OVERVIEW OF RDP III
In April 2016, DRA presented its third Regional Development Plan (RDP III) as an assessment of, and a response to, the region's myriad opportunities, assets, and challenges. In collaboration with stakeholders and community leaders across the region, through a series of facilitated listening sessions and virtual webinars, this plan serves to update the agency's Regional Development Plan II (RDP II), originally adopted in 2008. RDP III sets forth revised goals that will drive DRA's work over the next five years, building on the successes of many of DRA's existing programs and setting new goals for the future.

VISION
The Delta region is a place where people and businesses have access to economic opportunities in vibrant, sustainable, and resilient communities.

MISSION
The Delta Regional Authority will advance its communities through the practical application of innovative ideas and strategies that foster inclusive communities, strengthen regional collaboration and capacity, achieve sustained, long-term economic development and produce meaningful opportunities for all the Delta people.

STRATEGIC GOALS
Three goals form the foundation of the RDP III and focus DRA's efforts on programs, investments, and initiatives that will enhance the Delta region's long-term economic prosperity. The plan is organized around the following three goals with strategies and action items to support the goals:

- Goal 1: Improved Workforce Competitiveness
- Goal 2: Strengthened Infrastructure
- Goal 3: Increased Community Capacity

MANAGEMENT GOAL
Maintain organizational excellence and efficiency, invest in professional development, encourage innovation, and continue to be an effective steward of public funds.

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