# **Kentucky District Export Council**

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## Strategic Plan 2012

#### Goal 1

Raise awareness of the available export assistance resources for companies in Kentucky (and Kentuckiana region).

## Strategy:

- 1. Inform congressional offices of needs, interests, and successes of Kentucky exporters
- Tactics:
  - 1. Conduct briefings with DEC members
  - 2. Invite congressional to events (NEI/KEI)
  - 3. Support success stories
  - 2. Conduct Outreach directly to Kentucky exporters to promote exporting in partnership with the US Commercial Service and other resources.

## Tactics:

- 1. Target new partners
- 2. Participate in events
- 3. Develop mentoring targets and industry sector contacts
- 4. Newsletter (bi-annual or possibly quarterly)
- 5. KDEC LinkedIn group page.

#### Goal 2

Support The National DEC and related program

### Goal 3

Support the National Export Initiative

All DEC activities are developed to support the NEI and Governor Beshear's KEI. The mayor of Louisville is also launching a local initiative with DEC support.

Goal 4

Raise Funds to Support DEC Outreach and Related Activities