## National Dislocated Worker Grants

## WORKFORCE OPPORTUNITY FOR RURAL COMMUNITIES (WORC III)

<u>Appalachian Regional Commission and Delta Regional Authority (ARC - DRA)</u>
<u>Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA-ETA-21-08)</u>



Area to be Served: Tribes of Chitimacha, Coushatta, Jena Band of Cochtaw, Tunica Biloxi and the United Houma Nation.

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The goal of the WORC grants is to create economic prosperity and gainful employment opportunities for eligible residents in impacted ARC and DRA regions, enabling them to remain and thrive in these communities.

The Institute for Indian Development's (IID) project will focus on career pathways, on-site career training and certification testing, and tribal governments as model employers. IID will implement the Career Pathways model with support services to assist program participants. IID's Career Pathways model will provide wrap around, education-based, industry-focused job training services with multiple entry/exit points that align with regional employer needs.



