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City of Long Beach

Legislation Text

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Recommendation to authorize City Manager, or designee, to execute all documents and any needed subsequent amendments, with various Pacific Gateway Workforce Innovation Network service and product providers for training and employment services to residents, to increase the total amount by \$1,900,000, for a revised total aggregate amount not to exceed \$5,105,712, and to extend for one additional one-year period, with an option to renew for two additional one-year periods. (Citywide)

Pacific Gateway Workforce Innovation Network (Pacific Gateway) administers the Federal Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) and other employment and training funds received annually by the City. Those funds support job training programs and business services delivered by the Workplace, Harbor Gateway WorkSource Center, Harbor YouthSource Center, FutureLB, and selected community-based organizations to assist residents to acquire skills leading to employment in high-demand occupations with local employers.

Pacific Gateway utilizes labor market information, industry feedback, and changes in the industry to monitor hiring needs. Such practices ensure that local skill training design and investments are in industries with growth and demand leading to employment for residents. For training programs not associated with Pacific Gateway initiatives connected with local colleges and universities, customers are required by the WIOA to select training providers procured and/or approved through the State's Eligible Training Provider List (ETPL).

Vendors under the ETPL are exempt from other local procurements, as are employers participating in On-the-Job Training (OJT), and Customized Training (CT) programs, as mandated by WIOA. Pacific Gateway initiates an agreement and Munis Contract to accommodate the cost of training once a customer makes a selection from the vendor ETPL, or when an employer initiates an OJT or CT program. If the Munis Contract is anticipated to exceed \$100,000, Pacific Gateway obtains City Council approval to initiate an increase and, as applicable, enter in to a formal contract.

Pacific Gateway will continue to partner with the following training and service providers outlined below, based on customer demand. Pacific Gateway requests contract increases and renewals for the coming months for existing vendors with current agreements with the City.

Service Provider	Primary Area of Instruction/ Services/ Product	Current Contract/BPO Munis Contract Terms	Amendment	New Contract/Munis Contract Terms
	Operator		Add: \$250,000	10/15/16 - 09/30/21 \$745,000
California State University Dominguez Hills	and Health Certificate § Project	\$480,000 Contract	Add 1 Year Add: \$200,000	10/15/16 - 10/14/21 \$680,000
El Camino College	§ US Coast Guard STCW § Medical Assistant § Medical Billing & Coding	12/01/16 - 11/30/20 3172500020 \$130,842	Add 1 Year Add: \$200,000	12/01/16 - 11/30/21 \$330,842
Employed Security Service Center	,		Add 1 Year Add: \$100,000	01/01/17 - 12/30/21 \$375,000
Hacienda La Puente Adult Education	§ Pest Control Technician § Computer Networking and Repair	10/15/16 - 10/14/20 3172500013 \$100,000	Add 1 Year Add: \$150,000	10/15/16 - 10/14/21 \$250,000
LAUSD (Harbor Occupational & Maxine Waters)	§ Welding § Computer Operations Specialist § Medical Assistant		Add 1 Year Add: \$350,000	01/01/18 - 12/31/21 \$800,000
Nurses Development Center Inc.	§ Nursing Assistant			10/01/17 - 09/30/21 \$650,000
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UCLA Extension		01/01/17 - 12/30/20		01/01/17 -
	Database		Add:	12/30/21
		\$204,870	\$150,000	\$354,870
	Human Resource			
	Management ·			
	Project			
	Management			
Long Beach	§ Patient Care	11/01/16 - 12/31/19	Add 1 Year	11/01/16 -
Memorial Medical	Assistant (PCA)	3172500057	Add:	12/31/20
Center (LBMCC)	Customized	\$670,000 Contract	\$250,000	\$920,000
	Training § On-the-	34622		
	Job Training			

This matter was reviewed by Deputy City Attorney Amy R. Webber and by Grants and Projects Officer Arlen Crabtree on February 19, 2020.

City Council action is requested on March 17, 2020, to facilitate processing of required documents.

Sufficient WIOA grant funding is currently appropriated in the Community Development Grants Fund Group in the Economic Development Department. This recommendation has no staffing impact beyond the budgeted scope of duties and is consistent with existing City Council priorities. Approval of this recommendation will result in job training, skills enhancement, and employment opportunities for hundreds of residents.

Approve recommendation.

JOHN KEISLER
DIRECTOR OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

APPROVED:

THOMAS B. MODICA ACTING CITY MANAGER