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Programming Areas

- Local Government Center program coordination and administration
- Center for Community and Economic Development program coordination and administration
- Business Improvement District (BID) development education
- Rural Landscape/Building Preservation education

Audience and Partners

- County-based UWEX educators
- Local government and community development officials and practitioners
- Agency and institutional partners include: Wisconsin's local government associations, Wisconsin Main Street program, Wisconsin Downtown Action Council, Wisconsin Association of Business Improvement Districts, Wisconsin Historical Society and both the Wisconsin and National Trust for Historic Preservation

Team Membership

- CNRED Leadership/ Support
 - Economic Development - Downtown Vitality and Community Placemaking
 - Local Government – Local Government & Finance
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Educational Resources

Publications

- See: <http://www.uwex.edu/lgc/cp&d/bidpage/bid.htm>
- 2001. Business Improvement District (BID) Development in Wisconsin. Let's Talk Business Newsletter. March: No.55.
- See: <http://www.uwex.edu/lgc/barns/barns.htm>

Workshops, Wislines and Other Programs

- Annual Statewide Business Improvement District (BID) Seminar. Last Held: February 16, 2006.
See: <http://www.uwex.edu/lgc/program/workshops.htm>
- Annual Statewide Barn Preservation Workshops. Last held: April 22-24, 2005.
See: <http://www.uwex.edu/lgc/barns/barnworks.htm>
- Periodic Business Improvement District (BID) Development WisLines. Last held: November 9, 2005, as part of the Local Government Center's "Local Land Use Planning and Zoning" series.
See: <http://www.uewx.edu/lgc/locgov/htm>

Online Tools

- See above links

Research and Outreach

- Annual survey of statewide Business Improvement Districts (BIDs). Funded since 1992, in part by the Wisconsin Downtown Action Council.