

## **Benchmarks: Job Growth, Education, Per-Capita Income**

### **Aviation**

- Keep the Kansas aviation industry competitive through continued state investments in the National Institute for Aviation Research at Wichita State University and through support of business-driven technical training at the National Center for Aviation Training at Jabara. (2012: ongoing support)

### **Medical**

- State support for 25% expansion in the capacity of nursing programs in existing post-secondary public education institutions in South Central Kansas. (2012: maintain funding)
- Support for a Kansas Center for Innovation for Biomaterials in Orthopaedic Research in south-central-Kansas through the Kansas Bioscience Authority. (2012: ongoing funding)

### **General Infrastructure**

- State support to maintain and expand low cost commercial air service from Mid-Continent Airport. (2012: maintain funding)
- Support for state funding for Equus Beds Aquifer Storage and Recovery Project and maintenance. (2012: maintain funding)
- Support for Kansas Small Business Development Centers (KSBDC) and maintenance of ongoing funding. (2012: maintain funding)