Action Plan Presentation

Kampala-Uganda



Key Takeaways from TDD

- Identifying the problem
- Adequate consultations with all stakeholders
- Research and Development as a critical element of city competitiveness.
- Being focused and committed to long term strategic plans
- Leveraging technical and financial resources
- City Competitiveness as a core function

Challenges and What Needs to be Accomplished

Challenges

- 1. Too many strategies/plans that are not coordinated
- 2. inadequate stakeholder consultations and engagements
- Inadequate technical skills
 Financing

What needs to be done

- Embrace the element of integrated long term planning and implementation
- 2. Put in place a framework for stakeholder engagement
- More Collaboration with Private Sector for Technical skills development
- 4. Creatively identify financing alternatives for viable projects

Short, Medium and Long Term Actions and Milestones

Actions

- 1. Clearly establish our competitive and comparative advantages–(6 Months)
- 2. Clearly develop and communicate Private sector support incentives (12 Months)
- 3. Skills development to address specific Private Sector Needs (24 months)
- 4. Develop infrastructure in consultation/collaboration with Private Sector that supports and attracts business development–(2-5 Years)
- 5. Implementation of the GKMA Economic Development strategy to facilitate competiveness- (2-5 Years)

Milestones

- 1. Develop a City Comparative Index - – *(6 Months)*
- Develop a City Business
 Development Strategy (6 Months)
- 3. Support vocation skills development in the City (24 months)
- 4. Review and align the City Capital Investment Plan to Business Development Needs (2- 5 Years)

Barriers and Opportunities

Barriers

- Financing of the desired interventions
- Skills gaps
- Potential Public resistance
- implementation gap many good but unimplemented plans

Opportunities

- Available legal, policy and institutional frameworks in place
- Available BTVET that need to be coordinated and supported to prepare required skills gaps
- Employment Service Bureau is in place
- A large Youth populations population dividend
- A diversified economy
- Some studies are already in place *LED*, *Transport Master Plan*, *etc*..

Support and Knowledge Required

- Support in developing meaningful and quantifiable implementable plans from all the many strategies
- Twinning and exchange arrangements with other successful Cities
- Skills development
- Support national initiatives/programmes aimed at promoting private sector to be more vibrant and competitive
- Organise a TDD in Kampala with key decision makers