

**SOUTH BAY WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD**  
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Quarterly Summary of the  
July 18, 2019 South Bay Workforce Investment Board of Directors  
Meeting  
Hermosa Beach

This report summarizes the July 18, 2019, South Bay Workforce Investment Board (SBWIB) meeting activities and program accomplishments during the 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter of Program Year 2018-2019. As you are aware, the South Bay WIB is comprised of representatives from the eleven participating cities of Hermosa Beach, Redondo Beach, Lawndale, El Segundo, Inglewood, Carson, Manhattan Beach, Torrance, Hawthorne, Lomita and Gardena for the delivery of employment and training services through its One-Stop Business and Career Centers.

\*The SBWIB's 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Blueprint for Workplace Success Youth and Young Adults Job Fair was held on Thursday, May 2, 2019. The Job Fair was open to Young Adults between the ages of 16-24. There were over 80 employers with job openings in attendance. In preparation for the Job Fair, SBWIB staff conducted various Blueprint for Workplace Success workshops at SBWIB One-Stops and Teen Centers. There was more than 800 youth in attendance, 148 were offered employment that day, and 211 were scheduled for second interviews.

\*Last quarter, the South Bay Workforce Investment Board was awarded \$488,000 by the State of California Employment Development Department through the Veterans' Employment-Related Assistance Program (VEAP). The funding will be utilized to assist unemployed and underemployed veterans with securing rewarding civilian jobs through employment assistance that will include job readiness workshops, on-the-job training, paid work experience, direct job placement, and vocational training that will result in industry recognized certificates.

\*40 Cadets including one Hermosa Beach resident, were honored last quarter during the SBWIB's 16th Annual Fit for Gold Tutoring and Fitness Academy. During the ceremony the cadets received certificates and medals for their participation and growth. Through the Fit for Gold program, youth had the opportunity to earn \$1,600 by engaging 3rd-8th grade students in enrichment, mentoring and college-readiness activities

after completing 36 hours of training on mentoring, nutrition, playground activities, as well as homework assistance.

\*The SBWIB was awarded a \$1 million grant by EDD to provide job training and employment services to displaced workers who lost their jobs in industries affected by new trade, automation or technological advances. Affected workers will be provided with career counseling, skills assessments, occupational training, paid on-the-job training and other employment services to help them develop the job skills necessary to compete for current and sustainable careers in high-growth and in-demand industries. During the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter 6 displaced workers were enrolled making the year-end total 15.

\*The Torrance One-Stop Business & Career Center held 8 recruitment fairs during the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter for Hermosa Beach, Redondo Beach, Manhattan Beach, Torrance and Lomita residents. 357 job seekers attended the recruitment fairs. Some of the employers in attendance included First Transit, Hiring Cleaners, Silverado Personal Care, Terranea Resort, DFS and Nordstrom's.

\*The Torrance Business and Career Center exited 6 Hermosa Beach residents with employment during the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter.

\*In the last quarter, the Torrance One-Stop was successfully able to enroll a total of 7 Hermosa Beach residents in the adult and dislocated worker programs, making the year-end total 14.

\*Last quarter, 6 additional soon to graduate disabled individuals were enrolled in the Disability Employment Accelerator (DEA) program making the year-end total 17. Those enrolled will receive 100 hours of paid work experience and assistance transitioning into employment. In partnership with the Uniquely Abled Project an additional training in CNC Machining will be provided in the Fall at El Camino College for 18 individuals with high-functioning autism.

\*2 Hermosa Beach youth were enrolled in the WIOA year-round Youth Program this quarter which makes the year end total 3; these individuals received pre-employment Blueprint for Workplace Success training and access to free occupational training based on their career interest. Other services included paid work experience at a worksite in the City of Hermosa Beach.

\*Last quarter, the U.S. Department of Labor awarded a \$12 million grant to the West Los Angeles College/SBWIB led collaborative to prepare and place 5,000 individuals into pre-apprenticeship and apprenticeship roles in advanced manufacturing with a focus on the Aerospace and Bioscience industries over the next four years nationally under the Growing Advanced Manufacturing Apprenticeships Across America (GAMAAA) program. This grant was the only one awarded to a California applicant and will support training of new hires and incumbent workers. Locally the collaborative will be tasked with placing 1,500 apprentices and pre-apprenticeships. The SBWIB's role will be to generate awareness of the GAMAAA program locally as well as with workforce and employment development organizations in other parts of the nation such as South Carolina and Florida. Companies and participants interested in this opportunity may contact the SBWIB at (310) 970-7700 for additional information.

\*As part of the Youth at Work Jobs Program, Hermosa Beach students are being recruited for an opportunity to receive paid pre-employment training and 120 hours of paid work experience. Youth have a chance to earn up to \$1,590.

\*The SBWIB has officially begun the implementation of the Bio-Flex initiative, which is a new innovative project to develop pre-apprenticeship and registered apprenticeship career pathways for the Bioscience industry. Bio-Flex is one component of the Los Angeles County Bioscience Initiative championed by Supervisor Mark Ridley-Thomas. In fact, Supervisor Ridley-Thomas has provided the SBWIB with \$200,000 in funding to develop apprenticeships and implement the program. Additionally, the Los Angeles County Workforce Development, Aging, and Community Services Department along with the California Workforce Development Board both provided \$150,000 to support apprenticeship training, develop additional apprenticeship occupations, and attract participants. Bio-Flex is a cooperative partnership between the SBWIB, the County of Los Angeles, educational institutions, associations, and Bioscience employers that include Bachem, Polypeptide, Protomer Technologies, Sakura, Thermo Fisher Scientific, Takeda, and Freudenberg Medical, to name a few.

\*During the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter, South Bay Business and Career Center staff coordinated skills upgrade training for 5 employees assigned to the

Hermosa Beach Massage Envy location. The employees completed a 20-hour massages technique course.

\*On June 21<sup>st</sup>, 14 Local South Bay youth were honored during the SBWIB YouthBuild commencement ceremony for gaining their high school diplomas. SBWIB YouthBuild, is a second chance program designed to assist youth and young adults with obtaining a high school diploma while receiving vocational training in the field of construction.

\*Our year-end totals reflect 116,102 visits to our South Bay One-Stop Business and Career Centers of which 26,020 visited the Torrance One-Stop.

\*Rapid Response services were provided to 23 South Bay companies that employ 3,351 individuals who were affected by layoffs/closures during the 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter of Program Year 2018-2019. Staff completed orientations to One-Stop services in addition to information regarding unemployment insurance benefits.

\*Last quarter, the SBWIB facilitated for 15 South Bay middle and high school students to partake in a 2-week program with the National Summer Transportation Institute (NSTI), offered by California State University of Los Angeles' College of Engineering, Computer Science, and Technology. The NSTI program offered instruction related to STEM and the transportation industry, including three days at Flabob Airport. Of the 15 students, 7 were extended the opportunity to attend a 1-week program at the National Flight Academy (NFA) in Pensacola, Florida. Only 32 students from California and around 200 in the Country are selected to participate in the NFA.

\*During the fourth quarter, the South Bay One-Stop Business & Career Center reached out to 37 Hermosa Beach-based employers that included Taco Bell and Brothers Burrito. The South Bay One-Stop Business & Career Center will continuously conduct monthly outreach to Hermosa Beach businesses to market SBWIB services available to meet their hiring and business needs.

\*16 middle school students participated in the South Bay Workforce Investment Board's 6<sup>th</sup> Annual "A Day in the Life of a College Student" field trip which was held at California State University of Dominguez Hills in July. During the field trip students were provided with a campus tour,



informational workshops and also allowed to stay overnight in the dormitories.

\*In July, the South Bay WIB once again joined forces with the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation's Parole Department and the Employment Development Department to conduct a weeklong Career Pathways 180 Job Preparation Academy, for thirty-seven recently paroled men and women. During the Academy the parolees were provided with intensive pre-employment instruction through the SBWIB's Blueprint for Workplace Success curriculum with an emphasis on overcoming their barriers and preparing for job interviews. The participants also received information on the labor market, housing and child support services and donations of suits and business attire to help prepare them for job interviews. The Academy culminated with a graduation ceremony and a mini job fair with employers that included LA Apparel, Terranea Resort First Transit, CONNEXX Cleaning Services, Aerotek, Los Angeles World Airports, Blue Crew, Rotex and Blue Crew.

\*The Torrance One Stop offers Youth Job Club every Thursday from 4pm-6pm to Hermosa Beach youth and young adults between the ages of 16-24. During Job Club participants receive assistance with resume preparation, filling out applications and job leads.

A written summary, along with a report of Program Year 2018-2019's 4<sup>th</sup> quarter activities and accomplishments is being provided for your personal review. Thank you.

**Committees Activity Report**  
**(Based upon the July 18, 2019, South Bay Workforce Investment Board Meeting)**

**\*Rapid Response Summary of Activity from July 2018 – June 2019:**

Number of Companies Affected	Number of Employees Affected	Number of companies utilizing services	Number of companies not receiving service
23	3,351	23	0

City	Number of Companies Affected	Number of Employees Affected
Inglewood	2	172
Hawthorne	2	603
Lawndale		
El Segundo	6	447
Gardena	1	72
Carson	2	213
Redondo Beach	1	7
Hermosa Beach		
Manhattan Beach		
Torrance	6	304
Lomita		
Los Angeles	3	1,553

**Youth Development Council (YDC) Committee Meeting, May 7, 2019:**

The May 7, 2019, Youth Development Council meeting was called to order at 9:06 a.m. The following information was discussed or acted upon:

The Committee took action to approve the February 5, 2019 Meeting Minutes and the Youth Activity and Performance Report.

Ms. Leni Boorstin provided the Committee with a presentation on the LA Philharmonic YOLA Project and announced that the new facility located in the City of Inglewood should be complete by the Fall of 2020.

The Committee also received a brief presentation regarding the April Army Educator Tour in San Antonio, Texas which was attended by 5 educators representing the South Bay Region.

During the meeting, SBWIB staff members provided updates on activities conducted at the Hawthorne and Inglewood Teen Centers, both Bridge to Work Programs, the Fit for Gold Program, the YouthBuild Program, the LAP3 Initiative and the South Bay Promise Program.

Mr. Robert Chavez shared a slideshow with the Committee that displayed photos taken during the Annual Blueprint for Workplace Success Youth and Young Adults Job Fair held on May 2, 2019 at the Carson Community Center. There was more than 800 youth in attendance, 148 were offered employment that day, and 211 were scheduled for second interviews.

In regards to the Fit for Gold Program, Ms. Elizabeth Belden reported that 45 cadets across the SBWIB 11-city consortium have completed the Tutoring and Fitness Academy and received certificates and medals for their participation and growth during the May 30th Closing Ceremony.

Presidents, Superintendents and Representatives from CSU, Dominguez Hills, El Camino College, West Los Angeles College, Los Angeles Southwest College, the Southern California Regional Occupation Center, Marymount California University, El Segundo, Hawthorne, Centinela Valley, Lennox, and Wiseburn school districts provided the Committee with brief updates on things happening in their districts.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:36 a.m.

