



State of California  
*Employment Training Panel*

*Edmund G. Brown Jr., Governor*

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**Employment Training Panel Approves More Than \$13.4 Million  
In Job Training Funds for Nearly 12,000 Workers**

*Applied Materials, Inc. Receives Contract to Train More Than 400 Employees in Green Technology*

SACRAMENTO – The State of California’s Employment Training Panel awarded 28 contracts worth \$13,467,170 million to train 11,659 workers. One of the contracts approved by the Panel includes \$749,952 in renewable fuel and vehicle technology job training funds for Applied Materials to train 434 workers in the green technology sector.

“These funds will help train workers in clean technologies that can help meet the state’s ambitious greenhouse gas reduction targets,” said Stewart Knox, the Employment Training Panel’s Executive Director.

The Applied Materials contract will be funded by the Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Program, administered by the California Energy Commission. The Energy Commission partners with the Employment Training Panel to fund job training programs that support the transition from petroleum-based transportation to alternative and renewable fuels and clean, low carbon vehicle technologies.

“Transitioning the transportation sector to cleaner, low carbon fuels and near-zero and zero emission vehicles is critical to meeting California’s ambitious climate goals and our federal clean air standards,” said California Energy Commissioner Janea A. Scott. “The Energy Commission is pleased to support employee training that will contribute to ensuring California has the highly skilled, well trained workforce needed to drive that transition.”

Applied Materials, founded and headquartered in Santa Clara, builds nano manufacturing equipment, machines and tools for global semiconductor, flat panel display and clean energy manufacturing industries. The training provided by the contract will focus on Lithium-ion battery manufacturing architecture, systems engineering, software design and support systems, and product quality and reliability.

“Applied Materials is committed to retaining a loyal, stable workforce in Silicon Valley by building on the skills employees already have. The AB118 resources provided through the ETP agency will accelerate employee training programs needed for leadership in the clean technology industry,” said Ajey Joshi, PhD, Applied Materials.

In 2015, Governor Brown issued an executive order to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in California 40 percent below 1990 levels by 2030, a goal which is now codified by historic legislation the Governor signed in September that sets the most ambitious greenhouse gas reduction targets in North America.

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](http://www.etp.ca.gov), or call 916-327-5276.

PROJECTS APPROVED

October 28, 2016

**REVIEW AND ACTION ON PROPOSALS**

<u>Contractor</u>	<u>City/County</u>	<u>Contract Amt</u>
<b><u>North Hollywood Regional Office</u></b>		
AHMC Monterey Park Hospital LP	Los Angeles	\$186,680
California Manufacturing Technology Consulting	Statewide	\$949,850
El Camino Community College District, Center for Applied Competitive Technologies	Statewide	\$949,480
Hawker Pacific Aerospace	Los Angeles	\$175,900
Jewish Vocational Service of Los Angeles	Humboldt, Kern, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego & Ventura	\$949,960
Kellwood Company, LLC	Los Angeles & San Francisco	\$245,592
Motion Industries, Inc.	Alameda, Contra Costa, Fresno, Kern, Los Angeles, Mendocino, Monterey, Orange, Sacramento, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Francisco, San Joaquin, Santa Clara, Solano, Stanislaus, Tulare & Ventura	\$237,600
Santa Clarita Community College District	Los Angeles, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara & Ventura	\$548,205
Southern California Permanente Medical Group	Kern, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino & San Diego	\$599,616
Southern California Surveyors Joint Apprenticeship Committee	Imperial, Inyo, Kern, Los Angeles, Mono, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara & Ventura	\$154,330
Systems Services of America, Inc.	San Bernardino & Santa Clara	\$188,568
Turner Construction Company	Orange	\$181,140
Workforce Development Corporation of Southeast Los Angeles County, Inc. DBA Southeast Los Angeles County Workforce Development Board	Statewide	\$949,697

**San Diego Regional Office**

Bergelectric Corp.	Los Angeles, Orange, Sacramento, San Diego & Ventura	\$199,800
Mavenlink, Inc.	Orange & San Francisco	\$252,240
One World Beef Packers, LLC	Imperial	\$470,000
Santa Ana Chamber of Commerce	Statewide	\$949,391

**San Francisco Bay Area Regional Office**

Associated Builders and Contractors Northern California Chapter Training Trust Fund	Alameda, Contra Costa, El Dorado, Fresno, Kern, Marin, Mendocino, Merced, Monterey, Napa, Placer, Sacramento, San Francisco, San Joaquin, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, Solano, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Tuolumne & Yolo	\$503,665
Applied Materials, Inc. (AB 118)	Santa Clara	\$749,952
California Labor Federation, AFL-CIO	Statewide	\$949,452
FormFactor, Inc.	Alameda, San Diego & Santa Clara	\$148,050
Pipe Trades Joint Apprenticeship and Training Committee of Santa Clara and San Benito Counties	Santa Clara & San Benito	\$538,900
SYSCO San Francisco, Inc.	Alameda	\$415,080

**Sacramento Regional Office**

Blue Diamond Growers	Sacramento & Stanislaus	\$174,560
Chico Rehabilitation Hospital, DBA California Park Rehabilitation Hospital	Butte, Fresno & Merced	\$641,708
Eichleay, Inc.	Contra Costa & Los Angeles	\$219,200
Norcal Care Centers, Inc. DBA Antioch Convalescent Hospital	Contra Costa	\$277,914
Western Electrical Contractors Association, Inc.	Statewide	\$449,248

**Proposals Approved By Delegation Order**

For 09/14/16 – 10/18/16

<u>Contractor</u>	<u>City/County</u>	<u>Contract Amt</u>
<b><u>North Hollywood Regional Office</u></b>		
Advanced Medical Management, Inc.	Los Angeles	\$48,360
Cooper Lighting, LLC	San Bernardino	\$77,868
Hollandia Produce, LP	Santa Barbara & Ventura	\$14,976
Microdyne Plastics, Inc.	San Bernardino	\$38,532
Morgan-Gallacher, Inc. DBA Custom Chemical Formulators, Inc.	Los Angeles	\$25,844
NL&A Collections, Inc.	Los Angeles	\$22,048
NONGSHIM America, Inc.	San Bernardino	\$16,200
Quality Refrigeration Company, Inc. (Amendment)	Los Angeles & San Diego	\$23,760
ThyssenKrupp Materials, LLC DBA ThyssenKrupp Aerospace	Los Angeles	\$82,080
Virun, Inc.	Los Angeles	\$33,150
<b><u>San Diego Regional Office</u></b>		
Glazing Concepts, Inc.	Riverside	\$30,186
Newport Strategic Search, Inc. DBA The Newport Group	San Diego	\$17,138
<b><u>San Francisco Bay Area Regional Office</u></b>		
Aleia Corp. DBA Surplus Service	Alameda	\$9,048
California Hydronics Corporation	Alameda, Placer & Santa Clara	\$49,128
Quality Metal Spinning and Machining, Inc. DBA QMS	Santa Clara	\$25,116
Splay, Inc.	Alameda & Santa Clara	\$69,300
<b><u>Sacramento Regional Office</u></b>		
Eminence Healthcare, Inc.	Fresno	\$54,010
M&G Duravent, Inc.	Solano	\$99,984
POM Wonderful Holdings, LLC	Fresno & Los Angeles	\$97,850

DBA POM Wonderful

Wittman Enterprises, LLC

Sacramento

\$89,000