



## ARRA GREEN JOBS TRAINING: ENERGY TRAINING PARTNERSHIP GRANT AWARDS



### Energy Training Partnership Grants Overview

On January 4, 2010, Secretary of Labor Hilda L. Solis announced nearly \$100 million in Energy Training Partnership green jobs training grants, as authorized by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Recovery Act). Approximately \$28 million of the total funds support projects in communities impacted by auto industry restructuring. 25 projects ranging from approximately \$1.4 to \$5 million each received grants. These grants are built on strategic partnerships — requiring labor and business to work together.

The Energy Training Partnership grant program provides training for workers that prepare them to enter the energy efficiency and renewable energy industries, as well as green occupations within other industries. These grants invest in partnerships made up of diverse set of stakeholders including labor organizations, public or private employers in the energy efficiency and renewable energy industries, and the workforce system. Bringing together the workforce expertise of these groups will allow grantees to develop programs that are responsive to the needs of both workers and employers, and that provide participants with the support needed to successfully complete training. The grantees will utilize these partnerships to design and distribute training approaches that lead to portable industry credentials and employment, including registered apprenticeship.

The Department of Labor awarded grants to workforce development projects that focused on connecting target populations to career pathways in green industries. The Department was also interested in projects that contributed to our understanding of green industries and jobs that clean and enhance our environment. These investments are designed to achieve the following goals:

- Provide training and placement services in the energy efficiency and renewable energy industries for workers impacted by national energy and environmental policy, individuals in need of updated training related to the energy efficiency and renewable energy industries, and unemployed workers.
- All training and placement activities funded through this grant program will be conducted at the local level.
- A portion of the total funds—approximately \$28 million—are reserved for projects that will serve communities impacted by automotive industry-related restructuring.

### Green Jobs Energy Training Partnership Grant Awards

Grant Recipient	Location of Grant	Areas Served	Award AMOUNT	Populations Served
Austin Electrical Joint Apprenticeship Training Committee (JATC)	Arizona; Oklahoma; Kansas; New Mexico; and Texas	Statewide for all	\$4,842,424	Unemployed workers and incumbent workers
Blue Green Alliance	Minnesota	Twin Cities 7-County Metro Area; Iron Range region of	\$5,000,000	Dislocated workers, women, minorities,

		Northeastern Minnesota (Crow Wing, Aitkin, Carlton, Cook, Itasca, Koochiching, Lake and St. Louis counties); and the 38 southern Minnesota counties		veterans, incumbent workers and unemployed steelworkers
Broward County Minority Builders Coalition	Florida	Broward County	\$3,280,656	Unemployed workers, veterans, women, ex-offenders and minorities
California State Labor Management Cooperation Committee for the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers and the National Electrical Contractors Association (LMCC-IBEW-NECA)	California	Statewide	\$5,000,000	Unemployed and underemployed electricians
Central Vermont Community Action Council Inc.	Vermont	State of Vermont — all 14 counties and 256 minor civil divisions	\$4,846,195	Unemployed, underemployed, veterans, high school dropouts, women and individuals with disabilities
Communications Workers of America (CWA) National Education and Training Trust	Ohio	Allen, Cuyahoga, Hamilton, Montgomery, Richland, Seneca, Shelby and Trumbull	\$3,969,056	Dislocated workers and veterans
Community Housing Partners Corporation	Virginia	<u>Counties:</u> Alleghany, Bland, Botetourt, Bristol, Carroll, Craig, Floyd, Franklin, Giles, Grayson, Montgomery, Pulaski, Roanoke, Smyth and Washington; <u>Cities:</u> Covington, Galax, Radford, Roanoke and Salem	\$3,865,480	Unemployed and dislocated workers
E.C.I.A Business Growth Inc.	Iowa, Minnesota and Wisconsin	Portions of Minnesota and Wisconsin and 27 county regions in Iowa	\$2,060,250	Unemployed and dislocated workers, high school graduates, veterans, disconnected youth, women and minorities
H-CAP Inc.	California, District of Columbia, Maryland, New York and Washington state	<u>California Counties:</u> Los Angeles, Riverside; <u>District of Columbia;</u> <u>Maryland Counties:</u> Baltimore and Prince Georges; <u>New York Counties:</u> Bronx, Kings, New York, Queens and Richmond; and <u>Washington State County:</u> King	\$4,637,551	Immigrants and minorities
Heritage Health Foundation	Pennsylvania	Upper Monongahela Valley region of Southwestern	\$1,408,601	Underemployed and unemployed workers,

