



Arizona's Bioscience Roadmap

A Model of Engagement for a 501(c)(3) Foundation

Origin

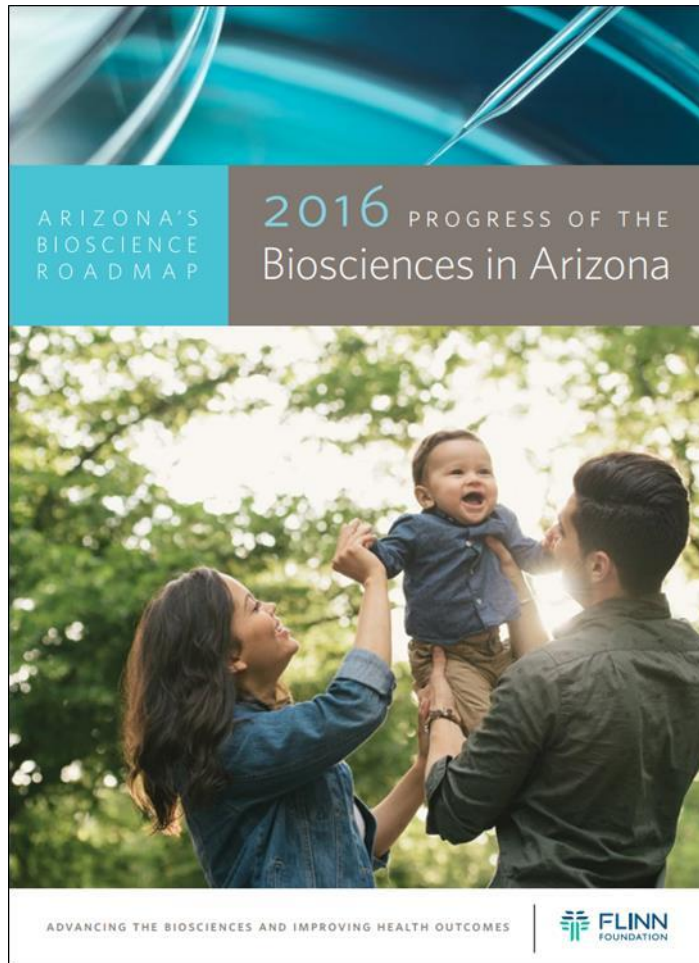


1965: “To improve the quality of life in Arizona, to benefit future generations.”

2000: 10-year bio funding commitment

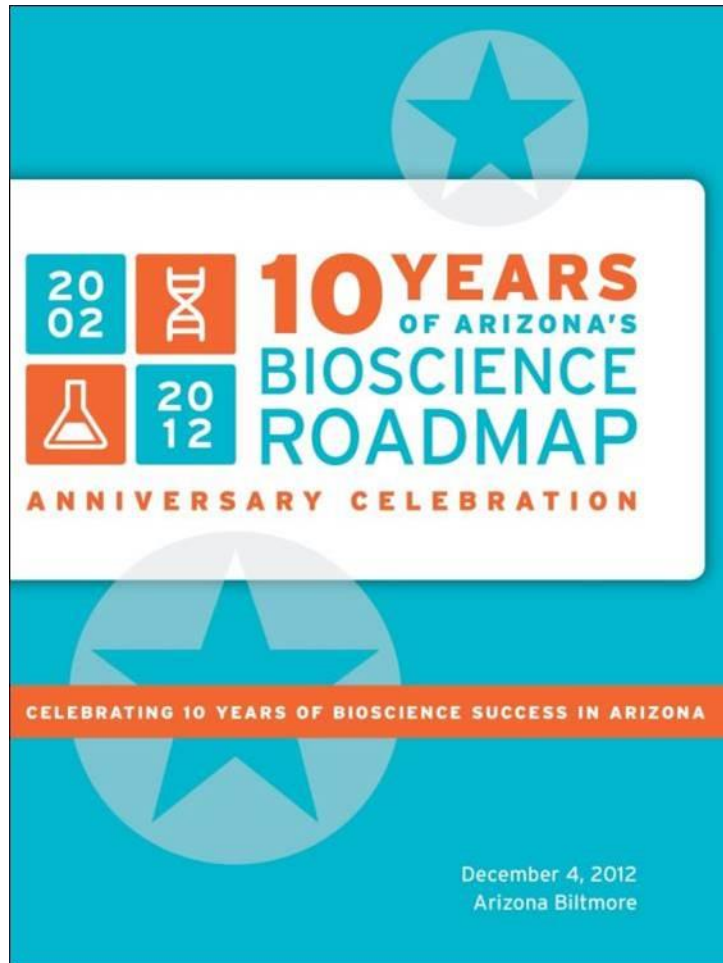
2002: Arizona’s Bioscience Roadmap

Goals and Metrics



- Battelle consultancy
- Multi-sector endorsement
- Existing & emerging strengths
- Regular convening & reporting

Steering Committee



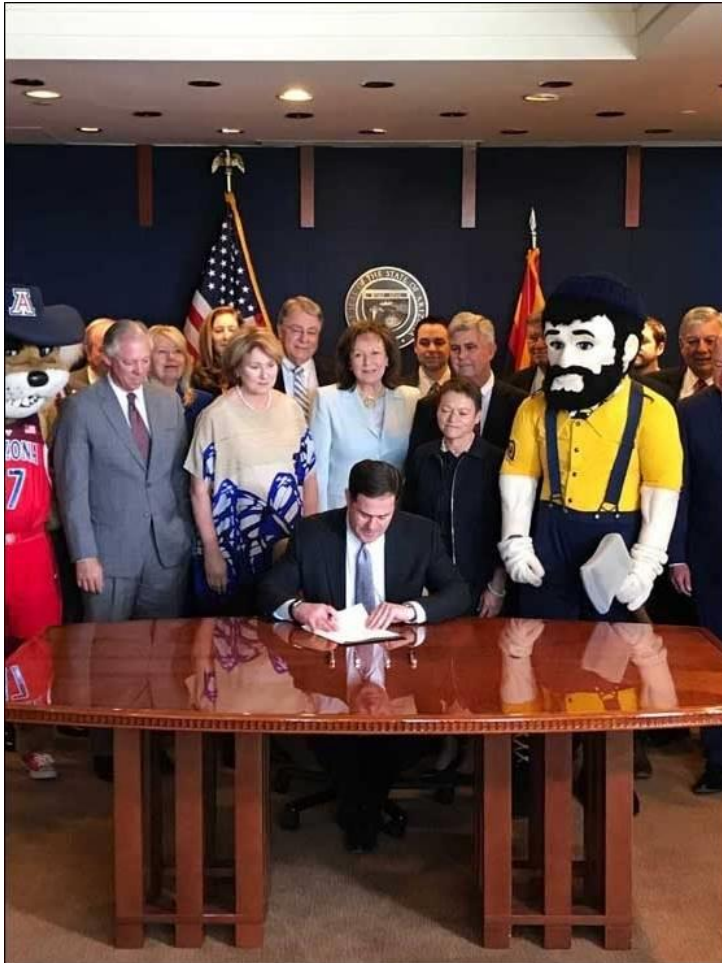
- Multi-sector membership
- C-level leaders
- Quarterly convening
- Education, message alignment, advocacy

Reaching Policy Makers



- [irs.gov/charities-non-profits/lobbying](https://www.irs.gov/charities-non-profits/lobbying)
- “77 potential actions”
- Annual legislative reception
- Biennial candidate forums

Progress



- Cornerstone organizations
- Research funding & activity
- Industry & employment
- Public-sector investment

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