APPALACHIAN REGION

FISCAL YEAR 2021 INVESTMENT SNAPSHOT

- **$163.4M** TOTAL ARC INVESTMENT
- **465** PROJECTS
- **$1.0B** ADDITIONAL PRIVATE INVESTMENTS LEVERAGED
- **20,625** JOBS CREATED OR RETAINED
- **25,100** STUDENTS AND WORKERS TRAINED AND EDUCATED
- **69,825** HOUSEHOLDS/BUSINESSES SERVED WITH INFRASTRUCTURE

FY 2021 COUNTY ECONOMIC STATUS IN APPALACHIA

- Levels of Economic Status
  - Distressed County
  - At-Risk County
  - Transitional County
  - Competitive County
  - Attainment County

FISCAL YEAR 2021 INVESTMENT PRIORITIES

- **ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES**
  - **$25.8M**
  - Invested in entrepreneurial strategies to strengthen the economy in Appalachia

- **READY WORKFORCE**
  - **$38.4M**
  - Invested to increase the education, knowledge, skills, and health of Appalachian residents to work and succeed

- **CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE**
  - **$73.1M**
  - Invested in Appalachia’s critical infrastructure development, including broadband, transportation, and water/wastewater systems

- **NATURAL & CULTURAL ASSETS**
  - **$12.3M**
  - Invested to leverage the economic potential of Appalachia’s natural and cultural heritage

- **LEADERSHIP & COMMUNITY CAPACITY**
  - **$13.8M**
  - Invested to build the capacity and skills of Appalachia’s current and next-generation leaders and organizations in Appalachia to advance community and economic development

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