**One Stop Policy Committee Meeting, May 28, 2019:**

The May 28, 2019, One Stop Policy Committee meeting was called to order at 9:03 a.m. The following items were discussed or acted upon.

The February 20, 2019 meeting minutes and the 3rd Quarter Summary for Classroom Training Providers Activity reports were approved.

The 4th Quarter Self-Service Activity Report through April 30, 2019 was presented by Mr. Jan Vogel and approved by the Committee as well.

Mr. Michael Trogan provided the disability services update by informing the Committee that a total of 12 individuals out of the enrollment goal of 60 have been enrolled in the Disability Employment Accelerator (DEA) Program. Mr. Trogan stated that enrollments have been difficult due to the strict eligibility requirements so the SBWIB has expanded outreach efforts to post-secondary partners in the area that include El Camino College, Harbor College, LA South West College, West LA College and CSU, Dominguez Hills to ensure that the enrollment goals are met. Under the DEA grant, those enrolled must have a disability and either be a college graduate or on track to graduate. Mr. Trogan also informed the Committee that SBWIB staff meet with the Director of the Westside Regional Center last month to discuss referring clients and merging the DEA program with their paid internship program which will result in the participants being able to earn 800 hours of paid work experience.

The Committee was presented with the SBWIB affiliate sites One-Stop/America's Job Center of California (AJCC) Certification results and recommendations. The certification team consisted of board members, SBWIB staff, and the SBWIB One-Stop Operator. The process included reviewing the affiliate AJCC site applications and performance reports and an on-site review to ensure that the Centers are meeting the Hallmarks of Excellence criteria. Being that the South Bay One-Stop Business and Career Centers achieved the minimum standard of at least a 3 in each of the Hallmarks of Excellence categories, the Committee unanimously approved the AJCC Certification results and recommendations for the affiliate sites.

The South Bay Workforce Investment Board (SBWIB) released a Request for Proposal (RFP) on April 25, 2019, to solicit competitive and qualified proposals to provide Dislocated Worker services, which include Rapid Response & Lay-Off Aversion activities. The SBWIB received one proposal to provide these services from ProPath, Inc./Regenerate California Innovation (RCI) which met the minimum criteria and scored an overall proposal rating of 98%. Being that only one response to the RFP was submitted to the SBWIB, it is considered to be a sole source procurement. Based upon rating results, organizational capacity, and demonstrated performance history, SBWIB staff recommended pursuing the respondent ProPath, Inc./Regenerate California Innovation (RCI) as the selected provider for Dislocated Worker, Rapid Response,

and Layoff Aversion services and activities. After review and discussion, the Committee unanimously approved staff recommendations regarding the Dislocated Worker, Rapid Response, and Layoff Aversion services and activities RFP.

Ms. Justina Munoz provided the Committee with an update on the progress and submission of the amended One-Stop/AJCC Partner Memorandums of Understanding (MOUs).

SBWIB One-Stop Operator Mr. Don Nakamoto provided a brief report on his role as the Operator and the Comprehensive One-Stop partner meetings.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:52 a.m.

**Performance & Evaluation Committee Meeting, May 14, 2019:**

The May 14, 2019, Performance & Evaluation Committee meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m. The following items were discussed or acted upon:

The February 26, 2019, meeting minutes were reviewed and approved by the Committee.

The WIOA FY 2018/19 3rd quarter expenditure report through March 31, 2019 was approved unanimously, as well as the PY 2018/19 Self-Service and Activity report through March 31st.

Staff member Justina Munoz presented the 3rd Quarter One-Stop Service Providers Report. Ms. Munoz informed the Committee that a Letter of Concern will be issued to the Gardena One-Stop Business and Career Center for low performance outcomes attained under the Adult and Dislocated Worker Programs. After review and discussion, the 3rd Quarter Service Provider and Operating Cities Report was approved unanimously by the Committee.

Ms. Catherine Blaylock presented the 3rd Quarter Vendor Performance Report. Staff recommendations were to place 36 training providers on probation and to place 26 training course on hold. SBWIB staff will send an inquiry letter to the training providers who have demonstrated a placement rate less than 50% in order to allow them an opportunity to work out any discrepancies. Providers that are placed on hold will not receive any more referrals until their placement numbers have improved. After a discussion the 3rd Quarter Vendor Performance Report was approved unanimously by the Committee.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:36 a.m.

**Business & Economic Development Committee Meeting, July 3, 2019:**

The July 3, 2019, Business, Technology and Economic Development Committee meeting was called to order at 9:05 a.m.

The Committee approved the April 3, 2019, Meeting Minutes.

Staff member Catherine Blaylock presented the PY 18-19 4th quarter Rapid Response Activity Report. 23 companies received Rapid Response services through June 30, 2019, with a total of 3,351 employees

affected by layoffs/closures. After review and discussion, the report was approved unanimously by the Committee.

During the meeting the Committee was provided with updates on the Aero-Flex and Bio-Flex Pre-Apprenticeship and Apprenticeship Programs, the Employment Training Panel (ETP) Multiple Employer Contract (MEC), updates made to the Local and Regional Plans, the Blockchain study, and the Broadband initiative.

South Bay Workforce Investment Board (SBWIB) staff also provided the Committee with a brief update on the P3 initiative, the SBWIB will be working on in partnership with 6 other Workforce Development Boards in the region under the Los Angeles Basin Regional Planning Unit (LARPU).

The latest Construction and Utilities Preparation Program (CUPP) report was reviewed by the Committee and reflected that over 875 individuals were hired to work on a construction site or enrolled in an apprenticeship program since the program began in January of 2017.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:58 a.m.

#### **Executive Committee Meetings:**

The following are highlights of the May 16, 2019, June 13, 2019, and July 11, 2019, Executive Committee Meetings:

The Executive Committee approved all committee reports and meeting minutes this quarter.

During the May 16th meeting the Executive Committee authorized for staff to reengage with Paylocity, Inc. regarding contract negotiations for payroll services and possibly engaging with ADP, LLC if the Paylocity, Inc. contract negotiations were unsuccessful.

Last quarter, the Executive Committee ratified the One Stop Policy Committee's decision to pursue the respondent ProPath, Inc./Regenerate California Innovation (RCI) as the selected provider for Dislocated Worker, Rapid Response, and Layoff Aversion services and activities,

During the June 13th meeting the Committee approved the AJCC Certification results and recommendations for the affiliate sites.

Last quarter, the Executive Committee unanimously voted to change the Executive Committee meeting time from 10:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.

The Executive Committee approved the South Bay Workforce Investment Board July 18, 2019, Meeting Agenda during the July 11th meeting.

During the June 25th Inglewood City Council meeting the Mayor and City Council ratified the following appointments/re-appointments to the Board: Mohammad Naser, Mr. Jamin Gallman, Mr. Muhamad Awadallah, Mr. Tod Sword, Ms. Melissa Jean, Mr. Faisal Hashmi, Ms. Tami Lorenzen-Fanselow, Ms. Tamala Lewis, Ms. Janice Jimenez, Mr. Gregg McClain, Mr. Glenn Grindstaff, Ms. Ellenmary Michel, Ms. Fran Fulton, Michael Brenk, Chris Hannan, Mr. Walter Ahhaitty, and Mr. Wayne Diulio.

This concludes the Executive Committee Report.

## **SOUTH BAY WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD**

**PY 2018-2019**

### **NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS SERVED - INFORMATIONAL/SELF SERVICE ONLY**

	<b>PREVIOUS CUMULATIVE REPORT</b>	<b>PREVIOUS MONTH</b>	<b>MONTH OF JUNE</b>	<b>CUMULATIVE PY 18/19</b>
<b>INGLEWOOD, HAWTHORNE, LAWDALE, EL SEGUNDO ONE-STOP BUSINESS AND CAREER CENTER</b>	62682	4406	4344	67026
<b>GARDENA ONE-STOP BUSINESS AND CAREER CENTER</b>	16666	1413	1323	17989
<b>TORRANCE ONE-STOP BUSINESS AND CAREER CENTER</b>	23931	2487	2089	26020
<b>CARSON BUSINESS AND CAREER CENTER</b>	4438	541	629	5067
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>107717</b>	<b>8847</b>	<b>8385</b>	<b>116102</b>

**ADULT PROGRAM (G201)**

		Gardena				Inglewood				Torrance				Carson				SBWIB				Year-End	
		Qtr.	%	Yr.	%	Qtr.	%	Yr.	%	Qtr.	%	Yr.	%	Qtr.	%	Yr.	%	TOTAL	Qtr.	%	Plan	%	
		Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan		Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	45	46	98%	46	98%	327	222	147%	222	147%	79	60	132%	60	132%	79	100%	530	407	130%	407	130%	
A. CARRIED IN	21	21		21		94	94		94		16	16		16		23		154	154		154		
B. NEW	24	25	96%	25	96%	233	128	182%	128	182%	63	44	143%	44	143%	56	100%	376	253	149%	253	149%	
II. TOTAL EXITS	16					119					45					28		208					
A. UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	13					94					40					26		173					
B. ALSO ATTAINED CREDENTIAL	0					60					8					0		68					
C. % OF PLACEMENT	81%					79%					89%					93%		83%					
D. AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGE	\$18.37					\$19.64					\$23.55					\$16.86		\$19.61					

Grant (201)

Serving economically disadvantaged adults 18 years and over in the nine cities that comprise the South Bay Workforce Investment Area.

**YOUTH PROGRAM (G301)**

		Gardena				Inglewood				Torrance				Carson				SBWIB				Year-End			
		Qtr.	%	Yr.	%	Qtr.	%	Yr.	%	Qtr.	%	Yr.	%	Qtr.	%	Yr.	%	TOTAL	Qtr.	%	Year-End	%			
		Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan		Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan			
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	25	25	100%	25	100%	159	156	102%	156	102%	51	49	104%	49	104%	73	77	95%	77	95%	308	307	100%		
A. CARRIED IN	11	11		11		73	73		73		25	25		25		44	44		44		153	153			
B. NEW ENROLLEES	14	14	100%	14	100%	86	83	104%	83	104%	26	24	108%	24	108%	29	33	88%	33	88%	155	154	101%		
II. TOTAL EXITS	11					84					20					7					122				
A. UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	4					45					14					7					70				
B. ENT. TRAINING/POST-SECONDARY	7					32					5					0					44				
C. ATTAINED RECOGNIZED DEGREE	3					20					2					0					25				
D. AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGE	\$12.24					\$14.18					\$15.19					\$12.46					\$13.52				
YOUTH POSITIVE EXIT RATE	100%					92%					95%					100%					93%				

Grant (301)

Serving low income, in school and out of school youth between the ages of 14 and no more than 21 years of age in the nine cities that comprise the South Bay Workforce Investment Area.

