

# Livability and Jobs

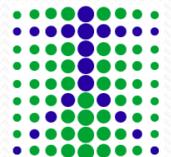
## Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis

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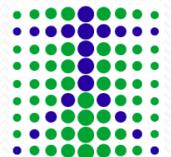
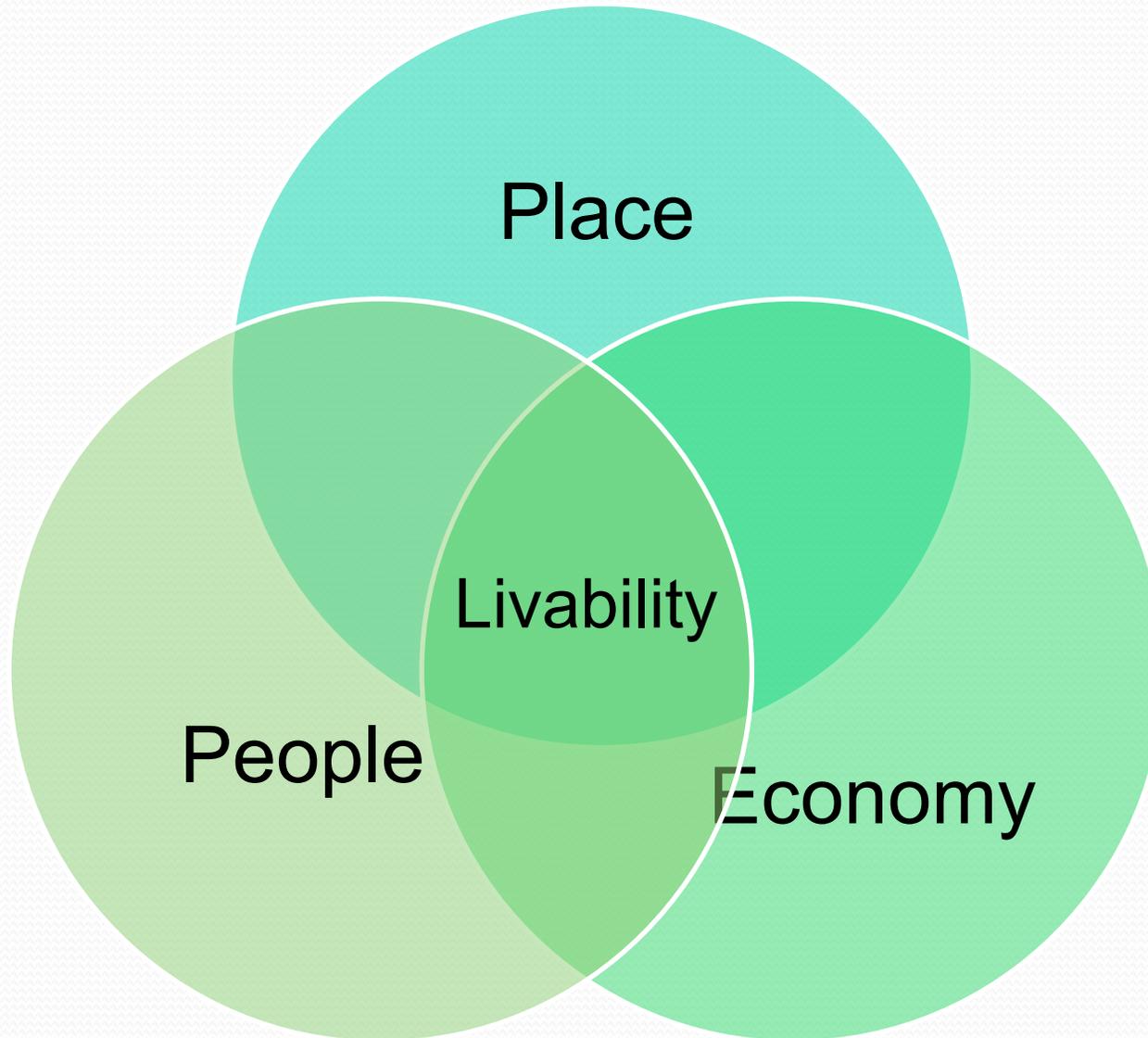
Andre Pettigrew, *Executive Director of Climate Prosperity, Inc.*

# About Partners for Livable Communities

- People + Place = Community
- Livability is the sum of factors that add up to a community's quality of life. As the residents, needs, and resources of our communities become increasingly diverse, the time for a balanced definition of livability is now.



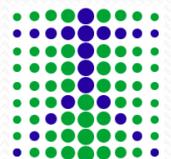
# Elements of Livability



# Taking Up The Call: City Sustainable

*“Today it is time for Americans to unite behind a new cause, the City Sustainable, an effective and galvanizing successor to the City Beautiful Movement...America needs a revival of the progressive energies and the creative vision that characterized the movement. A moment of vast and transforming change is now underway.”*

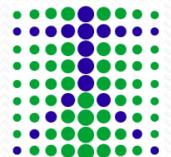
-William K. Reilly, 2011





# The Economics of Sustainability

- Incorporate sustainability into the ever evolving definition of a livable community
  - Environmental sustainability is a powerful tool in strengthening economies and improving local quality of life
- Environmental concerns and economic opportunity
  - The emerging green economy
  - Equity of opportunity



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