

Boulder Innovation Center

Boulder's Entrepreneurial Hub

Mid-Year 2008 Metrics Report

Welcome from the Executive Director

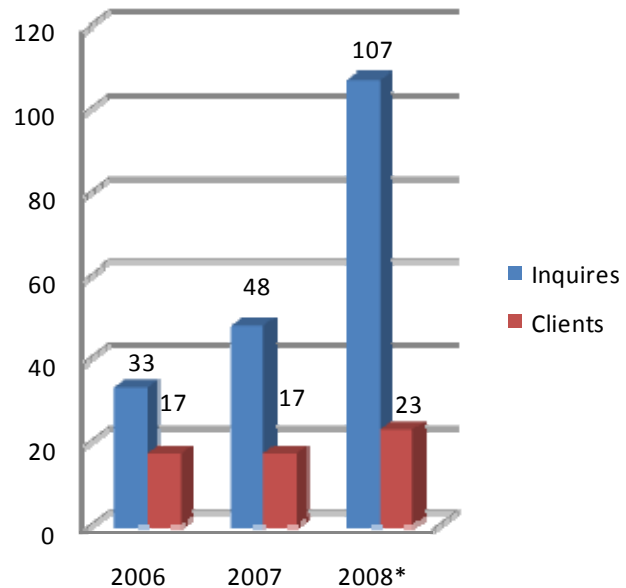
In this edition of the Boulder Innovation Center's (BIC) Metrics, we wanted to share the results that Boulder's Entrepreneurial Community has achieved for the first six months of 2008. The BIC actively supports early stage companies and entrepreneurs, who create jobs, grow revenue, invest capital, rent real estate and as a result create a vibrant, sustainable economy here in Boulder. These numbers are an indication of their hard work and commitment to making their dreams a reality.

As a non-profit, the BIC is deeply indebted to its Public and Private Sponsors and volunteer Advisors. Without them, the support provided to clients and the BIC's positive impact would be impossible.

Sincerely,

Tim Bour
Executive Director,
Boulder Innovation Center

Clients



* Data collected for the first 6 months of 2008

BIC-Client Interaction: Activity that results in the BIC providing support to emerging businesses in the Boulder area. In first half of 2008, the BIC spoke with one hundred seven firms about their businesses and provided them with some level of assistance. Thirteen firms became active Clients. The other ten Clients come from our activities as a commercialization partner with the University of Colorado.

Boulder's Entrepreneurial Activity: A Snapshot of the First 6 Months of 2008

The BIC uses guidelines from the *National Business Incubation Association* to collect and prepare the Metrics Report. All of the information collected from both current Clients and Client Alumni is aggregated and any identifiable information is removed. For this edition, the BIC collected data for the first 6 months of 2008. We expect the numbers for yearend 2008 to be significantly higher and will report those into 2009. On an ongoing basis, the areas reported are: BIC-Client interaction, number of new employees added, total number of employees, gross revenue, capital raised, and the amount of commercial square footage leased.