		Pennsylvania		veterans, women and minorities
Institute for Career Development (ICD) Inc.	Indiana, New York, Ohio, and Pennsylvania	<u>Indiana Counties:</u> Jasper, Lake, LaPorte, Newton, Porter, Pulaski and Starke; <u>New York County:</u> Erie; <u>Ohio County:</u> Cuyahoga; and <u>Pennsylvania County:</u> Montgomery	\$4,658,983	Dislocated steelworkers
International Training Institute for the Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Industry	Michigan, Ohio, Missouri, Illinois, California, New Mexico and Texas	<u>Michigan Counties:</u> Detroit, Livonia, Ann Arbor, Warren, Wayne; <u>Ohio Counties:</u> Cleveland, Toledo, Akron, Youngstown; <u>Missouri County:</u> St. Louis, <u>Illinois:</u> East St. Louis); <u>California:</u> Los Angeles, Anaheim, Long Beach, Riverside, San Bernardino; <u>New Mexico Counties:</u> Albuquerque, Santa Fe, Las Cruces; <u>Texas Counties:</u> El Paso and Lubbock	\$4,995,188	Unemployed and underemployed individuals, veterans, minorities and women
International Transportation Learning Center	New Jersey, New York, Ohio and Utah	Statewide in New Jersey, New York and Utah; Columbus, Ohio	\$5,000,000	Minorities
Labor's Community Action Inc.	Colorado	Statewide	\$3,604,162	Dislocated workers, incumbent workers and newly trained workers
Memphis Bioworks Foundation	Tennessee and Arkansas	<u>Tennessee Counties:</u> Benton, Carroll, Chester, Crockett, Decatur, Dyer, Fayette, Gibson, Hardeman, Hardin, Haywood, Henderson, Henry, Lake, Lauderdale, Madison, McNairy, Obion, Shelby, Tipton and Weakley; <u>Arkansas Counties:</u> Crittenden, Cross, Lee, Phillips and St. Francis	\$2,931,103	Dislocated workers
Montana Electrical Joint Apprenticeship & Training Council (MEJATC)	Montana	Montana	\$5,000,000	Unemployed workers
National Ironworkers and Employers Apprenticeship Training and Journeyman Upgrading Fund	California, Illinois, New York, Texas, and Utah	20 counties in the 5 states impacted by auto restructuring: areas within 400 miles of La Palma, Calif.; Joliet, Ill.; West Seneca, N.Y.; Arlington, Texas; and Salt Lake City; Utah	\$1,943,931	Dislocated workers
Northwest Energy Efficiency Council	Washington state	<u>Counties:</u> Clallam, King, Kitsap, Pierce, and Snohomish <u>Cities:</u> Bremerton, Everett,	\$3,876,171	Older youth, dislocated workers, incumbent workers, veterans,

		Seattle, and Tacoma		women and individuals with disabilities
Ohio Electrical Labor Management Cooperative Committee	Ohio	<u>Auto Industry-Impacted Counties:</u> Adams, Allen, Auglaize, Carroll, Champaign, Clermont, Clinton, Crawford, Cuyahoga, Defiance, Erie, Fulton, Hamilton, Hancock, Hardin, Henry, Highland, Huron, Jackson, Knox, Logan, Lorain, Lucas, Madison, Montgomery, Morrow, Noble, Paulding, Pike, Preble, Putnam, Richland, Ross, Sandusky, Seneca, Shelby, Summit, Trumbull, Union, Van Wert, Wayne, Williams, Wood and Wyandot	\$4,826,073	Incumbent and dislocated workers, including veterans
Oregon Manufacturing Extension Partnership	Oregon and Washington	<u>Oregon Counties:</u> Clackamas, Multnomah, Marion, Polk, Washington and Yamhill; and <u>Washington Counties:</u> Clark, Cowlitz and Wahkiakum	\$5,000,000	Unemployed and dislocated workers and employed workers at local renewable energy industries
SER Metro-Detroit, Jobs for Progress Inc.	Michigan	Wayne County, and Detroit	\$4,298,673	Women, minorities and veterans
The Providence Plan	Rhode Island	Rhode Island	\$3,720,000	Ex-offenders, minorities and dislocated workers
Thomas Shortman Training Scholarship and Safety Fund	New York	New York City (all five boroughs)	\$2,802,269	Incumbent workers and minorities
United Auto Workers (UAW)-Labor Employment and Training Corporation (UAW-LETC)	Missouri	<u>Counties:</u> St. Charles and St. Louis	\$3,200,000	Veterans, ex-offenders, individuals with disabilities and women
Utility Workers Union of America (UWUA), AFL-CIO	California, Massachusetts, and New Jersey	<u>California Counties:</u> Los Angeles, San Bernardino and Riverside; <u>Massachusetts Counties:</u> Suffolk, Norfolk and Plymouth; and <u>New Jersey Counties:</u> Warren, Union, Sussex, Morris, Middlesex and Bergen	\$4,993,922	Women, minorities, older youth and incumbent workers