infrastructure
- Workforce training grants
- Industrial site evaluation

#### **FIND OUT MORE**

Explore each Ready Site's utilities, transportation networks, and aerial property views using interactive maps and videos.



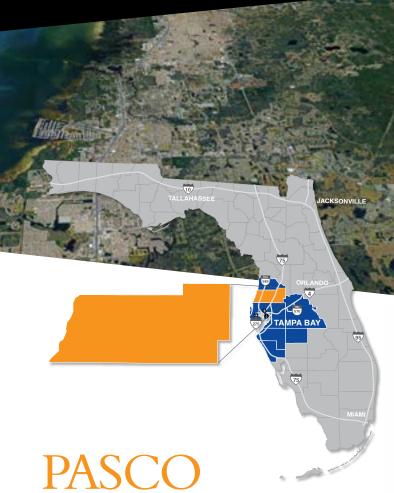




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# READY SITES

**EVALUATED INDUSTRIAL LAND** PASCO COUNTY, FL



# READY SITES **PROGRAM**

ASSESS - EVALUATE - CERTIFY



## **WHO WE ARE**

The Pasco Economic Development Council (Pasco EDC) is a private, non-profit organization that promotes growth and prosperity through the development of a sustainable and diversified economy. Our county-wide economic development efforts are funded by corporate and public investors, and represent a strong partnership which is focused on economic vitality and making Pasco County a great place to live and work.

# PASCO EDC'S READY SITES PROGRAM

The Ready Sites Program accesses, evaluates, and certifies large tracts of land to prepare properties for industrial development and create a portfolio of project-ready sites for targeted industries.

The sites are marketed nationally through:

- Trade Shows & Conferences
- Property Flyers
- Videos

• Interactive Maps Featuring: **Utility Location &** Capacity, Total Acreage, Transportation Networks, Workforce & Population Data, Land-Use and More



## **TARGET INDUSTRIES**

- · Advanced Manufacturing
- Aerospace, Aviation & Defense
- Business & Professional Services
- High Technology
- Life Sciences & Medical Technology
- · Logistics & Distribution



**PASCO READY SITES: OVER** 2,000 ACRES EVALUATED AND READY FOR INDUSTRIAL **DEVELOPMENT.** 



TOTAL MSA POPULATION:

3.2 MILLION

TOTAL PASCO POPULATION

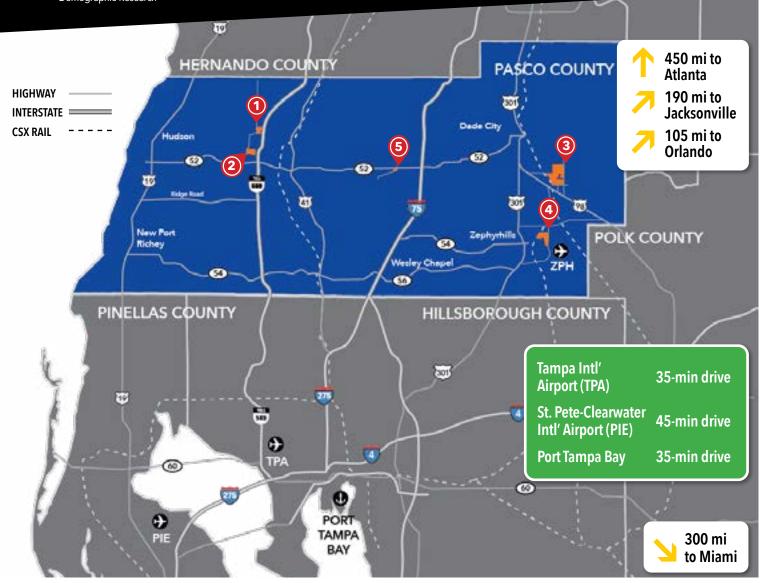
592,669

TOTAL PASCO WORKFORCE:

328,932









# CONTIGUOUS, DEVELOPABLE AND STRATEGICALLY LOCATED ACREAGE IN PASCO COUNTY, FLORIDA LARGE ENOUGH TO ATTRACT INDUSTRIAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

- Sites ranging from 100 - 1,000+ acres
- Access to industrial quality utilities
- Contiguous and developable acreage outside the 100 & 500 year flood zones
- Single & multiple users
- Within 10 miles of an interstate or four-lane highway
- Evaluated industrial land

#### SITE 1

#### **SOFTWIND INDUSTRIAL PARK**

- 103 acres vacant and divisible
- Utilities adjacent to site: water, sewer, electric - gas and telecom available
- Quick access to FL52 and FL589



#### SITE 2

#### HAYS ROAD INDUSTRIAL PARK

- 199 acres vacant and divisible
- Utilities at site: water, sewer, electric, gas - telecom available
- Quick access to FL52 and FL589



#### SITE 3

#### **ENTERPRISE SOUTH SUPER PARK**

- 1066 acres vacant and divisible
- Dual served electric
- Adjacent to CSX Rail, frontage on FL 35A and four local roads



#### SITE 4

# ZEPHYRHILLS AIRPORT INDUSTRIAL PARK

- 347 acres vacant and divisible
- Utilities at site: water, sewer, electric - gas and telecom available
- Adjacent to CSX Rail and ZPH Airport

SOLD- 72 Acres for Future Bauducco Foods 403,00 SQF 600 Jobs \$233M



#### SITE 5

#### **EAGLE I & II INDUSTRIAL PARKS**

- Utilities at sites: water, sewer, electric -telecom available
- Single owner
- Less than 2 miles to I-75

**EAGLE I**: 73 acres - Frontage on Bellamy Brothers Blvd.

EAGLE II: 321 acres - Frontage on FL52

SOLD- 68 Acres for Future Amazon Robotic Sortation Center 517,220 SQF 500 Jobs \$150M CapX



# **PASCO'S COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGE**

- **TALENT** Emphasis on STEM programs throughout K-12 system with close alignment to local business needs
- **SYNERGY** Regional assets and partnerships with the most innovative leaders in the industry
- BUSINESS CLIMATE Stable, pro-business government leadership in a right to work state with local incentives
- TAXES Low operating costs and no personal income tax
- **COMMUNITY** A quality of life that attracts and retains top talent
- TRANSPORTATION Five major regional commuter arteries intersect Pasco County: I-75, FL 589, US 41, US 19 and US 301

## **WORKFORCE AND EDUCATION**

- Pasco County ranked 22nd out of 600 large counties nationwide in EMSI's Fourth Annual Talent Attraction Scorecard
- 14 Universities within a 45-minute drive from the center of the county
- 33 Career certification programs offered in Pasco Secondary Schools
- 1 existing STEM High School, 1 under construction, and 1 existing Technical College
- American Manufacturing Skills Initiative (AmSkills) is modeled after the German apprenticeship program, allowing manufacturers to develop lifelong workers through a scalable, time-tested method

WorkforceCONNECT, a new Pasco EDC program, features a unique platform which allows employers to find programs that produce the talent that will thrive in their industries, and explore resources that can help their business stand out to top candidates.



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