



State of California
Employment Training Panel

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**Employment Training Panel Approves More Than \$8.4 Million
To Train 9,100 Workers**

Includes \$950,000 for Apprenticeship Training

SACRAMENTO – The State of California’s Employment Training Panel announced the approval of 23 contracts worth more than \$8.4 million to train 9,113 workers. One of the contracts approved by the panel includes nearly \$950,000 for 470 apprenticeship trainees – including 60 veterans – through the Apprentice and Journeyman Training Trust Fund of Southern California Plumbing and Piping Industry.

“The Employment Training Panel is proud to support apprenticeship training programs that increase career opportunities for Californians while meeting employers’ needs for skilled workers that help to grow businesses,” said Stewart Knox, the Employment Training Panel’s Executive Director.

Since 2012, the Employment Training Panel has awarded over \$42 million to train more than 26,000 workers under its apprenticeship program. The Panel’s apprenticeship program has supported 101 contracts, mainly in the building and construction industry.

The apprenticeship training contract approved today will give the Apprentice and Journeymen Training Trust Fund of the Southern California Plumbing and Piping Industry the funds it needs to aid individuals who are working toward completing training requirements of pre-apprentice, apprentice and journeymen training programs approved by the California Division of Apprenticeship Standards. The trust operates 10 training centers that serve Southern California customers and businesses.

“The goal of joint apprenticeship programs in the building trades is to provide members with world class training that will promote productive, highly trained and highly skilled apprentices and journeymen,” said Armando Pulido, Executive Director of the Apprentice and Journeymen Training Trust Fund of Southern California. “Our training prepares them for the changing needs of the industry, maximizes their employability and leads to high paying careers with great benefit packages. ETP funds help us maintain our high standards for training and skilled workers.”

The Employment Training Panel is working with state agencies, such as the Division of Apprenticeship Standards, the Labor and Workforce Development Agency, California Workforce Development Board and the California Community College Chancellor’s Office, as well as employers, labor unions, and other interested parties to expand the apprenticeship model to new sectors of the economy, including healthcare, information technology, and manufacturing.

The Employment Training Panel is the state’s premier program supporting job creation and retention through training. The panel reimburses employers for the costs of training existing workers, funds training for unemployed workers to re-enter the workforce and helps to ensure California businesses have the skilled workers they need to remain competitive.

For more information about the program, please visit www.etp.ca.gov, or call 916-327-5276

PROJECTS APPROVED
June 24, 2016

REVIEW AND ACTION ON PROPOSALS

<u>Contractor</u>	<u>City/County</u>	<u>Contract Amt</u>
<u>North Hollywood Regional Office</u>		
Apprentice & Journeymen Training Trust Fund of the Southern California Plumbing and Piping Industry	Imperial, Inyo, Kern, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara & Ventura	\$949,221
B&B Manufacturing Co.	Los Angeles	\$109,980
C.W. Driver, Incorporated	Los Angeles, Orange, San Bernardino, San Diego & Santa Clara	\$199,840
Giligia College (Amendment)	Los Angeles	\$117,545
Grifols Biologicals Inc.	Los Angeles	\$216,000
Multi Cable Link	Los Angeles, Orange, San Diego, San Bernardino & Riverside	\$111,820
North American Health Care, Inc.	Los Angeles, Sacramento, Solano & San Joaquin	\$741,132
PaeDae, Inc. DBA Mobile Majority	Los Angeles	\$358,002
Performance Foodservice – Southern California, a Division of Performance Food Group, Inc.	Los Angeles	\$182,000
PRL Glass Systems, Inc.	Los Angeles	\$401,200
Snap-On Logistics Company	Los Angeles	\$149,760
Teledyne Controls, LLC	Los Angeles	\$339,560
Vavrinek, Trine, Day & Co., Certified Public Accountants, LLP	Alameda, Fresno, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, Sacramento, San Bernardino, San Diego & Santa Clara	\$123,000
Wonderful Pistachios & Almonds LLC	Fresno, Kern & Los Angeles	\$641,815
Workforce Connections, Inc.	Los Angeles & Orange	\$199,590

San Diego Regional Office

Cox Communications California, LLC DBA Cox Communications California	Orange, San Diego & Santa Barbara	\$457,179
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San Francisco Bay Area Regional Office

Intuitive Surgical, Inc.	Santa Clara	\$395,876
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Morgan Advanced Ceramics, Inc.	Alameda & Placer	\$115,200
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TubeMogul, Inc.	Alameda & Los Angeles	\$172,800
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Sacramento Regional Office

California Workforce Association	Statewide	\$941,325
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The Wine Group, Inc.	Alameda, Fresno, Kern, Madera, Monterey, San Joaquin & Tulare	\$749,988
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Troon Golf, LLC	Napa & Riverside	\$450,750
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Truck Accessories Group, LLC	Yolo	\$253,726
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Proposals Approved By Delegation Order

For 05/06/16 – 06/14/16

<u>Contractor</u>	<u>City/County</u>	<u>Contract Amt</u>
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San Diego Regional Office

Hi Tech Electronic Manufacturing Corporation	San Diego	\$20,800
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McCarthy Building Companies, Inc.	Orange & San Francisco	\$99,684
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Red Door Interactive, Inc.	San Diego	\$41,600
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Reliable IT, LLC DBA Broadleaf Group	Orange	\$28,600
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SeaSpine, Inc.	Orange & San Diego	\$93,132
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Thoro Packaging, Inc.	Riverside	\$97,812
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San Francisco Bay Area Regional Office

Asepco	Santa Clara	\$24,960
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Sacramento Regional Office

Axis Energy Partners, LLC

Sacramento

\$29,640