**DISLOCATED WORKER (G501)**

	Gardena	Qtr. Plan	% Plan	Yr. Plan	% Plan	Inglewood	Qtr. Plan	% Plan	Yr. Plan	% Plan	Torrance	Qtr. Plan	% Plan	Yr. Plan	% Plan	Carson	Qtr. Plan	% Plan	Yr. Plan	% Plan	SBWIB TOTAL	Qtr. Plan	% Plan	Year-End Plan	% Plan
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	40	40	100%	40	100%	172	167	103%	167	103%	279	191	146%	191	146%	57	53	108%	53	108%	548	451	122%	451	122%
A. CARRIED IN	20	20		20		84	84		84		103	103		103		22	22		22		229	229		229	
B. NEW	20	20	100%	20	100%	88	83	106%	83	106%	176	88	200%	88	200%	35	31	113%	31	113%	319	222	144%	222	144%
II. TOTAL EXITS	9					53					109					38					209				
III. TOTAL UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	7					42					88					30					167				
A. RETRAINING	0					18					43					15					76				
ALSO ATTAINED CREDENTIAL	0					19					43					15					77				
B. CALLED BACK WITH EMPLOYER	0					0					0					0					0				
IV. % PLACEMENT (INCL. CALL BACKS)	78%					79%					81%					79%					80%				
V. % PLACEMENT (EXCL. CALL BACKS)	78%					79%					81%					79%					80%				
AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGE	\$22.00					\$30.73					\$39.18					\$23.54					\$28.86				

Grant (501)

Serving laid off workers; with priority given to those individuals that have been laid-off from employers located in the nine cities that comprise the South Bay Workforce Investment Area.

## ADULT PROGRAM (G201)

	Gardena	Year Plan	Inglewood	Year Plan	Hawthorne	Year Plan	Lawndale	Year Plan	El Segundo	Year Plan	Redondo	Year Plan	Hermosa	Year Plan	Manhattan	Year Plan	Torrance	Year Plan	Lomita	Year Plan	Carson	Year Plan	TOTAL SBWIB	Year Plan
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	45	46	282	155	34	47	9	19	2	1	10	12	1	1	3	2	57	37	8	8	79	79	530	407
A. CARRIED IN	21	21	71	71	16	16	7	7	0	0	3	3	0	0	1	1	11	11	1	1	23	23	154	154
B. NEW	24	25	211	84	18	31	2	12	2	1	7	9	1	1	2	1	46	26	7	7	56	56	376	253
II. TOTAL EXITS	16	16	92	92	18	18	8	8	1	1	4	4	0	0	2	2	35	35	4	4	28	28	208	208
A. UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	13	13	75	75	12	12	6	6	1	1	3	3	0	0	2	2	33	33	2	2	26	26	173	173
ALSO ATTAINED CREDENTIAL	0		51		7		2		0		1		0		0		7		0		0		68	
B. OTHER TERMINATION	3		17		6		2		0		1		0		0		2		2		2		35	

## YOUTH PROGRAM (G301)

	Gardena	Year Plan	Inglewood	Year Plan	Hawthorne	Year Plan	Lawndale	Year Plan	El Segundo	Year Plan	Redondo	Year Plan	Hermosa	Year Plan	Manhattan	Year Plan	Torrance	Year Plan	Lomita	Year Plan	Carson	Year Plan	TOTAL SBWIB	Year Plan
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	25	25	76	76	58	55	21	21	4	4	8	8	3	2	1	2	35	33	4	4	73	77	308	307
A. CARRIED IN	11	11	23	23	33	33	14	14	3	3	4	4	1	1	1	1	18	18	1	1	44	44	153	153
B. NEW	14	14	53	53	25	22	7	7	1	1	4	4	2	1	0	1	17	15	3	3	29	33	155	154
II. TOTAL EXITS	11	11	48	48	24	24	9	9	3	3	7	7	0	0	1	1	10	10	2	2	7	7	122	122
A. UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	4		27		13		3		2		5		0		0		7		2		7		70	
ALSO ATTAINED CREDENTIAL	3		11		8		0		1		0		0		0		2		0		0		25	
B. ENT. TRAINING/POST-SECONDARY	7		17		10		5		0		2		0		1		2		0		0		44	
C. ATTAINED RECOGNIZED DEGREE	0		3		1		1		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		5	
D. RETURNED TO SCHOOL	0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0	
E. OTHER EXITS	0		1		0		0		1		0		0		0		1		0		0		3	

## DISLOCATED WORKER (G501)

	Gardena	Year Plan	Inglewood	Year Plan	Hawthorne	Year Plan	Lawndale	Year Plan	El Segundo	Year Plan	Redondo	Year Plan	Hermosa	Year Plan	Manhattan	Year Plan	Torrance	Year Plan	Lomita	Year Plan	Carson	Year Plan	TOTAL SBWIB	Year Plan
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	40	40	103	90	48	53	13	14	8	10	57	57	13	14	21	20	168	80	20	20	57	53	548	451
A. CARRY IN	20	20	50	50	24	24	5	5	5	5	33	33	7	7	10	10	41	41	12	12	22	22	229	229
B. NEW	20	20	53	40	24	29	8	9	3	5	24	24	6	7	11	10	127	39	8	8	35	31	319	222
II. TOTAL EXITS	9	9	29	29	18	18	5	5	1	1	27	27	6	6	7	7	62	62	7	7	38	38	209	209
III. TOTAL UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	7	7	20	20	16	16	5	5	1	1	23	23	6	6	5	5	49	49	5	5	30	30	167	167
A. RETRAINING	0		12		6		0		0		8		2		2		28		3		15		76	
ALSO ATTAINED CREDENTIAL	0		12		6		1		0		8		2		2		28		3		15		77	
B. READJUSTMENT SERVICES	0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0	
C. CALLED BACK WITH EMPLOYER	0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0	
IV. ALL OTHER TERMINATIONS	2		9		2		0		0		4		0		2		13		2		8		42	



I. TOTAL CLIENTS	45	183	103	114	49					56	31	26
A. CARRIED IN	0	0	0	0	0					0	0	0
B. NEW	45	183	103	114	49					56	31	26
II. TOTAL EXITS	0	0	0	0	0					0	0	0
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	0	0	0	0	0							
OTHER TERMINATIONS	0	0	0	0	0							
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	63	32	0	31	25	0	0	33	26	62	67	108
A. CARRIED IN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
B. NEW	63	32	0	31	25	0	0	33	26	62	67	108
II. TOTAL EXITS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER TERMINATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	0	48	94	48	66							
A. CARRIED IN	0	0	0	0	0							
B. NEW	0	48	94	48	66							
II. TOTAL EXITS	0	0	0	0	0							
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	0	0	0	0	0							
OTHER TERMINATIONS	0	0	0	0	0							
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	26	87	0	0	5	0						
A. CARRIED IN	0	0	0	0	0	0						
B. NEW	26	87	0	0	5	0						
II. TOTAL EXITS	0	0	0	0	0	0						
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	0	0	0	0	0	0						
OTHER TERMINATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0						
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	494	56	31	26	703	118		1428				
A. CARRIED IN	0	0	0	0	0	0		0				
B. NEW	494	56	31	26	703	118		1428				
II. TOTAL EXITS	0	0	0	0	0	0		0				
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	0	0	0	0	0	0		0				
OTHER TERMINATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0		0				
% OF PLACEMENT												
AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGE	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		\$0.00				
										PLANNED ENROLLMENT	PERCENT OF PLAN	
										1,496	95%	

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I. TOTAL CLIENTS	20	73	5	2	12					11	8	
A. CARRIED IN	0	0	0	0	0					0	0	
B. NEW	20	73	5	2	12					11	8	
GARDENA INGLEWOOD INGLEWOOD (POMONA) CARSON TORRANCE												
II. TOTAL EXITS	3	1	3	0	0					5	0	
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	1	1	3	0	0					3	0	
OTHER TERMINATIONS	2	0	0	0	0					2	0	
FOOTHILL SELACO VERDUGO												
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	8	10	0	3	0	17	0	5	0	0	6	2
A. CARRIED IN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
B. NEW	8	10	0	3	0	17	0	5	0	0	6	2
HOLLYWOOD WORKSOURCE CTR CENTRAL SAN GABRIEL VALLEY GOODWILL SOUTH VALLEY WORKSOURCE GOODWILL CANOGA PARK WEST HILLS MCS ROSEMEAD MCS WEST COVINA MCS POMONA JVS PALMDALE JVS CULVER CITY JVS PACOIMA PACIFIC GATEWAY EL PROYECTO DEL BARRIO												
II. TOTAL EXITS	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0
OTHER TERMINATIONS	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	0	4	16	11	10	19						
A. CARRIED IN	0	0	0	0	0	0						
B. NEW	0	4	16	11	10	19						
SASSFA PARAMOUNT SELA AREA SOCIAL SERVICES PACE WILSHIRE METRO WORKSOURCE CENTER HUB CITIES CONSORTIUM JVS ANTELOPE VALLEY												
II. TOTAL EXITS	0	1	0	0	0	0						
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	0	1	0	0	0	0						
OTHER TERMINATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0						
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	0	3	0	0	0	0						
A. CARRIED IN	0	0	0	0	0	0						
B. NEW	0	3	0	0	0	0						
International Inst. of L.A. Catholic Charities of Los Angeles Catholic Charities New Central Sov ResCare Boyle Heights Youth Policy Institute Housing Authority												
II. TOTAL EXITS	0	2	0	0	0	0						
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	0	1	0	0	0	0						
OTHER TERMINATIONS	0	1	0	0	0	0						
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	112	11	8	1	111	3		246		PLANNED	PERCENT	
A. CARRIED IN	0	0	0	0	0	0		0		ENROLLMENT	OF PLAN	
B. NEW	112	11	8	1	111	3		246		499	49%	
S T O T A L S B T O T A L S F O O T H I L L H A I L S L E A R E A S O C I A L S E R V I C E S C A T H O L I C C H A R I T I E S N E W C E N T R A L S O V R E S C A R E B O Y L E H E I G H T S Y O U T H P O L I C Y I N S T I T U T E H O U S I N G A U T H O R I T Y												
II. TOTAL EXITS	7	5	0	3	11	2		28				
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	5	3	0	1	8	1		18				
OTHER TERMINATIONS	2	2	0	2	5	1		12				
% OF PLACEMENT	71%	60%		33%	73%	50%		64%				
AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGE	\$15.69	\$12.42	\$0.00	\$16.00	\$13.18	\$16.00		\$14.66				

Targets Temporary Assistance to Needy Families, TANF participants; and places them into Paid Work Experience activity. Participants are placed at worksites that are either Public or Non-Profit in an effort to obtain unsubsidized employment and long term self-sufficiency.

