



*State of California*

## *Employment Training Panel*

*Edmund G. Brown Jr., Governor*

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### **Employment Training Panel Approves Nearly \$200,000 to Support Workforce Training for 75 Unemployed Veterans**

SACRAMENTO – The State of California's Employment Training Panel today approved a contract through its veterans' program for \$199,050 to train and place in jobs 75 unemployed veterans. The program provides veterans with the skills needed to enter the workforce and improves opportunities for advancement in high wage, secure jobs. Since its inception in 2008 as a pilot program, more than 650 veterans have received workforce training through the program.

Veterans who have served on active full-time duty in the Armed Forces and were honorably discharged or released from active duty due to a service-connected disability are eligible for training under this contract, as well as reservists who have served on active full-time duty and are still on reserve status.

"California employers recognize the talent and experience our veterans bring to the workforce," said Stewart Knox, the Employment Training Panel's Executive Director. "The Employment Training Panel is proud support this program which helps businesses with the demand to train veterans for high wage jobs."

Under the approved contract, the South Bay Workforce Investment Board will work with the Occupational Safety Councils of America to deliver vocational safety training to meet the demands of the manufacturing, petrochemical and construction industries.

The training curriculum involves the Occupational Safety Councils of America's Premier Safety Attendant Program, which includes Refinery Safety Overview, Safety Technician and Attendant Training, CPR/First-Aid/AED, and refinery site-specific training. OSHA 10/30, Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response Standard training will also be provided for certification, as well as advanced commercial skills to develop trainee skills on the job site.

The Employment Training Panel is the state's premier program supporting job creation and retention through training. Today, it approved more than \$14.2 million to train more than 13,600 workers in regions throughout California. In total, the panel approved 38 training contracts aimed at supporting job creation and retention while increasing opportunities for workers through the development of job skills and training.

For more information about the program, please visit [www.etp.ca.gov](http://www.etp.ca.gov), or call 916-327-5368.

PROJECTS APPROVED  
July 24, 2015

**REVIEW AND ACTION ON PROPOSALS**

<u>Contractor</u>	<u>City/County</u>	<u>Contract Amt</u>
<b><u>North Hollywood Regional Office</u></b>		
California Labor Federation, AFL-CIO (AB118)	Los Angeles & Santa Clara	\$1,341,300
California Manufacturing Technology Consulting	Statewide	\$1,199,745
Employers Group	Statewide	\$535,788
Glendale Community College Professional Development Center	Kern, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego & Ventura	\$826,270
International Rectifier Corporation	Los Angeles, Riverside & Santa Clara	\$402,886
Karl Storz Endoscopy-America, Inc.	Los Angeles & Santa Barbara	\$508,848
Medway Plastics Corporation	Los Angeles	\$160,560
Meggitt (North Hollywood), Inc.	Los Angeles	\$749,372
NTMA Training Centers of Southern California	Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside & San Bernardino	1,199,952
San Bernardino Community College District	Riverside & San Bernardino	\$949,962
South Bay Workforce Investment Board (Occupational Safety Councils of America)	Statewide	\$199,050
Sysco Los Angeles, Inc.	Los Angeles	\$255,600
Woodward HRT, Inc.	Los Angeles	\$337,590
Workforce Development Corporation of Southeast Los Angeles County, Inc. DBA Southeast Los Angeles County Workforce Investment	Statewide	\$949,522
<b><u>San Diego Regional Office</u></b>		
Simpson Strong-Tie Company Inc. (Amendment)	Riverside	\$136,800

**San Francisco Bay Area Regional Office**

Burr Pilger Mayer, Inc.	Contra Costa, Napa, San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara & Solano	\$211,900
City and County of San Francisco	San Francisco	\$514,476
Joint Apprenticeship and Training Committee of the Plumbing and Pipe Fitting Industry of San Mateo County	San Mateo	\$386,124
Pipe Trades Joint Apprenticeship and Training Committee of Santa Clara and San Benito Counties	San Benito & Santa Clara	\$642,410

**Sacramento Regional Office**

A. Teichert & Son, Inc.	Alameda, El Dorado, Fresno, Nevada, Placer, Sacramento, San Joaquin, Sutter, Yolo & Yuba	\$329,076
Bay Alarm Company (Amendment)	Alameda, Contra Costa, Los Angeles, Orange, Sacramento, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Joaquin, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Shasta, Sonoma & Ventura	\$156,000
Butte-Glenn Community College District	Butte, Del Norte, Glenn, Humboldt, Lassen, Mendocino, Modoc, Plumas, Shasta, Siskiyou & Tehama	\$404,493
California Tooling and Machine Apprenticeship Association	Northern and Central California	\$80,080
ConAgra Foods, Inc.	Tulare	\$304,000
Diamond Foods, Inc.	San Joaquin	\$434,484
Fresno Surgery Center, LP DBA Fresno Surgical Hospital	Fresno	\$229,920
Sunrise Medical (US) LLC	Fresno	\$280,350

**Proposals Approved By Delegation Order**

For 6/17/15 – 7/14/15

<u>Contractor</u>	<u>City/County</u>	<u>Contract Amt</u>
<b><u>North Hollywood Regional Office</u></b>		
Dow-Key Microwave Corporation	Ventura	\$21,816
Merle Norman Cosmetics, Inc.	Los Angeles	\$98,280
Parker Diving Service LLC	Los Angeles	\$36,340
The Wonderful Company LLC	Los Angeles & San Luis Obispo	\$86,625
<b><u>San Diego Regional Office</u></b>		
Moore Benefits, Inc. (Amendment)	Orange	\$3,344
QCM, Inc. DBA Veris Manufacturing (Amendment)	Orange	\$18,980
Valley Box Co., Inc.	San Diego	\$26,624
<b><u>San Francisco Bay Area Regional Office</u></b>		
Environmental & Occupational Risk Management, Inc.	Alameda, Orange, Santa Clara & Ventura	\$33,600
<b><u>Sacramento Regional Office</u></b>		
Euromarket Designs, Inc. DBA Crate and Barrel	San Joaquin	\$62,700
Flowers Baking Co. of Modesto, LLC	Stanislaus	\$99,760
ISR Holdings, Inc.	Orange & Placer	\$33,880