OTHER RESOURCES

To help strengthen this module, the authors would like to include some additional resources. Some useful Web sites are included below. The exhibits referenced in the text are also included, as are links to three related fact sheets from Ohio State University Extension.

Ohio State University Extension Factsheets

OSU Extension offers several economic and community-development fact sheets, a complete listing of which is on the OSU Extension Web site. Some relevant ones are listed below. While the fact sheets focus on Ohio, they contain information that can be used by most communities.

- Characteristics of an industrial site
- Developing rural industrial parks
- Brownfields and their redevelopment
- Shell building development

General Economic Development

- American Economic Development Council
  National professional organization for economic development practitioners. Has several publications and other resources.
- Southern Economic Development Council
  Regional economic development group that also offers publications.
- National Business Incubation Association
  Organization for business incubators.
- The Council for Urban Economic Development
  Another American organization for practitioners of economic development. This one focuses on urban areas.
- Center for Community Economic Development
  Economic development policy group that focuses on asset building. Offers publications and services.

General Demographic/Economic Information

- U.S. Statistical Abstracts
  General statistical information.
- U.S. Census Bureau
  Good starting point to find any socio-demographic data in the United States.