



CITY OF LONG BEACH

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

333 WEST OCEAN BOULEVARD - LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA 90802

April 20, 2010

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL City of Long Beach California

RECOMMENDATION:

Authorize the City Manager to execute contracts and amendments totaling \$456,000 with various training and other service providers, including two Long Beach-based entities, in support of the Workforce Investment Network's One-Stop Career Centers that provide employment services to adult and dislocated worker residents. (Citywide)

DISCUSSION

As the Workforce Investment Board's administering agency, the Workforce Investment Network (Network) administers the federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA), American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA), and other employment and training funds awarded annually and throughout the year. Those funds support job-training programs and business services delivered by five One-Stop Career Centers and selected community-based organizations to assist local residents in updating skills, transitioning from a lay-off, and filling skills gaps with businesses in the local economy.

The Network has met and completed required procurement processes to select the service providers (Attachment). The procurement processes focused on organizations and individuals qualified and capable of providing staffing and training services that support activities at the Network's One-Stop Career Centers located throughout the Region. Services will be delivered onsite at Network facilities, at vendor facilities, and/or at other community-based locations.

This matter was reviewed by Deputy City Attorney Gary J. Anderson on April 6, 2010, and by Budget Management Officer Victoria Bell on April 2, 2010.

TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

City Council action is requested on April 20, 2010 to facilitate processing of required documents.

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FISCAL IMPACT

Sufficient funds are currently appropriated in the Community Development Grants Fund (SR 150) in the Department of Community Development (CD). There is no impact to the General Fund.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

DENNIS LIHYS

DIRECTOR

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

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4-20-10 One-Stop Career Centers Service Providers v3

Attachment

APPROVED:

PATRICK H. WEST CITY MANAGER

Workforce Investment Network One-Stop Career Centers Service Providers Contract Requests

TRAINING VENDOR / SERVICE PROVIDER	PRIMARY AREA OF INSTRUCTION / SERVICE SPECIFICS	CURRENT CONTRACT/BPO TERMS	ACTION REQUEST (NEW CONTRACT OR AMENDMENT)	NEW CONTRACT TERMS
LAUSD (Division of Adult & Career Education – Harbor Occupational Center)	Cohort Training/ Short-Term Industry Certifications: Photovoltaic Welding	12/1/09 — 5/31/11 \$110,000 (Contract #31483)	Add: \$150,000	12/1/09 – 5/31/11 \$260,000
SVM	Supportive Services, Training Incentives for the Unemployed	7/1/09 – 9/30/10 \$95,000*	7/1/10 – 6/30/11 New: \$200,000	7/1/10 – 6/30/11 \$200,000
Goodwill Serving the People of Southern Los Angeles County [Long Beach-based]	On-Site professional career counseling and job development in support of the	7/1/09 – 6/30/10 \$32,000	Add: \$58,000	7/1/09 – 6/30/10 \$90,000
AbilityFirst	Disability Program Navigator Grant	7/1/09 – 6/30/10 \$42,000	Add: \$48,000	7/1/09 – 6/30/10 \$90,000
[Long Beach-based]	which received augmented mid-year funding			
TOTAL			\$456,000	

^{*} Will convert an existing Blanket Purchase Order into a full contract