

INFORMATION NOTICE

WORKFORCE SERVICES

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TO: WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT COMMUNITY

SUBJECT: INDUSTRIES WITH A STATEWIDE NEED SFP—RECOVERY ACT FUNDS

On November 4, 2009, the Employment Development Department, the California Workforce Investment Board, in coordination with the Labor and Workforce Development Agency announced the availability of up to \$10.4 million of American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (Recovery Act), Workforce Investment Act (WIA), Governor's Discretionary 15 Percent funds to expand job training through a Solicitation for Proposals (SFP). The goal of this SFP is to fund specific industry sector strategies that connect workforce investment resources to those industries expected to play a major role in the recovery or expansion of the local/regional economy and where there is a shortage of skilled workers.

Proposals will be accepted from public, private non-profit, and private for-profit organizations, Local Workforce Investment Boards, education and training providers and faith-based and community based organizations. Individuals are not eligible to apply. See additional eligibility restrictions and requirements in the SFP.

Proposal applications must be received NO later than Tuesday, December 8, 2009, before 3:00 p.m. For more information please refer to the SFP. Questions regarding the SFP will be accepted until November 16, 2009, by e-mail to WIASFP@edd.ca.gov. Copies of the SFP, as well as related information, are available on the [Workforce Development SFP](#) Web site.

If you have any questions regarding this SFP, please contact Melissa Ochoa at (916) 653-1263.

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