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WORKFORCE INVESTMENT NOTICE: 11-25

TO: WORKFORCE INVESTMENT AREAS

FROM: David Tremblay, Administrator-Workforce Investment Office

SUBJECT: Allocations for Adult and Youth Programs for PY 2012

DATE: June 29, 2012

- 1. PURPOSE.** To provide Locals with the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Adult and Youth allocations for PY 2012 and additional information.
- 2. REFERENCES.** Reference is made to WIN11-24 that transmitted to you the WIA percentage allocations for the Adult and Youth programs. Additional reference is made to TEGl 19-11.
- 3. BACKGROUND.** The WIA Adult allocations are for the program period July 1, 2012, through June 30, 2013, and the WIA Youth allocations are for the program period April 1, 2012 through June 30, 2013.

WIA ALLOCATIONS FOR ADULT PROGRAMS The State allocation for Adults is **\$3,182,636**. The State Set-Aside for Adults is 5%, which equals **\$159,132**. The remaining 95% equaling **\$3,023,504** is distributed to the Local Areas according to the percentage allocation formula.

| <u>WIA</u> | <u>PERCENTAGE</u> | <u>AMOUNT</u> |
|-------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|
| WPGRI | 68.43% | \$2,068,984 |
| WSPC | 31.57% | \$ 954,520 |

WIA ALLOCATIONS FOR YOUTH PROGRAMS The State allocation for Youth is **\$3,687,520**. The State Set-Aside for Youth is 5%, which equals **\$184,376**. The remaining 95% equaling **\$3,503,144** is distributed to the Local Areas according to the percentage allocation formula.

| <u>WIA</u> | <u>PERCENTAGE</u> | <u>AMOUNT</u> |
|--------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| WPGRI | 65.52% | \$ 2,295,260 |
| WSPC | 34.48% | \$ 1,207,884 |

Allotments are once again taken from two Federal budgets. Funds for the Adult program will be split into PY12/FY13. I will provide you with those amounts via a separate WIN.

In summary, WIA allocations for PY 2012 for Adult and Youth programs are:

| WIA | ADULT | YOUTH | TOTAL |
|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| WPGRI | 2,068,984 | 2,295,260 | 4,364,244 |
| WSPC | 954,520 | 1,207,884 | 2,162,404 |

4. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. The State of Rhode Island is currently developing a new WIA State Workforce Plan in conjunction with the Governor’s Workforce Board (State Workforce Investment Board). This plan is slated to be completed September of 2012. The allocation formula used to distribute WIA Adult and WIA Youth funds to the Local Workforce Areas is being reviewed as part of the planning process. In light of this initiative, the State Workforce Investment Office advises the Workforce Partnership of Greater Rhode Island to reserve approximately \$170,000 of BOTH Adult and Youth funds in the event an alternative formula is adopted during PY12/FY13.

5. INQUIRIES. Questions regarding this WIN may be directed to the State Workforce Investment Office Administrator at 462-8812.