**ATTACHMENT C**

**EVALUATION CRITERIA**

*All Applications will be reviewed and evaluated based on community need, commitment, previous performance, and proposed actions in accordance with the following criteria:*

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| **EVALUATION CRITERIA** | **MAXIMUM POINTS AVAILABLE** |
| **Grant Application**  |  |
| Grant PurposeClear purpose and activities to support purpose in the areas of:* Support the community’s military and public sector needs.
* Job Creation and retention.
* Size and economic impact of the military installation in the community.
 | **15 points**555 |
| Alternative Economic Diversification StrategiesProject offers an innovative and realistic plan to create and/or retain defense-related jobs, and/or to create and/or retain non-defense high skilled/high wage jobs in a defense-dependent community. | **15 points** |
| Program of WorkLinkage of the project to the community’s strategic plan.* Economic significance of the expected outcomes from activities to the military installation and the local community.
* Cost effectiveness of the plan of action.
* Ability to leverage other funds.
* Ability to expand to non-defense economic opportunities.
* Performance measures to evaluate the project’s results.
 | **40 points**1555105 |
| Plan of ActionProvides a clear description and explanation of the proposed tasks and deliverables expected to be completed in the proposed project, including the associated costs and realistic timeframes for completion. | **15 points** |
| Previous Performance | **5 points** |
| Matching Funds Proposed Greater Than 30 Percent* 81 – 100%
* 56 – 80%
* 31 – 55%
 | **10 points**1052 |
| **Total Possible Points for the Evaluation Phase** | **100 points** |