

## SEPTEMBER 2004

### **Coastal Bend College**

An expanded committee for each of our 4 campuses and centers has been selected. Meetings have been held with the Alice and Kingsville centers, and meetings are scheduled for the Beeville and Pleasanton locations. Alice is finding a little difficulty in developing a economically feasible transportation plan and may need to look at how to address this issue through another means. Kingsville is working on an adult literacy project. Selected members of all 4 expanded teams are planning to visit Brownsville, Texas to see their advanced technology and business conference center.

### **East Central Community College**

The East Central core and expanded teams continue to improve College outreach responses, increase College offerings in response to the region's 'rural voices' and develop more services around the topics identified to enhance the knowledge-base and skill-sets of the people in the service area.

### **Piedmont Community College**

The Piedmont Community College RCCI project in conjunction with the NC Department of Commerce 21st Century Communities project has completed the research phase of the Strategic Plan for Caswell County. The first of the projects from the plan, The Agro Expo - Alternatives to Tobacco, is scheduled for November 12th.