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Mission Statement and Performance Measurements

The purpose of the HVADC is the development, promotion, enhancement and retention of the agricultural industry and its associated economic and environmental benefits within New York's Hudson Valley. HVADC promotes the Hudson Valley as an attractive, viable region for agriculture through technical assistance, business development services and the coordination of financial and other resources.

2015 Performance Goals:

- Assist 35-40 businesses through the Incubator Without Walls program
- Participate in regional economic development efforts and planning processes
- With Board of Directors approval, participate in special project(s) as the opportunity or need arise

Additional questions:

 Have the board members acknowledged that they have read and understood the mission of the public authority?

Yes

- 2. Who has the power to appoint the management of the public authority? **The HVADC Board of Directors**
- 3. If the Board appoints management, do you have a policy you follow when appointing the management of the public authority?
 - Yes described in the Bylaws and the Salary and Compensation Policy
- 4. Briefly describe the role of the Board and the role of management in the implementation of the mission.
 - Management is responsible for implementation of the mission and the Board provides direction and oversight.
- 5. Has the Board acknowledged that they have read and understood the responses to each of these questions?

Yes