# **ARIZONA COMPETES FUND**

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Pursuant to A.R.S. §41-1545 *et seq.*, the Arizona Commerce Authority (ACA) administers the Arizona Competes Fund. Under A.R.S. §41-1545.02, grants from the Arizona Competes Funds may be used for (i) attracting, expanding or retaining Arizona businesses; and (ii) supporting and advancing programs and projects for rural businesses, small businesses and business development that enhance economic development. The ACA's fiscal year 2013 is July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2013.

### **Quarterly Report**

Below is a summary of quarterly activity under the Arizona Competes Fund during fiscal year 2013.

### **1**<sup>st</sup> **Quarter** (7/1/12 through 9/30/12)

#### **Grants Awarded:**

1. Grantee: Maverick HealthCare Group, LLC

Awarded: \$1,000,000

New Jobs: 376 (NAICS 532291)

Average Wage: \$65,000

Health Insurance: 65% paid by company

Capital Investment: \$15,000,000

2. Grantee: Acceler8 Technologies Corporation

Awarded: \$1,000,000

New Jobs: 65 (NAICS 334516)

Average Wage: \$63,000

Health Insurance: 65% paid by company

Capital Investment: \$4,520,000

Note: Actual job creation and capital investment numbers will not be available until the recipient submits its first annual progress report.

#### **Fund Status**

To date in fiscal year 2013, the ACA has awarded two grants in the amount of \$2,000,000 dollars. Cumulatively, the ACA has approved \$7,200,000 to six grantees since the inception of the program in July 2011.

## **Future Reporting Dates**

2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter Report	(10/1/12 through 12/31/12)	January 15, 2013
3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter Report	(1/1/13 through 3/31/13)	April 15, 2013
4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter Report	(4/1/13 through 6/30/13)	July 15, 2013
<b>Comprehensive Annual Report</b>	(7/1/12 through 6/30/13)	November 1, 2013