



State of California

Employment Training Panel

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Employment Training Panel Approves Over \$8.4M to Support Workforce Training

SACRAMENTO – The State of California’s Employment Training Panel approved 33 contracts worth over \$8.4M in job training funds at its monthly public meeting today. Included were small business proposals and smaller scale projects approved by Panel Chair, Barry Broad and Chief Deputy Director, Jill McAloon. Training proposals were comprised of both single and multiple employer contracts from various industry sectors throughout the state.

A newcomer to ETP, CareFusion, a global medical technology company, was approved for \$946,432 in Employment Training Funds to train a total of 1,507 workers in San Diego, Orange, San Bernardino, and Riverside counties. Nearly a quarter of the employees to be trained under CareFusion’s training plan are eligible for funding through the Panel’s Job Creation Initiative.

With 3,614 full-time workers in California, CareFusion manufactures and distributes medical equipment, respiratory care products, infection prevention products, and surgical instruments throughout the United States and to customers in over 130 countries.

“We have several new business initiatives driving the need for workforce training and are excited to embark on our first contract with ETP,” said Lindy Rodwell, Director of Sales Training at CareFusion. “The customized training made possible with ETP funding will allow us to develop both our incumbent and newly hired staff with the skills necessary to bring products to market.”

“It’s rewarding to see first time contractors like CareFusion, coming to the panel,” said Robert Meyer, ETP Director of Economic Development. “ETP is pleased to have the opportunity to support the company’s plans for a growing business presence in the state.”

ETP is a business and labor supported state agency that assists employers in strengthening their competitive edge in the economy by providing funds to partially off-set the costs of necessary job skills training. California’s ETP is a performance-based program, providing funds for trainees who successfully complete training and are retained in good-paying jobs at or above a required wage base, for at least 90 days.

The program, funded by the Employment Training Tax paid by California employers, helps businesses threatened by out-of-state and international competition. The Panel also serves employers under its Special Employment Training Program, funding projects designed to improve skills and employment security of frontline workers in projects that do not meet standard employer/trainee eligibility requirements. Since its inception in 1983, the ETP program has provided approximately \$1.25 billion to train over 800,000 workers for more than 78,000

California companies. Employers match training funds awarded by ETP, making these projects true public-private partnerships. For more information about the program, please visit www.etp.ca.gov, or call 916-327-5368.

PROJECTS APPROVED

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REVIEW AND ACTION ON PROPOSALS

<u>Contractor Amt</u>	<u>City/County</u>	<u>Contract</u>
<u>North Hollywood Regional Office</u>		
Alta Hospitals System, LLC	Los Angeles	\$680,148
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	\$1,202,139
Evolution Fresh, Inc.	San Bernardino	\$207,648
Omni Hotels Management Corporation DBA Omni Los Angeles Hotel	Los Angeles	\$395,000
PAMC, Ltd DBA Pacific Alliance Medical Center (Amendment)	Los Angeles	\$91,980
Professional Career Institute, Inc. DBA PCI College	Los Angeles & Orange	\$227,960
Southern California Heat & Frost Insulators & Allied Workers Joint Apprenticeship Committee	Imperial, Inyo, Kern, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara & Ventura	\$312,380
Southern California Roofers and Waterproofers Joint Apprenticeship and Training Fund	Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara & Ventura	\$537,000
Sturgeon Services International, Inc.	Kern & Ventura	\$627,964
Ventura County Electrical Joint Apprenticeship Training Trust Fund	Ventura	\$315,340
<u>San Diego Regional Office</u>		
CareFusion Corporation	Orange, Riverside,	\$946,432

	San Bernardino & San Diego	
Consolidated Container Company LP	Orange	\$66,330
EasyTurf, Inc.	Los Angeles & San Diego	\$98,560
ESET, LLC	San Diego	\$64,600
HMT Electric, Inc.	San Diego	\$44,460
Imperial County Workforce Development Office (AB118)	Imperial	\$27,720
Integrated Healthcare Holdings, Inc.	Orange	\$315,540
Peabody Engineering & Supply, Inc.	Riverside	\$49,868
Red Door Interactive, Inc.	San Diego	\$49,140
SeaBotix, Inc.	San Diego	\$49,088
Sprouts Farmers Market, Incorporated	Statewide	\$488,400
Westech College (Amendment)	Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside & San Bernardino	\$299,502
<u>San Francisco Bay Area Regional Office</u>		
Container Management Services, LLC	Alameda	\$15,912
Micro Dental Laboratories	Alameda	\$99,630
<u>Sacramento Regional Office</u>		
California Workforce Association (Amendment)	Statewide	\$256,133
Cokeva, Inc.	Placer	\$237,710
Computer Tutor Business and Technical Institute	Multi-Counties	\$276,600
Fresno Sports Management, LLC	Fresno	\$19,008
Gold Standard Diagnostics Corp.	Yolo	\$48,828
Johns Manville Corporation (Amendment)	Glenn	\$252,000
Keiser Corporation	Fresno	\$76,320
Magnus Pacific Corporation	Placer	\$7,308
Supply Hardware, Inc.	Sacramento & Yolo	\$46,640