

**Lackawanna County Arts Program, February 2011** – The Institute conducted a visioning session, as well as an assessment of the existing strategic plan and demographic and competitive changes in order to prepare a short-term strategic re-direction of the department.

**Luzerne County Arts & Cultural Assessment and Cultural Plan, April 2007** – An initial needs assessment included an inventory of all cultural organizations in the county, with the purpose of determining assets, gaps, missed opportunities, and challenges. A strategic plan and an implementation plan were presented to county commissioners to create an effective and efficient organization structure.

**Coordinated Arts Delivery System Study, December 2006** – The research team completed an assessment of case studies and best practices from communities and regions throughout the United States that provide arts and cultural programs for their communities. The objective of this project was to explore the economic impact such programs generate.