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Workforce Training Grants Available

Training funds are available for businesses located in Klamath and Lake Counties to train their current workforce. The purpose of these funds is to support the retention and growth of living wage jobs, a skilled workforce and competitive businesses. Awarded funding will focus primarily on training proposals that will create jobs or increase productivity in the traded sector.

Private, for profit businesses, business consortia and industry associations residing within Klamath or Lake counties for at least 120 days, with 75% of their goods or services sold outside the region (traded sector) or supplier businesses serving targeted industries are eligible to apply. Other special job creating or wage enhancing projects of regional significance may also be considered.

Companies that receive grants must provide matching funds or in-kind contributions to the project that equal or exceed the amount of the grant. Grants will be awarded to applicants who meet the criteria until funds are depleted. Proposals are due to COIC by January 17, 2008. To request an application packet contact Andrew Spreadborough at (541) 504-3306 or: aspreadborough@coic.org

The Region 11 Workforce Response Team is an Equal Opportunity Program. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request.

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