# Stronger Economies Together (SET)

Strategies for Building New Economic Opportunities

**SET VI State Teams** 



## **Purpose of SET**

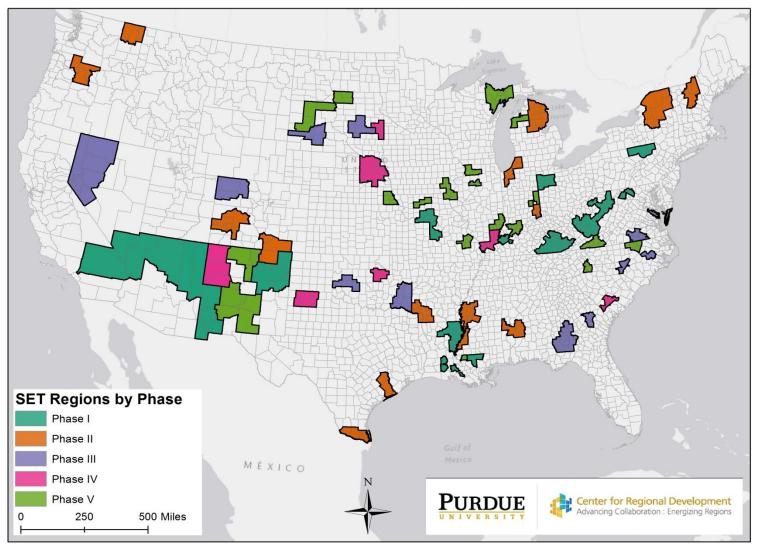
Help rural communities/counties work together as a regional team in developing and implementing

A High Quality
Regional Economic Development Plan

that builds on the current and emerging economic strengths of their region.



#### **SET: Participating States**





### So far

- •78 SET regions in 24 states
- 23 regions with a regional plan
- •3 regions to draft a plan soon.
- More coming summer 2016
- •5 regions with high quality plans
- More than \$135 million leverage to develop and implement plan



### Ways you can participate

- Collaborate with SET regions that cover your area:
  - Build new partnerships
  - Think regionally
  - Benefit from Farm bill 6025 set aside resources

Gear up to become a SET region



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