



*State of California
Employment Training Panel*

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**Employment Training Panel Approves \$7.5 Million
to Train 11,800 Workers**

*Andrew Furuseth School of Seamanship to Receive \$55,000 to Train 37 Workers
in the Maritime Industry*

SACRAMENTO – The State of California’s Employment Training Panel announced today it approved 35 contracts worth \$7.5 million to train 11,800 workers. In one contract, the panel awarded \$54,593 to Andrew Furuseth School of Seamanship to help train 37 workers in the maritime industry.

“Employment Training Panel job training funds assist workers in enhancing their skills to meet the needs of vital industries,” said Stewart Knox, the Employment Training Panel’s executive director.

The Andrew Furuseth School of Seamanship, located at the Sailors’ Union of the Pacific headquarters building in San Francisco, was founded in 1942. Trainees of the school crew commercial ships, tugs and barges engaged in maritime transport. Typical duties include bridge watch-standing, shipboard and shore side maintenance, emergency response on deck or in the engine areas, and stewarding onboard.

“The Andrew Furuseth School of Seamanship will use the Employment Training Panel contract award to train young adults and veterans from the East Bay area and the Long Beach/Wilmington area for jobs that provide good wages and benefits, as well as an opportunity to see the world from the deck of a US Merchant Marine vessel,” said Berit Eriksson, Andrew Furuseth School of Seamanship training director.

Training will include the operation of vessels for the transportation of freight and passengers on the deep seas, primarily out of California ports in San Francisco, Oakland, Alameda, San Pedro and Long Beach. Goods from these ports reach foreign ports all over the world, including the Pacific Rim and the Middle East, domestic ports in Hawaii and other Pacific Coast locations.

The Panel’s approved proposal will also provide training certified by the US Coast Guard and approved by the International Maritime Organization. The proposed training will support the training of tankermen, ordinary seaman and able-bodied seaman on a variety of basic mariner skills and safety training.

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) 327-5334.

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PROJECTS APPROVED
October 27, 2017

REVIEW AND ACTION ON PROPOSALS

<u>Contractor</u>	<u>City/County</u>	<u>Contract Amt</u>
<u>North Hollywood Regional Office</u>		
Anchor Healthcare, LLC	Los Angeles	\$249,964
BEGA North America, Inc.	Santa Barbara	\$89,658
Chatsworth Products	Los Angeles	\$73,710
Dytran Instruments, Inc.	Los Angeles	\$201,852
Eastwestproto, Inc. DBA Lifeline Ambulance	Los Angeles	\$316,000
Emser Tile, LLC	Alameda, Fresno, Kern, Los Angeles, Monterey, Orange, Riverside, Sacramento, San Bernardino, San Diego, Santa Clara, Solano, Sonoma & Stanislaus	\$245,700
Finishing Trades Council of District Council 36 Joint Apprentice Training Trust Fund	Imperial, Inyo, Kern, Los Angeles, Mono, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara & Ventura	\$949,595
Giligia College	Los Angeles	\$70,512
Greater San Fernando Valley Chamber of Commerce	Los Angeles, Orange, Ventura	\$187,176
Gumbiner Savett Inc. Certified Public Accountants & Business Advisors	Los Angeles	\$62,480
Kern Community College District	Statewide	\$582,000
Koos Manufacturing, Inc.	Los Angeles	\$245,862
Landscape Development, Inc.	Fresno, Kern, Los Angeles, Riverside, San Luis Obispo & Ventura	\$167,400
Lockheed Martin Corporation	Los Angeles	\$400,602
Momentous Insurance Brokerage Inc.	Los Angeles	\$117,990
W.E. O'Neill Construction Co. of California	Los Angeles, San Bernardino & San Diego	\$111,240

San Diego Regional Office

California Faucets, Inc.	Orange	\$108,000
California Sheet Metal Works, Inc.	San Diego	\$132,818
KML Enterprises Career Development, LLC DBA New Horizons Learning Group	Statewide	\$421,300
Omni Hotels Management Corporation DBA Omni La Costa Resort and Spa	Los Angeles, Riverside, San Diego & San Francisco	\$100,000
SchoolsFirst Federal Credit Union	Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside & San Bernardino	\$333,000
Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Apprenticeship and Journeyman Training Fund of San Diego	Imperial and San Diego	\$304,710
<u>San Francisco Bay Area Regional Office</u>		
Andrew Furuseth School of Seamanship	San Francisco	\$54,593
KLA-Tencor Corporation (AB118)	Santa Clara	\$432,000
Mann Packing Co., Inc.	Merced & Monterey	\$294,400
Northern California Shop Ironworkers Apprenticeship and Training Fund Trust	Norther California	\$50,720
Pyramid San Francisco Management LP	San Francisco	\$130,800
Sensiba San Filippo, LLP	Alameda, Fresno, San Francisco, San Mateo & Santa Clara	\$108,120
<u>Sacramento Regional Office</u>		
Bay Alarm Company (Amendment)	Alameda, Contra Costa, Los Angeles, Orange, Sacramento, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Joaquin, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Shasta, Sonoma & Ventura	\$199,400
B-K Lighting, Inc.	Madera	\$129,980
Fresno Surgery Center, LP	Fresno	\$240,256
KCoe Isom, LLP	Butte, Colusa, Fresno, Shasta, Stanislaus, Sutter & Yolo	\$111,675
Napa Valley College	Napa & Sonoma	\$42,340
Tiger Lines, LLC	Fresno, San Joaquin, Stanislaus & Yolo	\$65,065
Treehouse Private Brands, Inc.	Tulare	\$174,860

Proposals Approved By Delegation Order

For 09/12/17 – 10/10/17

≤ \$50,000

<u>Contractor</u>	<u>City/County</u>	<u>Contract Amt</u>
<u>San Diego Regional Office</u>		
Elrob, Inc.	Orange	\$41,496
Phoenix Energy Technologies, Inc.	Orange	\$48,880
Roorda, Piquet & Bessee, Inc., A Professional Accountancy Corporation	Riverside	\$16,830
Stage One Financial, LLC	Orange	\$9,680
Wright Ford Young & Co., Certified Public Accountants and Consultants, Inc.	Orange	\$26,840
<u>San Francisco Regional Office</u>		
Cork Supply USA, Inc.	Solano	\$49,932
Sila Nanotechnologies, Inc.	Alameda	\$48,906
<u>Sacramento Regional Office</u>		
Allergy, Immunology & Asthma Medical Group, Inc.	San Joaquin	\$33,440
Bokisch, Inc.	San Joaquin	\$14,400
Citadel Premium Design, Inc.	Yolo	\$37,440
Direct Marketing Partners	Sacramento	\$20,460
Eco.logic Brands Inc.	San Joaquin	\$23,140
ICORE International, Inc. DBA Zodiac Interconnect US	Sonoma	\$25,200
Northern Central Distributing, Inc.	Fresno	\$46,640
Pactiv LLC	Fresno	\$31,860
PLM Operations, LLC	Stanislaus	\$49,270