PROGRAM YEAR 2018 / 2019  
 GRANT PERIOD: 07/01/2018 TO 6/30/2019  
 REPORT PERIOD: 07/01/18 TO 6/30/2019

SOUTH BAY WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD  
 WTW SUBSIDIZED TRANSITIONAL EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM (GROW 055H) - PAID WEX  
 DETAIL BY CAREER CENTER

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I. TOTAL CLIENTS	0	21	21	12						8		
A. CARRIED IN	0	0	0	0						0		
B. NEW	0	21	21	12						8		
II. TOTAL EXITS	0	0	0	0						0		
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	0	0	0	0						0		
OTHER TERMINATIONS	0	0	0	0						0		
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	4	0	10	0	0	5	20					
A. CARRIED IN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
B. NEW	4	0	10	0	0	5	20					
II. TOTAL EXITS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
OTHER TERMINATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
I. TOTAL CLIENTS												
A. CARRIED IN												
B. NEW												
II. TOTAL EXITS												
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT												
OTHER TERMINATIONS												
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	0											
A. CARRIED IN	0											
B. NEW	0											
II. TOTAL EXITS	0											
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	0											
OTHER TERMINATIONS	0											
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	54	8			39	0		101	50	202%		
A. CARRIED IN	0	0			0	0		0				
B. NEW	54	8			39	0		101				
II. TOTAL EXITS	0	0			0	0		0				
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	0	0			0	0		0				
OTHER TERMINATIONS	0	0			0	0		0				
% OF PLACEMENT												
AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGE	\$0.00	\$0.00			\$0.00	\$0.00		\$0.00				

Targets Temporary Assistance to Needy Families, TANF participants; and places them into Paid Work Experience activity. Participants are placed at worksites that are either Public or Non-Profit in an effort to obtain unsubsidized employment and long term self-sufficiency.

GRANT PERIOD: 07/01/2018 TO 06/30/19

REPORT PERIOD: 07/01/18 TO 6/30/2019

## HOMELESS INITIATIVE

I. TOTAL CLIENTS	METRO NORTH WORKSOURCE CTR	102	UNION STATION HOMELESS SRVS	38	LAI/SOUTHEAST LA CRENSHAW	65	JVS ANTELOPE VALLEY	21	JVS PALMDALE	6	PAGE TOTALS	232	PLANNED ENROLLMENT	200	PERCENT OF PLAN	116%
A. CARRIED IN		0		0		0		0		0		0				
B. NEW		102		38		65		21		6		232				
II. TOTAL EXITS		7		3		26		0		0		36				
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT		2		3		2		0		0		7				
OTHER TERMINATIONS		5				24		0		0		5				
% OF PLACEMENT		29%		100%		8%						19%				
AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGE		\$ 16.63		\$ 13.00		\$ 16.60						\$ 11.08				

The program is part of a countywide homeless initiative to target eligible CalWORKs families to participate in the Transitional Subsidized Employment (TSE) programs to improve their ability to become self-sufficient and retain housing. Program services will include paid work experience, specialized work experience, on-the-job training and classroom training.

GRANT PERIOD: 07/01/2018 TO 06/30/19

REPORT PERIOD: 07/01/18 TO 6/30/2019

## SHORT TERM VOCATIONAL TRAINING SPECIAL (TECHNICAL)

I. TOTAL CLIENTS	GARDENA	0	INGLEWOOD	14	CARSON	18	CENTRAL SAN GABRIEL VALLEY GOODWILL	9	FOOTHILL	10	HUB CITIES CONSORTIUM	26					PAGE TOTALS	77	PLANNED ENROLLMENT	50	PERCENT OF PLAN	154%
A. CARRIED IN		0		0		0		0		0		0					0					
B. NEW		0		14		18		9		10		26					77					
II. TOTAL EXITS		0		0		0		0		0		0					0					
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT		0		0		0		0		0		0					0					
OTHER TERMINATIONS		0		0		0		0		0		0					0					
% OF PLACEMENT																						
AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGE																	\$ -					

Targets Temporary Assistance to Needy Families, TANF participants; and places them into short-term vocational training programs in an effort to obtain employment and long term self-sufficiency. Planned Enrollments are based on individual need and available funds.

I. TOTAL CLIENTS	L.A. CITY COLLEGE	54	EAST L.A. COLLEGE	45	EL CAMINO /COMPTON	17	L.A. MISSION COLLEGE	20	L.A. PIERCE COLLEGE	27	L.A. SOUTHWEST COLLEGE	11	LONG BEACH CITY COLLEGE	19	WEST L.A. COLLEGE	17		0	0	0	0
A. CARRIED IN		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0	0	0	0
B. NEW		54		45		17		20		27		11		19		17		0	0	0	0
II. TOTAL EXITS		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0	0	0	0
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0	0	0	0
OTHER TERMINATIONS		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0	0	0	0

I. TOTAL CLIENTS		0		0		0
A. CARRIED IN		0		0		0
B. NEW		0		0		0
II. TOTAL EXITS		0		0		0
OTHER TERMINATIONS		0		0		0

I. TOTAL CLIENTS	PAGE TOTALS	210	PLANNED ENROLLMENT	PERCENT OF PLAN
A. CARRIED IN		0		
B. NEW		210	75	280%
II. TOTAL EXITS		0		
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT		0		
OTHER TERMINATIONS		0		
% OF PLACEMENT		0%		
AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGE		\$0.00		

Targets Calworks participants/Individuals whose families are on Public Assistance; enrolled in Community Colleges; and places them into a Paid Work Experience activity. Participants are placed at worksites that are either Public or Non-Profit in an effort to obtain unsubsidized employment and long term self-sufficiency.

GRANT PERIOD: 07/01/2018 TO 06/30/19

REPORT PERIOD: 07/01/18 TO 6/30/2019

## DPSS PROBATION PROGRAM (950H TIER I)

I. TOTAL CLIENTS	0	9	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	PLANNED ENROLLMENT	PERCENT OF PLAN
A. CARRIED IN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
B. NEW	0	9	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	11	91%
II. TOTAL EXITS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
OTHER TERMINATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
% OF PLACEMENT																0%		
AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGE																\$ -		

Serving Youth on probation, between 16-17 years of age, throughout Los Angeles County.

GRANT PERIOD: 07/01/2018 TO 06/30/19

REPORT PERIOD: 07/01/18 TO 6/30/2019

## DPSS PROBATION PROGRAM (951H TIER I)

I. TOTAL CLIENTS	4	16	1	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	PLANNED ENROLLMENT	PERCENT OF PLAN
A. CARRIED IN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
B. NEW	4	16	1	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	44	59%
II. TOTAL EXITS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
OTHER TERMINATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
% OF PLACEMENT																0%		
AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGE																\$ -		

Serving Youth on probation, between 18-21 years of age, throughout Los Angeles County.

GRANT PERIOD: 07/01/2018 TO 06/30/19

REPORT PERIOD: 07/01/18 TO 6/30/2019

## DCFS ILP PROGRAM (006H TIER I)

I. TOTAL CLIENTS	3	2	4	3	2	1	2	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	0	2	24	PLANNED ENROLLMENT	PERCENT OF PLAN
A. CARRIED IN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
B. NEW	3	2	4	3	2	1	2	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	0	2	24	24	100%
II. TOTAL EXITS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
OTHER TERMINATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
% OF PLACEMENT																	0%		
AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGE																	\$ -		
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	2	0	0																
A. CARRIED IN	0	0	0																
B. NEW	2	0	0																
II. TOTAL EXITS	0	0	0																
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	0	0	0																
TRANSFER TO OTHER AGENCY	0	0	0																
OTHER TERMINATIONS	0	0	0																
% OF PLACEMENT																			
AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGE																			

Serving Youth in the Foster Care Independent Living Program, between 16-17 years of age, throughout Los Angeles County.

GRANT PERIOD: 07/01/2018 TO 06/30/2019

REPORT PERIOD: 07/01/18 TO 6/30/2019

## DCFS ILP PROGRAM (007H TIER II)

I. TOTAL CLIENTS	11	16	17	12	2	5	3	1	15	6	9	2	0	4	113	PLANNED ENROLLMENT	PERCENT OF PLAN
A. CARRIED IN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
B. NEW	11	16	17	12	2	5	3	1	15	6	9	2	0	4	113		
II. TOTAL EXITS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
OTHER TERMINATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
% OF PLACEMENT															0%		
AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGE															\$ -		
I. TOTAL CLIENTS	5	0	5														
A. CARRIED IN	0	0	0														
B. NEW	5	0	5														
II. TOTAL EXITS	0	0	0														
UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	0	0	0														
TRANSFER TO OTHER AGENCY	0	0	0														
OTHER TERMINATIONS	0	0	0														
% OF PLACEMENT																	
AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGE																	

Serving Youth in the Foster Care Independent Living Program, between 18-21 years of age, throughout Los Angeles County.

**LA COUNTY PROBATION EMPLOYMENT SERVICES - GRANT 962**

REPORT PERIOD: 07/01/18 TO 6/30/2019

GRANT TERM: 07/01/18 TO 6/30/2019

ENROLLMENTS/ASSESSMENTS  
BLUEPRINT/EMPLOYMENT  
RETENTION MONTHS

CLUSTER 2/AREA1 INGLEWOOD/LOS ANGELES	Enrolled	Qrt Plan	% Plan	Year Plan	% of Plan
	23	36	64%	48	48%
	4	23	17%	31	13%
	7	40	18%	55	13%

Serving Probation Youth, 16-18 years of age, in Area 1 (Inglewood/Culver City/Florence) and Area 2 (Gardena/Carson/Compton/Lynwood).

**YOUTHBUILD**

REPORT PERIOD: 08/01/17 TO 6/30/2019

GRANT TERM: 09/01/2017 TO 12/31/2020

ENROLLMENTS  
EDUCATION & EMPLOYMENT  
-Education (Obtained High School Diploma)  
-Entered Employment  
ATTAINMENT OF DEGREE/CERTIFICATE  
LITERACY & NUMERACY ATTAINMENT  
RETENTION  
RECIDIVISM

YOUTHBUILD	Enrolled	Planned Services	% of Plan
	60	62	97%
	27	43	62%
	19		
	8		
	29	47	62%
	18	36	50%

Effective 9/1/18, the South Bay WIB, Inc., is both the administration/fiscal agent and program operator to the YouthBuild Programs and Partnerships. The program partnerships include the Century Center for Economic Opportunity, Inc. (CCEO) which has now merged under the SBWIB, Inc. and Habitat for Humanity of Greater Los Angeles as the housing partner. The SBWIB YouthBuild program will provide educational, occupational skills training in construction and leadership skills to disadvantaged youth ages 16-24 years residing in targeted



**CONSTRUCTION WORKFORCE PILOT (CALTRANS)****GRANT TERM: 9/1/2018 TO 8/31/2019****REPORT PERIOD: 09/01/2018 - 6/30/2019**

Enrollment into Construction Pre-Apprentice Program Training  
 Completion of Construction Pre-Apprentice Program Training  
 Placements

CALTRANS	Enrolled	Year Plan	% of Plan
	52	50	104%
	52	40	130%
	38	37	103%

Pilot project with Caltrans to connect classroom training in construction, supportive services and job development activities; co-enrollment with WIOA programs to maximize services and outcomes.

