

# Indiana Economic Development Corp.



#### **ABOUT**

The Indiana Economic Development Corporation (IEDC) is charged with growing the state economy, driving economic development, helping businesses launch, grow, and locate in the state. The IEDC is organized as a public private partnership and manages many initiatives, including performance-based tax credits, workforce training grants, innovation and entrepreneurship resources, public infrastructure assistance, and talent attraction and retention efforts.

### **CHALLENGE**

IEDC currently works with a vendor (Ironclad) to manage digital contracts through their entire lifecycle. Ironclad recently expanded upon their capabilities, but in order for IEDC to utilize the new features, they need to implement either Boomi or MuleSoft as a middleware platform. By doing so, it will allow for IEDC to integrate their Dynamics 365 platform to Ironclad's proprietary middleware. Additionally, it will provide IEDC the opportunity to create automatic processes, organically alleviating silos and duplicated efforts across teams.

## **SOLUTION**

In order to adhere to state standards and best practices, IEDC reached out to the Microsoft Center of Excellence (CoE) to explore which platform would best suit their needs.

After learning more about IEDC's requirements, the Microsoft CoE quickly determined that IOT's Data Exchange team would be essential in the success of this project. Within 48 hours, IEDC, the Microsoft CoE, and IOT's Data Exchange team met and decided to move forward with MuleSoft (adhering to state standards).

#### **RESULTS & BUSINESS VALUE**

Due to the prompt engagement and cross-departmental collaboration between the various teams, the appropriate platform was identified in an expediated manner. Moreover, by choosing MuleSoft, IEDC remains aligned and consistent with state requirements.

MuleSoft is currently estimated to give live for IEDC on October 1, 2024.