

Economic Development Awards and Recognition

2011

- **Pennsylvania was ranked among the top twelve states for business friendliness by CNBC. This was attributed to Pennsylvania's emphasis on technology, innovation and the ability to infuse money into businesses. CNBC, June 2011**
- **The Office of International Business Development's Center for Trade Development (CTD) was chosen to receive a Presidential E-Award for Export Services, April 2011. This award was presented in Washington, DC in May of 2011.**
- **SITE SELECTION magazine's 2010 GOVERNOR'S CUP AWARD, March 2011**
 - **4th Place among the 50 states for the third consecutive year.**
- **SITE SELECTION (March 2011) compiled state new corporate facilities and expansion project for the three year period spanning from 2008 through 2010:**
 - **PENNSYLVANIA RANKED THIRD IN THE NATION**
- **2011 CORPORATE INVESTMENT & COMMUNITY IMPACT (CiCi) AWARDS-Announced March 2011 by Trade & Industry Development magazine**
 - **Harley-Davidson Motor Company-York, Pennsylvania for Community Impact**

2010

- **The Pennsylvania FOURSQUARE PROGRAM received a Silver Award designation in the Social Category of their 2010 ADRIAN AWARDS-November 2010**
- **The Fantastic Roadtrip-a-Matic Campaign placed Bronze for the Integrated Marketing Campaign for Consumers-November 2010**
- **The Office of International Business Development's PENNSYLVANIA ENVOY PROGRAM received an INNOVATION AWARD presented by the U.S. Economic Development Administration, October 2010**
- **An Award for EXCELLENCE IN ENTREPRENEURIAL CAPITAL FORMATION was presented to the BEN FRANKLIN TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY by the National Association of Seed and Venture Funds (NASVF), October 2010**
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- HelioSphera US-Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

2009

- **AREA DEVELOPMENT 2008 Project of the Year—AMAZON.com:** awarded in conjunction with the 2009 Silver Shovel Award, June/July 2009
- **SITE SELECTION magazine's 2008 GOVERNOR'S CUP AWARD—March 2009 4th Place** out of all 50 states—This is Pennsylvania's highest ranking since 1980 and the first time it has appeared in the TOP 10 since 2005
 - Pennsylvania ranked 4th out of 50 states in this year's Competitiveness Awards, the commonwealth's best ever placement since the inception of the Competitiveness Awards
 - Pennsylvania ranked 1st in US states to lead in private sector life science facility 2009
- **CORPORATE INVESTMENT & COMMUNITY IMPACT (CiCi) AWARDS—March 2009:**
 - Boston Beer/Samuel Adams—Fogelsville, Pennsylvania (Community Impact)
 - BAE Systems Land and Armaments LP—York, Pennsylvania (Community Impact)
- **2009 WEBBY AWARD** presented to Pennsylvania's Tourism & Economic Development

Web sites: visitPA.com & newPA.com—May 2009 (International Academy of Digital Arts & Sciences-entries exceeded 10,000 from over 60 nations)

2008

- The STATE SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY INSTITUTE (SSTI) ranked Pennsylvania 9th in the United States in "R & D Performed by Industry within U.S., per State, 2003-2007"
- DCED's "THE PENNSYLVANIA INITIATIVE FOR NANOTECHNOLOGY (PIN)" was a finalist for the University Economic Development Association's (UEDA) "Excellence in Public Policy Award" announced during their annual "Awards of Excellence" presentation---November 2008
- BEN FRANKLIN TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS were awarded the International Economic Development Council's (IEDC) Technology Based Economic Development Award in October 2008.
- **Area Development 2008 Gold and Silver Shovel Awards—June/July 2008:**
 - Silver Shovel Award— (state population greater than 10 million).
- Pennsylvania's Keystone Innovation Zone program has gained national recognition from the National Governors Association's Center for Best Practices and the Pew Center on the States. It is seen as a vital part of the Governor's stimulus package facilitating business development and job creation. (National Governors Association, January 2008)

2007

- **Business Facilities Magazine 2007 Economic Development Deal of the Year (EDDY) Awards: GOLD AWARD**
- **Project: Westinghouse Electric Company**
Entered by: Pennsylvania Department of Community and Economic Development and the Pittsburgh Regional Alliance/Allegheny Conference on Community Development

- **Area Development 2007 Gold and Silver Shovel Awards**
- **Silver Shovel Award, (state population greater than 10 million)**

- **2007 Corporate Investment and Community Impact (CiCi) Awards:**
 - **Target Corporation (Allenwood) for Impact**
 - **East Penn Manufacturing (Lyon Station) for Impact**

- **Certificate of Recognition from Duquesne University Chrysler Corporation Small Business Development Center (SBDC) for DCED's contributions to and support of the:**
 - **2007 Entrepreneur's Growth Conference (issued June 2007)**