**CAI #2 – WEST LA COLLEGE (pre apprenticeship)****GRANT TERM: 01/18/2018 TO 01/31/2020****REPORT PERIOD: 07/18/2018 - 6/30/2019**

ENROLLMENTS (100%)  
 ENROLLED INTO EDUCATION OR TRAINING  
 ATTAINMENT OF CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATE  
 PENDING COMPLETION

CAI - WLA PA	Enrolled	Year Plan	% of Plan
	86	100	86%
	86	100	86%
	32	100	32%
	54	100	54%

To design, develop and implement the Aero-Flex Apprenticeship Program and to enroll 100 pre apprentices.

## YEAR-ROUND YOUTH EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM

GRANT TERM: 7/1/2018 TO 6/30/2019

REPORT PERIOD: 7/01/18 TO 6/30/2019

TOTAL ENROLLMENTS  
CALWORKS  
NCC (Low Income)  
FOSTER YOUTH  
PROBATION YOUTH  
SYSTEM INVOLVED YOUTH (New)

TOTAL	Enrolled	Plan	% of Grant Plan
	297	325	91%
	95	135	
	103	95	
	23	16	
	7	15	
	69	64	

The Youth Employmen Program (also referred to as the Summer Jobs Programs) provides eligible youth ages 14-21 with paid work experience and education support year-round and during school breaks.

## FAMILIES FIRST

GRANT TERM: 7/1/2018 TO 6/30/2019

REPORT PERIOD: 7/01/2018 TO 6/30/2019

ORIENTATIONS/WORKSHOPS (GROUP)  
INDIVIDUAL MEETINGS  
JOB REFERRALS / INTERVIEWS  
JOB READINESS / RESUME COMPLETION

PY18-19	Enrolled	Year Plan	% of Plan
	10	10	100%
	20	20	100%
	22	15	147%
	16	20	80%

The South Bay WIB, Inc., will provide job development staff support and services to Family First Charter School students at the Century Regional Detention Facility. Job Development services will include job readiness workshops, one-on-one interviewing and counseling, job match and referrals to employment and worksites, progress monitoring and follow-up.

## DISABILITY EMPLOYMENT ACCELERATOR (DEA)

GRANT TERM: 4/01/2018 TO 12/31/2019

REPORT PERIOD: 04/01/2018 TO 6/30/2019

	Enrolled	Year Plan	% of Plan
REFERRALS (100%)	24	24	100%
PENDING INTAKE/ASSESSMENT (100%)	3	3	100%
ENROLLMENTS (100%)	11	60	18%
ENROLLED INTO EDUCATION OR TRAINING	11	42	26%
ATTAINMENT OF CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATE	0	30	0%
ENTERED EMPLOYMENT RATE	0	30	0%
AVERAGE WAGE AT EMPLOYMENT	0	\$ 12.00	0

In partnership with El Camino College (ECC) and Los Angeles Harbor College (LAHC), the project will target individuals with disabilities including, but not limited to, the following: mobility impaired, developmentally delayed learner, learning disabled, and other disabilities including Autism, Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder, Tourette's Syndrome, and others. From the target population a total of 60 Persons with Disabilities (PWD) will be enrolled and receive a pre and registered apprenticeship, PWEX, OJT or training as a CNC (Computer Numerical Control) Machine Operator.

## CALIFORNIA VIOLENCE INTERVENTION &amp; PREVENTION (CaVIP)

GRANT TERM: 5/01/2018 TO 4/30/2020

REPORT PERIOD: 05/01/2018 TO 6/30/2019

	Enrolled	Year Plan	% of Plan
REFERRALS (100%)	83	83	100%
RISK ASSESSMENT (100%)	35	35	100%
PENDING INTAKE/PARENT APPT. (100%)	0	0	#DIV/0!
ENROLLMENTS (100%)	35	100	35%
INTEVENTION WORKSHOPS/WORK READINESS PREPARATION	28	50	56%
PAID WORK EXPERIENCE, INTERNSHIP OR OJT	14	50	28%
FOLLOW-UP SERVICES FOR 12 MONTHS	2	80	3%

This project will provide services to Inglewood youth that are disproportionately affected by violence and will receive evidence-based services for diversion, restorative justice, and employment opportunities through the Inglewood Community and Regional Engagement Violence Intervention and Prevention (I-CARE VIP) collaboration. The project will serve 100 youth ages 14-18 and provide preventive and diversion activities, case management along with paid pre-employment training, paid work experience and job search assistance.

## CALIFORNIA CAREER PATHWAYS GRANTS

GRANT TERM: 09/01/2018 TO 6/30/2019

REPORT PERIOD: 09/01/2018 TO 6/30/2019

	Activities	Qrt.	%	Year	% of
		Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan
<b>Centinela Valley Union High School District (CVUHSD)</b>	103	85	121%	85	121%
	11	4	275%	24	46%
	16	4	400%	39	41%
	3	15	20%	20	15%
	134	85	158%	85	158%

SBWIB will provide work-based learning support to Centinela Valley Union High School District's nine academies and two career pathways. SBWIB will outreach to employers, engage in work based learning activities, which include guest speaking, providing opportunities for job shadowing, company tours, hosting interns, or serving as an advisory board member. Other activities will include participation in activities such as Career Day and Maker Faire.

## HOMELESS LA RISE (REGIONAL)

GRANT TERM: 07/01/2018 TO 6/30/2019

REPORT PERIOD: 07/01/2018 TO 6/30/2019

	Activities	Qrt.	%	Year	% of
		Plan	Plan	Plan	Plan
<b>Homeless LA Rise</b>	34	27	126%	27	126%
	6	6	100%	6	100%
	0	10	0%	20	0%
	0	3	0%	12	0%

Effective 10/01/18, SBWIB will serve 18 and over Homeless Individuals through a Transitional Subsidized Employment Program leading towards Unsubsidized employment in the competitive marketplace that is along an articulated career pathway.

## ETP - MEC

GRANT TERM: 08/01/2018 TO 07/31/2020

REPORT PERIOD: 08/01/2018 TO 6/30/2019

EMPLOYER PARTNERS  
ENROLLMENTS (100%)  
RETENTION IN EMPLOYMENT  
AVERAGE WAGE AFTER EMPLOYMENT

ETP - MEC	Enrolled	Year Plan	% of Plan
	15	15	100%
	486	216	225%
	91	97	94%

To reimburse training costs to employers from the Employment Training Panel Fund.

## LA County WDACS (Bio-Flex)

GRANT TERM: 09/14/2018 TO 12/31/2019

REPORT PERIOD: 09/14/2018 TO 6/30/2019

PRE APPRENTICE ENROLLMENTS  
ENROLLED INTO EDUCATION OR TRAINING  
ATTAINMENT OF CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATE

WDACS BIO- FLEX	Enrolled	Year Plan	% of Plan
	0	30	0%
	0	30	0%
	0	30	0%

For training and On the Job Training (OJT) services to support participants involved in the Bio-Flex Pre Apprenticeship Pilot

## BOS Mark Ridley Thomas (Bio-Flex)

GRANT TERM: 10/01/2018 TO 12/31/2019

REPORT PERIOD: 10/01/2018 TO 5/31/2019

ENROLLMENTS (100%)  
ENROLLED INTO EDUCATION OR TRAINING  
ATTAINMENT OF CREDENTIAL/CERTIFICATE

MRT BIO-FLEX	Enrolled	Year Plan	% of Plan
	42	10	420%
	42	10	420%
	1	10	10%

Grant funds received from the District Supervisor Mark Ridley-Thomas to develop Bio-Flex Apprenticeship career pathways

**25% WIOA DISLOCATED WORKER ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE GRANT****GRANT TERM: 10/01/18 TO 4/30/20****REPORT PERIOD: 10/01/2018 TO 6/30/2019**

	Grant Plan	
I. TOTAL CLIENTS		181
A. ENROLLED	72	40%
B. NEW	0	
C. TRAINING	45	
D. OJT	3	
E. Pre-Apprenticeship/Apprenticeship	0	
II. TOTAL EXITS	6	
III. TOTAL UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	3	
A. RETRAINING	0	
ALSO ATTAINED CREDENTIAL	0	
B. CALLED BACK WITH EMPLOYER	0	
IV. % PLACEMENT (INCL. CALL BACKS)	50%	
V. % PLACEMENT (EXCL. CALL BACKS)	50%	
AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGE	\$ 28.75	

The South Bay Rapid Reemployment project has been approved to assist 181 dislocated workers and veterans who have been laid off or separated from military to receive employment and job training services. Dislocated workers have been identified from selected employers faced with substantial layoffs or closure.

**TRADE & ECONOMIC TRANSITION NDWG (TET)****GRANT TERM: 10/01/18 TO 9/30/20****REPORT PERIOD: 10/01/2018 TO 6/30/2019**

	Grant Plan	
I. TOTAL CLIENTS		130
A. ENROLLED	90	69%
B. NEW	0	
C. TRAINING	49	
D. OJT	3	
E. Pre-Apprenticeship/Apprenticeship	0	
II. TOTAL EXITS	3	
III. TOTAL UNSUBSIDIZED EMPLOYMENT	3	
A. RETRAINING	0	
ALSO ATTAINED CREDENTIAL	0	
B. CALLED BACK WITH EMPLOYER	0	
IV. % PLACEMENT (INCL. CALL BACKS)	100%	
V. % PLACEMENT (EXCL. CALL BACKS)	100%	
AVERAGE PLACEMENT WAGE	\$ 49.49	

The South Bay TET project has been approved to assist 130 dislocated workers that have been laid off due to economic conditions to receive employment and job training services.

## Teen Center Attendance Report -4th Quarter

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### April 1, 2019- April 30, 2019

Inglewood Teen Center	New	Returning	Total
Inglewood	1	111	112
Hawthorne	0	0	0
Lawndale	0	0	0
Gardena	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>112</b>

Hawthorne Teen Center	New	Returning	Total
Inglewood	0	1	1
Hawthorne	0	60	60
Lawndale	0	2	2
Gardena	0	2	2
Torrance	0	1	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>66</b>

### May 1, 2019- May 31, 2019

Inglewood Teen Center	New	Returning	Total
Inglewood	0	100	100
Hawthorne	0	0	0
Lawndale	0	0	0
Gardena	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

Hawthorne Teen Center	New	Returning	Total
Inglewood	0	0	0
Hawthorne	0	84	84
Lawndale	0	3	3
Gardena	0	5	5
Torrance	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>92</b>

### June 1, 2019- June 30, 2019

Inglewood Teen Center	New	Returning	Total
Inglewood	3	67	70
Hawthorne	0	0	0
Lawndale	0	0	0
Gardena	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>70</b>

Hawthorne Teen Center	New	Returning	Total
Inglewood	0	68	68
Hawthorne	1	0	1
Lawndale	0	2	2
Gardena	0	1	1
Torrance	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>72</b>

<b>QUARTER TOTAL VISITS</b>	<b>Quarter 1</b>	<b>Quarter 2</b>	<b>Quarter 3</b>	<b>Quarter 4</b>	<b>Total</b>
Inglewood Teen Center	243	342	348	282	1045
Hawthorne Teen Center	172	206	186	230	630

# DAILY BREEZE

## Local News

### **South Bay students soar high for National Summer Transportation Institute program**



South Bay students fly airplanes as part of their program in the National Summer Transportation Institute after learning about the transportation industry. Program concluded with graduation dinner Monday, July 15, 2019. (Courtesy of National Summer Transportation Institute)

By [Staff report](#) |

PUBLISHED: July 23, 2019 at 11:18 am | UPDATED: July 25, 2019 at 8:59 am

A select group of South Bay middle and high school students took to the skies at the Flabob Airport in Riverside earlier this month during a two-week program with the National Summer Transportation Institute.

