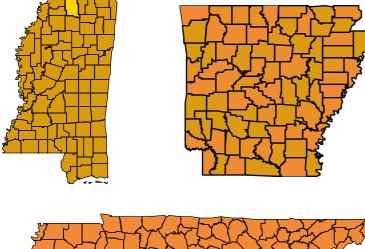
National Dislocated Worker Grants

WORKFORCE OPPORTUNITY FOR RURAL COMMUNITIES (WORC IV)

<u>Appalachian Regional Commission and Delta Regional Authority (ARC - DRA)</u> <u>Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA-ETA-22-13)</u>

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Areas to be Served: Marshall County, MS, Part of the Memphis - TN, MS AR Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA)

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YoWealth Academy Workforce Opportunities for Marshall County, MS

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.

YoWealth Academy is targeting new entrants and dislocated workers by providing a skillsand work-based learning experience leading to high quality employment opportunities in the construction and agricultural sectors. This project intends to prioritize serving historically marginalized communities, specifically Black or African Americans, disconnected youth and those currently unemployed as a result of the Covid 19 pandemic. Since 2014, YoWealth Academy has been preparing at-risk youth in Shelby County, TN. This project has expanded its scope and will continue to offer accelerated, skill-based training programs, and registered apprenticeship programs.