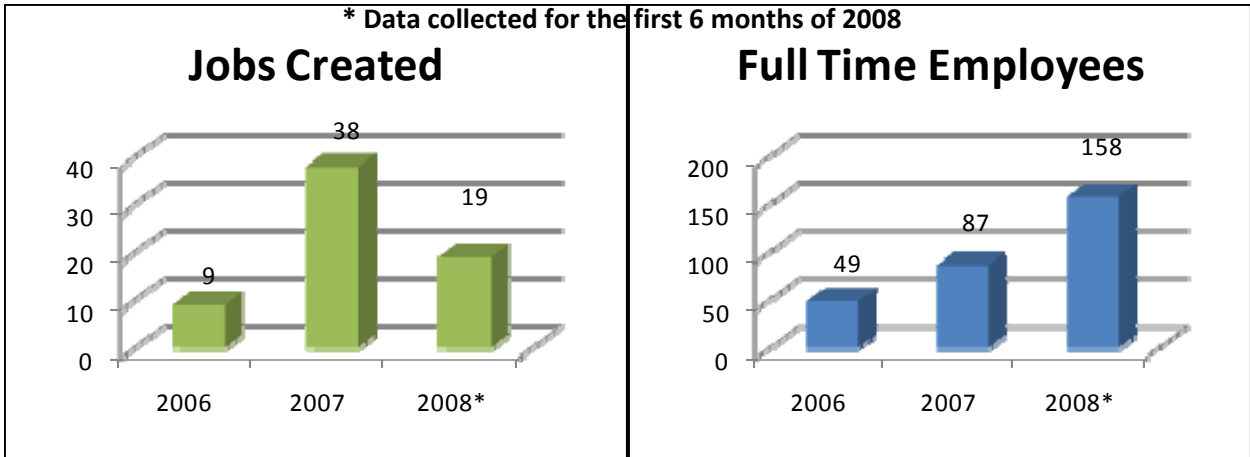
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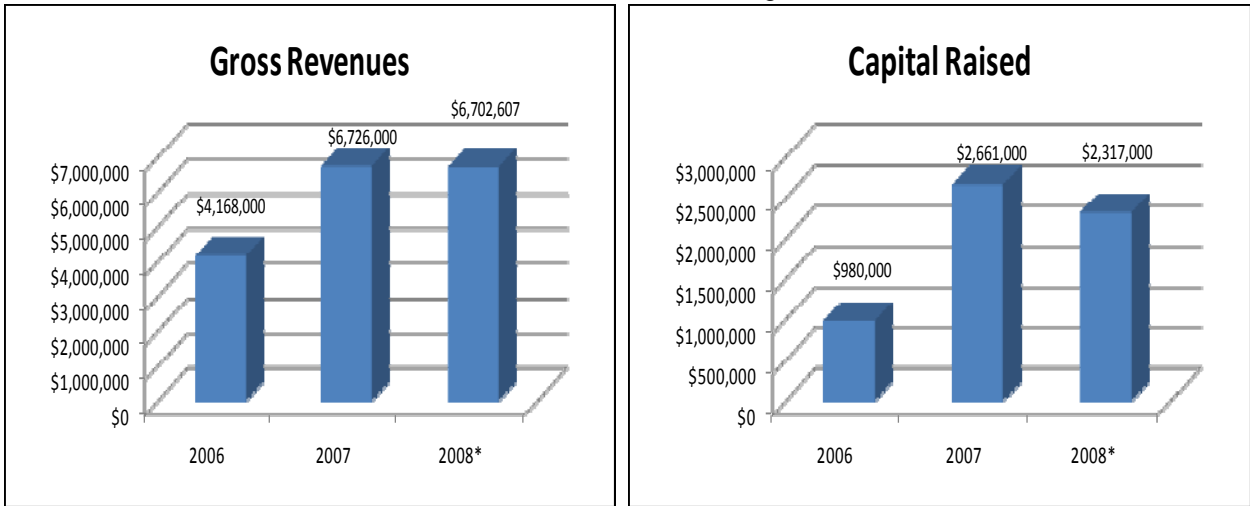
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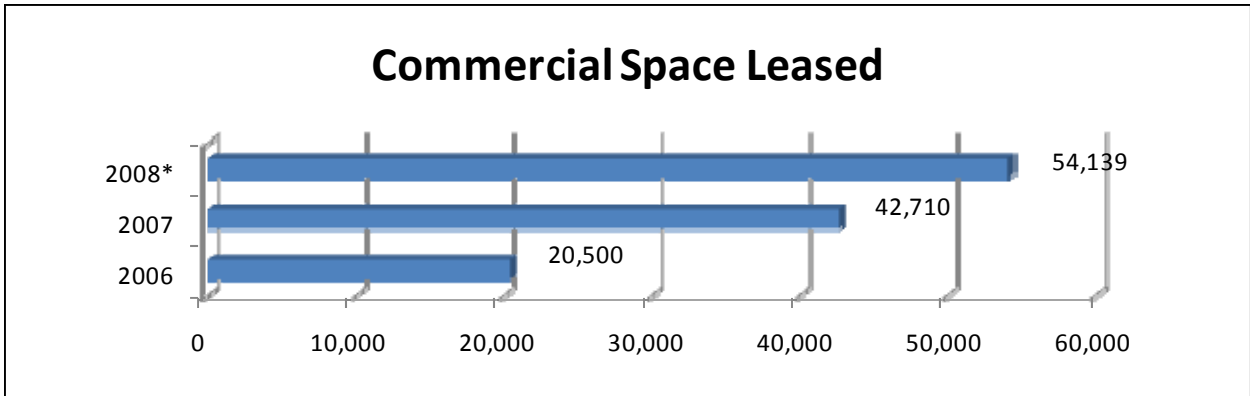
Jobs Created: The number of new positions added at current Clients and Alumni.

Total Employment: The total number of employees working for current Clients and Alumni.



Gross Revenue: The total revenue of current Clients and Alumni

Capital Raised: Total capital raised annually by current Clients and Alumni.



Commercial Space Leased: The total square footage (ft²) of commercial real estate leased by current Clients and Alumni.