The program — put on by Cal State Los Angeles' College of Engineering, Computer Science, and Technology from June 27 to July 15 — offered instructional classes on STEM and the transportation industry to students from the Inglewood Unified and Centinela Valley Union High school districts, in partnership with the South Bay Workforce Investment Board.

The program included a three-day visit to Flabob Airport.

STEM stands for science, technology, engineering and math.



Students learned about the necessary forces for flight, such as wind adjustments, plane components and understanding flight instruments. Demonstrating what they've learned, students joined with an instructor to fly an airplane around the airport's adjacent mountain.

SBWIB's Executive Director, Jan Vogel said, "Their experience doesn't end here, eight of these students will be going to Pensacola, Florida for the National Flight Academy. They were selected among 200 other students in the Country, that's really big!"

The program ended with a graduation dinner July 15 to congratulate students for their efforts and to present them with certificates for completing the program.

*Editor's note: The name of the airport is Flabob Airport. An earlier version of this story incorrectly spelled the airport's name. The story has been updated.*

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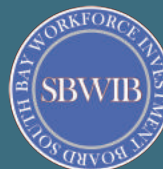
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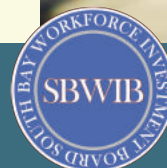
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## SBCCOG PROUDLY ANNOUNCES THE CREATION OF THE SOUTH BAY FIBER NETWORK

For the last three years and with the help of funding from the South Bay Workforce Investment Board and Supervisor Mark Ridley-Thomas' office, the SBCCOG has led an initiative to bring a fiber network to the South Bay that would allow cities to get faster internet access at lower prices. With the technical assistance of Magellan Advisors, a feasibility study was conducted and a request for proposals (RFP) was issued in June 2018.

Four (4) firms responded to the RFP. With the involvement of the city Information Technology Directors, the American Dark Fiber team (ADF) was unanimously selected. They proposed providing a ring passing all of the South Bay City Halls as well as laterals connecting each site to the ring. ADF surveyed 52 sites based on city interest in order to develop a cost for the ring and laterals.

Two costs were identified, including a monthly recurring cost for internet service, and a capital cost to assemble the fiber-optic ring from wholesale providers, close fiber-optic gaps with new construction, and build laterals for cities/agencies.

The SBCCOG did not believe that, as interested as the cities were in this project, they would have the funding to cover the capital cost. Since a fiber network will be required for real-time traffic

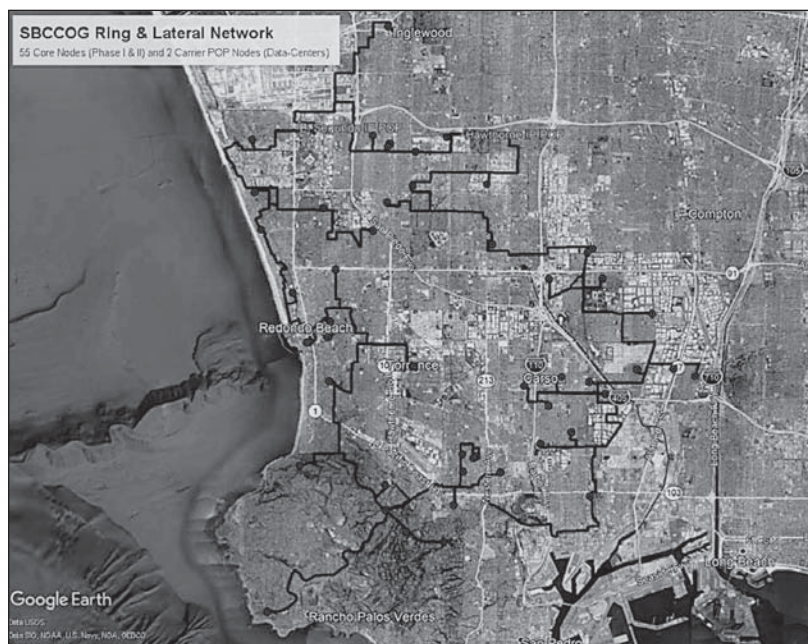
management, a range of road sensors, connected vehicles and many other important transportation applications, SBCCOG applied to Metro for Measure M Sub-regional funds to cover all of the capital costs for agencies participating in the initial "Phase 1" part of the project. SBCCOG has been allocated approximately \$250 million in Measure M Sub-regional funds for the next 5 years and after the cities made their requests for projects, there was still approximately \$125 million available

for the network. The SBCCOG request for the capital construction of the fiber network was for \$4.4 million, which included additional funding for legal services and program management. After several months of negotiating with Metro, SBCCOG's request was approved at the April Metro Board meeting. Additionally, Metro has asked that our fiber ring network be connected to the regional traffic network so that agencies on the ring will be able to have real-time traffic data as soon as the project is implemented – an additional bonus!

The monthly cost for the SBCCOG network is the same or lower than cities are currently paying for less service. A minimum of 1 gigabit of service will cost \$1000/month but this price will go down if more than 55 sites participate. Service is also available for 2, 5 and 10 gigabits. A minimum of 35 sites are required for the project to move forward.

SBCCOG is now confirming the final sites and addresses with each city and several outside agencies – the South Bay Workforce Investment Board, Beach Cities Health District, LA BioMed, West Basin Municipal Water District, LA Metro and the County Department of Public Works.

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# Food for Thought

## THE IMPACTS OF BLOCKCHAIN ON THE SOUTH BAY ECONOMY

By Chris Cagle – Regional Affairs Manager, South Bay Workforce Investment Board

**M**ost people have heard of Bitcoin and maybe even own some cryptocurrency themselves. Few, however, know much about the underlying technology called Blockchain.

Not only is Blockchain the underlying technology behind cryptocurrencies, it also provides solutions for many other applications that are having global impacts. Blockchain is basically software that keeps track of things. Keeping track of information is a primary function of business and because Blockchain can accomplish this in a way that can be transparent, immutable and secure, the technology offers many powerful solutions for business and society.

Recently the South Bay Workforce Investment Board (SBWIB) with Cal State University - Dominguez Hills, did a study of Blockchain and potential impacts on the South Bay Economy. The report outlined many uses of the technology and highlighted several areas that governments could potentially use it, from managing voting records, to accepting tax payments with cryptocurrencies, to emergency management. Blockchain technology has the potential to reduce the cost and increase the accuracy, speed, and safety of recordkeeping at all levels of government, while providing transparency to the public. South Bay governments have the opportunity to be early adopters of this technology and hence benefit, while other regions lag behind.

Some interesting use cases are emerging now that may offer additional advantages to the South Bay region and are worth considering. In Europe for example at Jaguar Land Rover, they are working on a solution that would offer crypto tokens as rewards to drivers who participate in a transportation traffic calming program. Drivers earn cryptocurrency tokens while they drive. Cars are outfitted with a device that monitors their driving habits, it also detects road hazards and provides information about traffic jams, potholes and other details. The data is transmitted to a location where it can be analyzed to provide statistics for transportation planning or used in real time to synchronize signals to improve traffic flow. Drivers earn rewards for participation in the form of crypto tokens that can be redeemed to pay for various things such as toll road expenses, parking fees, car pool lane costs or possibly a train ticket or a bus pass or even to pay for charging fees for their electric vehicle.

It is usually a challenge to get the public at large to cooperate with new traffic calming initiatives and various other things such as telecommuting and ride sharing, but a system providing incentives to participate may produce positive results. Earning tokens and paying for tolls happens automatically and consumers can track their reward earnings and debits with an app on their phone. Using Blockchain to create a crypto token to transfer value in the form of a reward may be one of the more interesting and practical uses of the technology that could be used by local governments and regional agencies.

A system like the above is possible because Blockchain and token technology allow transfers in small micro payments at little to no cost. Cryptocurrencies make this possible. The system above also ties into the idea of Smart Cities and includes the vehicle itself playing a role in the gathering of traffic data. The South Bay Fiber Network (SBFN) project the SBCCOG is developing could provide the infrastructure the system would run on. SBFN aims to ensure the South Bay region has the Broadband infrastructure needed to stay globally competitive and to facilitate Smart-City services.

To ensure the South Bay region remains at the forefront of innovation, it is important that we understand the dynamics of Blockchain and prepare for the future happening now.

To view the SBWIB Blockchain report and find links to information referenced above please visit [www.sbwib.org/blockchain](http://www.sbwib.org/blockchain)

## CALENDAR

All meetings are open to the public

### August

- 6 GIS Working Group
- 12 Transportation Committee Steering Committee
- 14 Infrastructure Working Group
- 22 **Board of Directors\***

### September

- 3 GIS Working Group
- 4 Homeless Services Task Force
- 9 Transportation Committee Steering Committee
- 11 Infrastructure Working Group
- 24 Seniors Services Working Group
- 26 **Board of Directors\***  
Energy Management Working Group

### October

- 1 GIS Working Group
- 9 Infrastructure Working Group
- 10 Legislative Briefing
- 14 Transportation Committee Steering Committee
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## West L.A. College Part of \$12 Million Grant for Apprentice Program

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West Los Angeles College in Culver City and the South Bay Workforce Investment Board in Hawthorne have received a \$12 million grant from the U.S. Department of Labor for a program to prepare and place nearly 1,500 workers into apprenticeship roles in advanced manufacturing with a focus on the Aerospace and Bioscience industries, it was announced Monday.

The grant was the only one awarded to a California applicant, and is part of a national effort under the Growing Advanced Manufacturing Apprentices Across America program, which aims to place a total of about 5,000 workers into apprenticeship roles.

"This very significant grant award reflects the effectiveness of the apprenticeship programs we have collectively created here in the greater South Bay area," SBWIB Executive Director Jan Vogel said. "Our Aero-Flex and Bio-Flex pre-apprentice and apprenticeship models are now being looked at and implemented nationally."

Included among the local collaborative partners are El Camino College, College of the Canyons, Los Angeles Workforce Development Board, Los Angeles Economic Development Corporation, Project Lead the Way, Training Funding Partners, Goodwill of Southern California and the Aero-Flex Unilateral Apprenticeship Committee.

