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WORKFORCE INVESTMENT NOTICE: 09-18

TO: WORKFORCE INVESTMENT AREAS

FROM: Donna Treglia, Administrator - Workforce Investment Office

SUBJECT: Changes in American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) Youth Allocations

DATE: May 10, 2010

1. Purpose. To provide guidance on the State Workforce Investment Office plan to distribute additional ARRA Youth monies to the Workforce Solutions of Providence/Cranston (WSPC), from the State Set-Aside Youth funding stream.

2. References.

- (a) TEGL 20-08
- (b) WIN 08-11 (Change 1)
- (c) WIN 08-14
- (d) Federal Register Subpart B, sections 665.200 and 665.210

3. Background. Due to Formula Allocation, WSPC received only 40.73% of the Youth allocation for PY08/FY09. Currently, WSPC has fully obligated their ARRA Youth program allocation. To resolve this issue, the State Workforce Investment Office will make available to WSPC up to \$300,000 of its State Set-Aside Youth ARRA program allocation so that WSPC can continue to serve the training needs of their Youth.

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This additional allocation will enable WSPC to provide additional Summer Youth employment opportunities during the summer of 2010.

4. Reporting. For the additional funding, WSPC shall request incrementally up to \$300,000 for Youth activities. Each increment shall add to their Youth availability and the additional monies will also have the 10% Administrative cost limitations. Conversely, each increment will reduce the WIO Youth availability along with the associated percentage of Administrative dollars. As availabilities are adjusted, the required quarterly financial reports regarding availability will also be adjusted.

5. Action. WSPC shall request their first increment upon issuance of this WIN. As increments are needed, the current drawdown request will include the incremental amount as an increase to the Youth availability, along with the amount to be drawn down against it.

6. Inquiries. Questions on this WIN should be addressed to Donna Treglia at 462-8784 (dtreglia@dlt.ri.gov), or Bob Garofano at 462-8149 (bgarofano@dlt.ri.gov).

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