

## **Fountain Colorado Enterprise Zone**

The Enterprise Zone is a tax credit Incentive program offered by the State of Colorado through local municipalities to encourage business development in targeted areas of the State



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**El Paso County Economic Development** 

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The program is administered by the County. Please see reverse side for details.

## **Enterprise Zone State Income Tax Incentives:**

EMPLOYEE TAX CREDITS	AMOUNT
New Job Creation	\$1,100 state income tax credit per new employee \$500 for agricultural
Employer Sponsored Healthcare	\$1,000 per covered employee
Training	12% of qualified training expenses

ASSET TAX CREDITS	AMOUNT
Personal Property Tax	The City can negotiate personal property tax credits for new business facilities
Research & Development	3% of increased Research & Development expenditures
Equipment	3% of equipment purchases
Manufacturing Equipment	Exempt from State and County sales and use tax on purchases of manufacturing machinery, machine tools and parts
Vacant Building Rehabilitation	25% of rehab expenditures

DONATION TAX CREDIT	AMOUNT
Applicable to any taxpayer who contributes a monetary or in-kind donation to a pre-qualified contribution tax credit program within an Enterprise Zone	25% cash contribution / 12.5% in-kind contribution

Each year businesses must submit an application to claim tax credits annually

Application and FAQ Sheet can be found at: <a href="https://www.advancecolorado.com/ez">www.advancecolorado.com/ez</a>