

State of California Employment Training Panel

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## Employment Training Panel Approves \$8.3 Million to Train More Than 9,100 Workers

\$745,000 Awarded to the Northern California Elevator Industry Joint Apprenticeship and Training Committee Trust Fund to Train 680 Apprenticeship and Journeymen in Elevator Mechanics

SACRAMENTO – The State of California's Employment Training Panel announced today it approved 38 contracts worth more than \$8.3 million to train 9,132 workers. The panel awarded nearly \$745,000 to the Northern California Elevator Industry Joint Apprenticeship and Training Committee Trust Fund to train 680 apprentices and journeymen in the building and maintenance of elevators and escalators.

"The number of apprentice elevator constructors and mechanics has doubled in recent years, and these training funds will support the education and career advancement of Northern California apprentice and journeymen elevator constructors and mechanics," said Employment Training Panel executive director Stewart Knox.

The Northern California Elevator Industry Joint Apprenticeship and Training Committee Trust Fund was established in 2004 and covers 46 Northern California counties. Workers are employed in companies that build, install, repair, modernize and provide long-term service to elevators, escalators, chairlifts, moving walkways and similar equipment in buildings. The job training funds awarded today will assist the organization's 540 apprentices and 840 journeymen elevator constructors and mechanics with more hands-on training and expand the use of virtual, three-dimensional computer programs on elevator and escalator training devices.

"We have doubled the number of our apprentices over the last three years to meet the high demand of our employers," said Northern California Elevator Industry Joint Apprenticeship and Training Committee coordinator James Leonard. "ETP funds are vital in helping us update our program by adding training through computer simulations and virtual elevators."

Workers under the Joint Apprenticeship are represented by the International Union of Elevator Constructors Local 8 and Employers are represented by the National Elevator Bargaining Association and the Elevator Contractors of America. The Northern California Elevator Industry Joint Apprenticeship and Training Committee Trust Fund also participates in Helmets to Hardhats which will provide 40 veterans accelerated admission to its apprenticeship program.

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 <u>www.etp.ca.gov</u>, or call (916) 327-5334.

#### PROJECTS APPROVED March 23, 2018

# **REVIEW AND ACTION ON PROPOSALS**

Contractor	<u>City/County</u>	Contract Amt
North Hollywood Regional Office		
Esplanade Builders, Inc.	Los Angeles, Orange	\$77,526
Hall Ambulance Service, Inc.	Kern, Bakersfield	\$242,550
Hansen Engineering Co.	Los Angeles	\$55,380
Johanson Dielectrics, Inc.	Los Angeles, Ventura	\$99,000
L-3 Electron Devices, Inc.	Los Angeles	\$898,104
Puritan Bakery, Inc.	Carson	\$77,040
Santa Monica Community College District	Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, Ventura	\$949,688
Steve's Oilfield Service, Inc. dba SOS Crane & Trucking	Los Angeles, Kern	\$72,600
The Spaceship Co., LLC	Kern	\$653,000
San Diego Regional Office		
H.M. Electronics, Inc.	Alameda, San Diego	\$326,688
Karma Automotive LLC	Orange, Riverside	\$302,400
LPL Financial, LLC	San Diego	\$216,000
Orange County Global Medical Center, Inc.	Southern California	\$425,700
Reborn Cabinets	Alameda, Los Angeles, Orange and San Diego	\$547,560
San Francisco Bay Area Regional Office		
Cintas Corporation No. 3	Multi Counties	\$301,185
Del Monaco Foods, LLC dba Kettle Cuisine	Santa Clara	\$384,000
Headway Technologies, Inc.	Santa Clara	\$344,880
ISEC, Incorporated	Alameda, San Mateo, Orange, San Bernardino, Ventura, San Diego	\$337,600
Northern California Elevator Industry Joint	Multi Counties	\$744,600

Apprenticeship and Training Committee Trust Fund

#### Sacramento Regional Office

Certified Stainless Service, Inc. dba West- Mark	Kern, Merced, Stanislaus	\$282,000
Covenant Care California, LLC	Multi Counties	\$749,496
Hydratech, LLC	Fresno	\$59,280
MSWest Enterprises dba Certified Collision Centers	El Dorado, Sacramento, San Joaquin, Stanislaus	\$249,870

# Proposals Approved By Delegation Order For 2/13/18 – 3/12/18

<u><</u> \$50,000

### **Contractor**

City/County

Contract Amt

#### North Hollywood Regional Office

Fulham Co., Inc.	Hawthorne	\$49,400
HSA & Associates, Inc.	La Mirada	\$49,560
Merle Norman Cosmetics, Inc.	Los Angeles	\$45,144
Norman Industrial Materials, Inc. dba Industrial Metal Supply Company	Los Angeles, Riverside, Orange, San Diego	\$28,512
Plastics Plus Technology, Inc.	Redlands	\$7,774
San Diego Regional Office		
ATEL Communications, Inc.	San Diego	\$19,760
Coastal Payroll Services, Inc.	San Diego	\$46,112
KMicro Tech, Inc.	Irvine	\$23,712
Label Impressions, Inc.	Orange	\$46,410
San Francisco Bay Area Regional Office		
Alpha EMS Corporation	Alameda	\$49,140
<u>Clean Solar, Inc.</u>	San Jose	\$32,604
Freetech Plastics Inc.	Alameda	\$37,960
Lam Research Corporation	Alameda	\$49,680
Sacramento Regional Office		
<u>7th Inning Stretch LLC dba</u> <u>Stockton Ports</u>	Stockton	\$7,722
Lindsay Transportation Solutions, Inc.	Rio Vista	\$33,540
Walter, Wolfe, Leach and Nii, LLC	Fresno	\$35,640