## National Dislocated Worker Grants

## WORKFORCE OPPORTUNITY FOR RURAL COMMUNITIES (WORC Round V)

Appalachian Regional Commission and Delta Regional Authority (ARC - DRA)

<u>Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA-ETA-23-07)</u>



This map reflects the counties in the state.

Gold shading represents the counties served.

Area to be Served: Scioto and Lawrence Counties in Ohio

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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 Southern Ohio Manufacturing Workforce Pipeline will provide opportunities for disadvantaged Appalachians in Southern Ohio by providing training opportunities while simultaneously strengthening the area business climate through strengthening the region's workforce. The project will focus on manufacturing, plastics, goods producing, and other industries throughout the Scioto-Lawrence County development corridor which extends from Haverhill, Ohio on the Scioto/Lawrence County border east along the Ohio River to The Point Industrial Park in South Point, Ohio. Additionally, the project will focus on addressing and removing barriers area residents face when attempting to enter the workforce or upskill to living-wage positions.



Planned Participants 50



Award Amount \$1,500,000



Target
Population
Multiple Groups



Period of Performance 9/30/23 - 9/30/26