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## **WORKFORCE INVESTMENT NOTICE: 11-03**

**TO:** WORKFORCE INVESTMENT AREAS

**FROM:** David Tremblay, Administrator-Workforce Investment Office

**SUBJECT:** Allocations for Adult and Youth Programs for PY 2011

**DATE:** September 19, 2011

- 1. PURPOSE.** To provide Locals with the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Adult and Youth allocations for PY 2011 and additional information.
- 2. REFERENCES.** Reference is made to WIN10-18 and WIN10-19 that transmitted to you the WIA percentage allocations for the Adult and Youth programs. Additional reference is made to TEG L 26-10.
- 3. BACKGROUND.** The WIA Adult allocations are for the program period July 1, 2011, through June 30, 2012, and the WIA Youth allocations are for the program period April 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012.

**WIA ALLOCATIONS FOR ADULT PROGRAMS** The State allocation for Adults is **\$3,245,983**. The State Set-Aside for Adults is 5%, which equals **\$162,299**. The remaining 95% equaling **\$3,083,684** is distributed to the Local Areas according to the percentage allocation formula.

| <b><u>WIA</u></b> | <b><u>PERCENTAGE</u></b> | <b><u>AMOUNT</u></b> |
|-------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|
| <b>WPGRI</b>      | <b>66.65%</b>            | <b>\$2,055,275</b>   |
| <b>WSPC</b>       | <b>33.35%</b>            | <b>\$1,028,409</b>   |

**WIA ALLOCATIONS FOR YOUTH PROGRAMS** The State allocation for Youth is **\$3,767,218**. The State Set-Aside for Youth is 5%, which equals **\$188,361**. The remaining 95% equaling **\$3,578,857** is distributed to the Local Areas according to the percentage allocation formula.

| <u>WIA</u>   | <u>PERCENTAGE</u> | <u>AMOUNT</u>       |
|--------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| <b>WPGRI</b> | <b>63.58%</b>     | <b>\$ 2,275,437</b> |
| <b>WSPC</b>  | <b>36.42%</b>     | <b>\$ 1,303,420</b> |

Allotments are once again taken from two Federal budgets. Funds for Adults programs will be split into PY11/FY12. I will provide you with those amounts via a separate WIN.

In summary, WIA allocations for PY 2011 for Adult and Youth programs are:

| <b>WIA</b> | <b>ADULT</b> | <b>YOUTH</b> | <b>TOTAL</b> |
|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| WPGRI      | 2,055,275    | 2,275,437    | 4,330,712    |
| WSPC       | 1,028,409    | 1,303,420    | 2,331,829    |

**4. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.** In accordance with the Department of Labor Appropriations Act 2010, unless otherwise specified, the following remain in effect for FY 2011:

- Local boards may transfer up to 30% of funds between Adult and Dislocated Worker funding streams if approved by the Governor.
- A local board may award a contract to an institute of higher education or other eligible training provider if the local board determines that it would facilitate the training of multiple individuals in high-demand occupations, if such contract does not limit customer choice. Adult and Dislocated Worker funding streams can be used for this.
- The salary cap from FY 2010 of \$179,700 is maintained. No funds under the header "Employment and Training Administration" may be used by a recipient or sub-recipient to pay the salary and bonus of an individual, either as direct or indirect costs, at a rate in excess of Executive Level II, and states may establish lower caps.

**5. INQUIRIES.** Questions regarding this WIN may be directed to David Tremblay at 462-8812 ([dtremblay@dlt.ri.gov](mailto:dtremblay@dlt.ri.gov)) or Paul Genovesi at 462-8102 ([pgenovesi@dlt.ri.gov](mailto:pgenovesi@dlt.ri.gov)).