Companies and participants interested in this opportunity were asked to contact Deborah Shepard at 310-970-7700 for more information on how to participate.

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**South Bay Workforce Investment Board Hosts the 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Blueprint for Success Job Fair in Partnership with the City of Carson for the South Bay Region**

**HAWTHORNE** – The 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Blueprint for Workplace Success Youth & Young Adults Job Fair drew hundreds of students from high schools, colleges, charter schools and adult schools throughout the South Bay. The job fair was hosted by the City of Carson, presented by the South Bay Workforce Investment Board (SBWIB) and took place at the Congresswoman Juanita Millender McDonald Community Center in Carson on May 02, 2019.

Students gathered for Carson Mayor Albert Robles' welcoming speech as he shared stories of distinguished authors who've never given up, he stated "you too, whether it's your first time or third time, don't give up" and he added "don't get discouraged, remember to be respectful and confident." The mayor wished everyone good luck in their job search.

The job fair brought in many dignitaries including Carson Councilmember Jim Dear and Centinela Valley Union High School District Superintendent Gregory O'Brien. Amongst the attendees were 84 employers from private and public sectors who interviewed students; 148 students were hired on-the-spot and 211 were invited back for second interviews. It is expected many more will be hired and called in for interviews in the coming days.

"This remarkable event attracts students, and job seekers every year looking to get started on their career and to gain valuable work experience, that is why we continue it," stated Jan Vogel, SBWIB Executive Director.

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## 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Blueprint for Success Job Fair



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May 31, 2019

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**South Bay Workforce Investment Board Receives Veterans Grant**

**HAWTHORNE** – The South Bay Workforce Investment Board (SBWIB) was awarded nearly \$500,000 to assist unemployed and underemployed veterans find rewarding civilian jobs through employment assistance programs. Funding was awarded through the Veterans’ Employment-Related Assistance Program (VEAP) offered by the State of California Employment Development Department (EDD) under the Workforce Innovation Opportunity Act (WIOA).

“The grant will be utilized for vocational programming for at least 100 veterans, mostly in the fields of advanced manufacturing and construction,” said Executive Director, Jan Vogel. For veteran job seekers that may not fit within the manufacturing and construction sector, the SBWIB will assist them to find jobs in other industries.

Training will include pre-employment and job-readiness workshops, on-the-job training, paid work experience and industry recognized, certified vocational training leading to credentials, certificates and direct job placement. Outreach and recruitment will be supported by existing, proven partnerships with local area employers, military installations and community partners. Training will be provided by local training agencies, community colleges, and employers.

The SBWIB previously served 115 veterans with a prior grant from the state and has been certified by the Department of Labor for its aerospace engineering apprenticeship program. This new South Bay VEAP program fits perfectly to open the doors and serve as many veterans to succeed in the fields of advanced manufacturing and construction.

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**South Bay Workforce Investment Board Honors 40 Cadet Graduates  
During 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Fit For Gold Tutoring & Fitness Academy Award Ceremony**

**HAWTHORNE** – Forty high school students were honored May 30<sup>th</sup> during the 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Fit For Gold Tutoring & Fitness Academy Graduation Ceremony held at Rogers Park in Inglewood. The program is presented by the South Bay Workforce Investment Board (SBWIB).

Family members, training partners, educators and local elected officials attended the ceremony including: Inglewood Mayor James T. Butts Jr and Councilman Alex Padilla; Gardena Mayor Tasha Cerda and Councilman Dan Medina; Hawthorne Councilmembers Olivia Valentine and Alex Monteiro; Lawndale Mayor Robert Pullen Miles and Councilman Pat Kearney. Dr. Nicole Robertson represented Congresswoman Maxine Waters. Centinela Valley Union High School District Superintendent Dr. Greg O'Brien also participated in the awards presentations, as well as Linal Harada who represented the El Segundo School District, and Dr. Michael Romero from the Los Angeles Unified School District.

SBWIB Executive Director Jan Vogel opened the ceremony and thanked the training and business partners who annually provide financial support and tutoring. "The effectiveness of this program is shown in the fact that of the 98 percent of the students who complete the program, 90 percent of them go onto post - secondary education," he said.

Mayor Butts joined with Mr. Vogel in presenting two \$500 scholarships provided by West Basin Water District and the SBWIB to Cadets Ledeya Tesfaye, from the Hawthorne Math and Science Academy, and Jayla Williams of Inglewood.

The Fit For Gold Tutoring & Fitness Academy is an after-school program that trains high school seniors to provide homework assistance, nutrition information and physical fitness activities to students, grades 3 - 8, while participating in 36 hours of enrichment and mentoring training and college – readiness activities.

Fit For Gold was established in 2003 as an intervention program to help raise declining student test scores and reduce the rate of cardio vascular disease among elementary and high school age students living in the SBWIB's service area that includes the cities of Carson, Gardena, El Segundo, Hawthorne, Hermosa Beach, Inglewood, Lawndale, Lomita, Manhattan Beach, Redondo Beach and Torrance.



SBWIB Fit For Gold Photo Caption



Fit For Gold Cadets were honored by educators and civic leaders May 30th during graduation ceremony conducted by the South Bay Workforce Investment Board at Rogers Park in Inglewood.

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## **PRESS RELEASE**

June 25, 2019

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### **Fourteen Local Youth Gain Their High School Diplomas Through South Bay Workforce Investment Board's Second Chance YouthBuild Program**

**HAWTHORNE** – The first class of students to graduate from the South Bay Workforce Investment Board (SBWIB) YouthBuild Program were honored during their commencement ceremony June 21st at the Centinela Valley Center for the Arts on the campus of Lawndale High School. The YouthBuild Program enables those who did not finish high school, ages 16-24, to have a second chance to earn their diploma or G.E.D. and gain occupational skills training in construction as well as leadership development.

Family members and friends of the graduates attended the ceremony along with YouthBuild faculty members and representatives from partnering organizations including AmeriCorps, YouthBuild Charter School of California and California STEAM.

"We are extremely proud of these young adults who set aside their fears and overcame some very tough obstacles to complete this program," said SBWIB Jan Vogel. "Many of them have already set their sights even higher and enrolled in local community colleges and trade schools this Fall."

The SBWIB had been a partner with the program's founding organization, Century Center for Economic Opportunity (CCEO) based in Lennox, for more than 30 years before merging it into the Youth Services offerings of the SBWIB in the Fall of 2018. CCEO established one of the first YouthBuild Programs in the country, which was the result of a YouthBuild Grant made possible by the U.S. Department of Labor.

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### YouthBuild Photo Caption



Some of the graduates of the South Bay Workforce Investment Board YouthBuild Program wait for commencement ceremony to begin June 21st at the Centinela Valley Center for the Arts at Lawndale High School.

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July 15, 2019

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**South Bay Teen Centers Youth Participate in “A Day in the Life of a College Student” Tour and Overnight Stay at California State University, Dominguez Hills**

**HAWTHORNE, CA** – Sixteen South Bay Area seventh to ninth graders participated in the 6th Annual “A Day in the Life of a College Student” field trip at California State University, Dominguez Hills (CSUDH). Students got a tour of the campus, attended workshops and experienced an overnight stay at the dorms from July 9th to July 10th, 2019. This ongoing event is part of the South Bay Promise, made possible through the partnerships of the Hawthorne and Inglewood Teen Centers, the South Bay Workforce Investment Board (SBWIB) and CSUDH.

The event started at the Hawthorne Teen Center as students gathered, received mock college packets with acceptance letters and participated in activities to get to know one another. Some activities included questionnaires for college housing and a game of power rock paper scissors where students were taught the importance of cheering for others despite challenges in life. This year, participating students were from three South Bay area school districts (Hawthorne School District, Torrance Unified School District and Inglewood Unified School District).

Participating student, Kayla, expressed her expectations, “I’ve been to a few campuses, but none like this and I haven’t spent the night. I’m looking forward to learning more about what college is like and asking different questions,” she stated.

The South Bay Promise, aims to help area students with college preparation. Developed by leaders from California State University, Dominguez Hills (CSUDH), El Camino College (ECC), Inglewood Unified School District (IUSD), Centinela Valley Union High School District (CVUHSD) and the SBWIB, the South Bay Promise is now open to students from all school districts. This program enables students to have access to higher education and services such as tutoring, counseling and other support programs they need to be successful and transfer or graduate and enter the workforce. “More students are learning and experiencing the college path by getting the opportunity to visit campuses, we want to continue showing them the opportunities and support they have from their communities,” stated SBWIB’s Executive Director, Jan Vogel.

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**Photo caption:** South Bay Area students participate in 6<sup>th</sup> Annual “A Day in the Life of a College Student” at California State University, Dominguez Hills with an overnight stay from July 9<sup>th</sup> to July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019.





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**U.S. Department of Labor Awards \$12 Million Grant to West LA College/  
South Bay Workforce Investment Board (SBWIB) Led Collaborative to Prepare  
Apprentices for Advanced Manufacturing & Bioscience Careers**

**HAWTHORNE** – The U.S. Department of Labor (DOL) has awarded a \$12 million grant to a West Los Angeles College/SBWIB collaborative that will be part of a national effort under its Growing Advanced Manufacturing Apprentices Across America (GAMAAA) program to prepare and place 5,000 workers into pre-apprenticeship and apprenticeship roles in advanced manufacturing with a focus on the Aerospace and Bioscience industries over the next four years. The grant was the only one awarded to a California applicant and will support training of new hires and incumbent workers.

While the local program will focus on placing nearly 1,500 apprentices and pre-apprentices around the Southland, the collaborative will be participating nationally in Employment & Training apprenticeship conferences to strengthen working relationships between local and national professional trade associations, educators, employers and elected officials that can help determine emerging skill sets and employer needs.

The SBWIB will be directly responsible for generating an awareness of the GAMAAA objectives locally as well as with workforce and employment development organizations in other parts of the nation such as South Carolina and Florida, where partnerships are being formed.

“This very significant grant award reflects the effectiveness of the apprenticeship programs we have collectively created here in the greater South Bay area,” said SBWIB Executive Director Jan Vogel. “Our Aero-Flex and Bio-Flex pre-apprentice and apprenticeship models are now being looked at and implemented nationally.”

Included among the local collaborative partners are El Camino College, College of the Canyons, Los Angeles Workforce Development Board, Los Angeles Economic Development Corporation, Project Lead the Way, Training Funding Partners, Goodwill of Southern California and the Aero-Flex Unilateral Apprenticeship Committee.

Companies and participants interested in this opportunity may contact Deborah Shepard at (310) 970-7700 for more information and details on how to participate.

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### **South Bay Workforce Investment Board Implements Bio-Flex Apprenticeship Initiative for the Bioscience Industry**

**HAWTHORNE** - The South Bay Workforce Investment Board (SBWIB) has implemented the Bio-Flex Initiative, a new innovative project to develop pre-apprenticeship and registered apprenticeship career pathways for the Bioscience industry and job seekers looking for careers in Bioscience. Bio-Flex is a cooperative partnership between SBWIB, the County of Los Angeles, educational institutions, associations and many Bioscience employers.

Supervisor Mark Ridley Thomas, who has led the effort to create BioLA (Bioscience Los Angeles County) and signal that the County is committed to becoming a global leader in Bioscience, provided the SBWIB with \$200,000 in grants to develop apprenticeships and implement the program. The Los Angeles County Workforce Development, Aging and Community Services Department provided an additional \$150,000 for apprentice training. And, more recently the California Workforce Development Board and Economic Development Department awarded the SBWIB a \$150,000 from the Workforce Accelerator Fund to attract participants into the new Bio-Flex apprenticeship program and to develop additional apprenticeship occupations.

"We are very excited to partner with the supervisor in his effort to make L.A. County a significant hub for Bioscience. We are prepared to do our part in preparing the local workforce to take advantage of these exciting employment opportunities," said Jan Vogel, SBWIB Executive Director.

The SBWIB will develop an employer driven apprenticeship model that will meet the workforce development needs common to Bioscience industry partners, while providing a framework to allow each employer to design and "flex" their own program. Employers will be able to tailor the curriculum to meet their individual training needs around a specific occupation or department.

Bio-Flex is modeled after the SBWIB's successful Aero-Flex Initiative, which brought together various industry partners in advanced manufacturing to provide career development and apprenticeship opportunities in the aerospace industry.

Apprenticeship is a proven way to connect employers to a diverse future workforce. This collaboration with employers and other stakeholders aims to create a flexible yet structured career pathway for high school and college level students, veterans, underserved populations, new hires, and incumbent workers who might otherwise have challenges accessing opportunities within this industry. Bio-Flex will support a regional network of partners that will ensure employment opportunities in Bioscience are widely available to all.

The local Bioscience industry currently generates more than \$40 billion in economic activity annually and supports 70,000 direct jobs and 160,000 indirect jobs, but has the potential to create even more, at all skill levels. Resilient against economic downturns, Bioscience was the only industry sector that continued to grow during the Great Recession.



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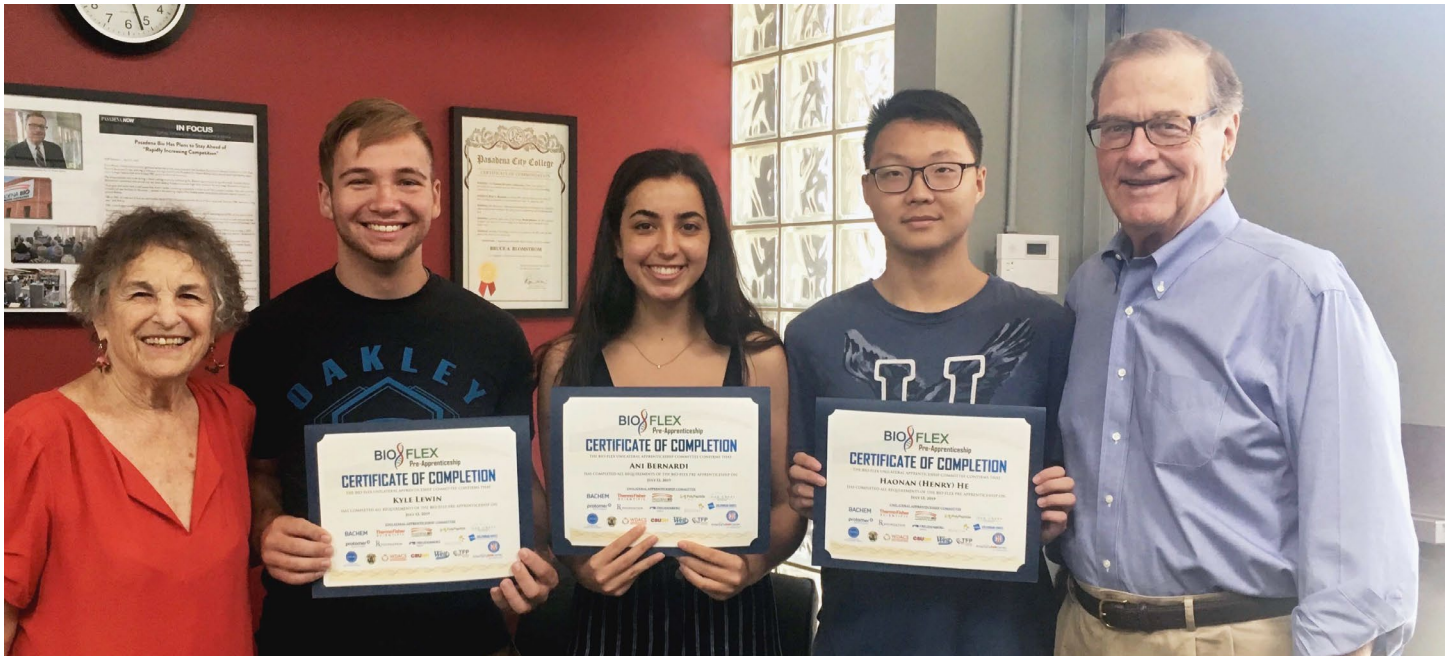
A number of Southland Bioscience employers are involved in Bio-Flex including Bachem, Polypeptide, Protomer Technologies, Sakura, Pasadena Bio, Thermo Fisher Scientific, Takeda, Oak Crest Institute of Science, and Freudenberg Medical, to name a few. Other partners include BioCom, Los Angeles Economic Development Corporation, Training Funding Partners, Rx Foundation, West LA College and Cal State University Dominguez Hills.

The vision for Bio-Flex is to deliver an effective and proven employer-directed career development tool, which can be used to attract new talent to the Bioscience industry. The program will provide an important resource to employers and increase job seekers' access to well-paid careers within this exciting industry.

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**Photo caption:** Recent Bio-Flex Pre-Apprentices pose for photo after receiving their certificates. Pictured from left to right; Dr. Wendie Johnston, Lab Director, Pasadena Bio Collaborative incubator, Kyle Lewin, Ani Bernardi, Haonan (Henry) He and Robert C. Bishop, Ph.D., President, Pasadena Bio Collaborative incubator.



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**Twenty-three Hawthorne High School Manufacturing & Engineering Students Graduate from South Bay Workforce Investment Board's Aero-Flex Pre-Apprenticeship Program**

**HAWTHORNE, CA** – Twenty-three students from Hawthorne High School Manufacturing & Engineering graduated from the South Bay Workforce Investment Board's (SBWIB) Aero-Flex Pre-Apprenticeship program on Friday, July 26, 2019. Students and parents/guardians were celebrated during graduation held at the SBWIB offices in Hawthorne.

Present to congratulate the pre-apprentices were; Dr. Gregory O'Brien, Centinela Valley Union High School District (CVUHSD) Superintendent; Mrs. Mejia, Associate Principal, Hawthorne H.S.; Dr. Pamela Brown, Principal, Hawthorne H.S.; Mr. Lucas Pacheco, Hawthorne H.S. Manufacturing & Engineering Coordinator; Hatha Parrish, Director of Federal and State Programs, CVUHSD and Kacie Yoshida, Career Technical Education Pathway Specialist, Hawthorne H.S. Dr. O'Brien commended the students for finishing the program during their summer. "Take pride in what you are doing and be grateful for the SBWIB and all those individuals that took their time to recruit you for this experience," Dr. O'Brien expressed. "Always be grateful to those individuals because they have helped to provide you with opportunities for your future careers and lives," he added.

As part of the three track Aero-Flex Pre-Apprenticeship program requirements, students successfully completed and earned certificates for Track I - work readiness training called, "Blueprint for Workplace Success", Track II - SME ToolingU occupational skills training and Track III - work experience training. "We are proud of the dedication of these students; 23 enrolled and all of them completed the requirements," stated SBWIB Executive Director, Jan Vogel. Students also received a \$500 stipend at graduation for their successful work.

The Aero-Flex program is an employer directed earn and learn model for engineering, allowing each individual employer to design and "flex" the program's curriculum. Program participants gain career knowledge in manufacturing, obtain valuable training and work experience, gain industry association membership and more.

The SBWIB operates four One Stop Business & Career Centers within the South Bay service area plus two Teen Centers in Inglewood and Hawthorne, and provides adult, youth and business services. Companies and students interested in being a part of the program or for more information on the Aero-Flex Pre-Apprenticeship, please contact Deborah Shepard at [dshepard@sbwib.org](mailto:dshepard@sbwib.org) or call (310) 970-7700.

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**Photo caption:** Hawthorne High School Manufacturing & Engineering students graduate from South Bay Workforce Investment Board Aero-Flex Pre-Apprenticeship program on July 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at the SBWIB.







## **PRESS RELEASE**

July 22, 2019

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### **South Bay Students Graduate Take Flight Through Summer Transportation Program**

**HAWTHORNE, CA** – Selected South Bay middle and high school students from the Inglewood Unified School District (IUSD) and Centinela Valley Union High School District (CVUHSD), partook in a 2-week program with the National Summer Transportation Institute (NSTI), offered by the College of Engineering, Computer Science, and Technology at Cal State LA from June 27th through July 15<sup>th</sup>. Students visited Flabob Airport in Riverside, CA on Saturday, July 13, 2019, where they each got to fly an airplane with an instructor for 20-30 minutes. The program concluded with a graduation dinner on Monday, July 15, 2019.

The NSTI program offered classroom instruction related to S.T.E.M. and the transportation industry, including three days at Flabob Airport. During their time at the airport, students learned about the forces needed for planes to fly, the adjustment to winds, different airplane parts, and how to read the different instruments meters in order to fly. Students practiced what they learned by flying an airplane with an instructor over and around a mountain adjacent to the airport.

To end the program, students were congratulated with certificates during a graduation dinner. Present were NSTI director, Dr. Hashemian, students and teachers. Participating student Ruth Hamilton from City Honors College Preparatory Academy spoke about her experience during the ceremony.

SBWIB's Executive Director, Jan Vogel said, "Their experience doesn't end here, eight of these students will be going to Pensacola, Florida for the National Flight Academy. They were selected among 200 other students in the Country, that's really big!"

The NSTI program is provided at no cost to students and is a transportation-focused, career awareness initiative designed to introduce disadvantaged secondary school students to all modes of transportation-related careers. The program provides academic enhancement activities and encourages students to pursue transportation-related courses of study at the college/university level.

The National Flight Academy is the world's largest virtual aircraft carrier and the nations #1 themed learning adventure that allows students to experience the sound, smell and feel of a real aircraft carrier. Students live for 6 days in a multi-story facility experiencing theme-park style thrills surrounded by advanced technology, flight simulators, and virtual reality games that ignite imagination and encourage learning.

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**Photo caption:** South Bay students fly airplanes as part of their program in the National Summer Transportation Institute after learning about the transportation industry. Program concluded with graduation dinner Monday, July 15, 2019.

