



**MEMORANDUM
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
HUMAN SERVICES DIVISION
County of Placer**

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors **DATE:** April 19, 2022
FROM: Robert Oldham, Director of Health and Human Services
BY: Joey Wojtowicz, Staff Services Analyst II
SUBJECT: Golden Sierra Job Training Agency Memorandum of Understanding

ACTION REQUESTED

Approve a cost sharing Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Golden Sierra Job Training Agency for the Work Innovation and Opportunity Act for the period of July 1, 2022 to June 30, 2025, and authorize the Director of Health and Human Services to execute the agreement with Risk Management and County Counsel concurrence and to sign subsequent amendments consistent with the agreement's subject matter and scope of work with Risk Management and County Counsel concurrence.

BACKGROUND

The State of California Employment Development Department established the America's Job Center of California (AJCC) system as the mechanism for delivering Work Innovation and Opportunity Act services within local areas including the Golden Sierra Local Workforce Development Area (GSLWDA). The State's Workforce Development Strategic Plan provided for a locally-driven one stop system to develop partnerships that provide programs and services to achieve the State Plan objectives. The GSLWDA (encompassing Placer, El Dorado, Alpine Counties and the incorporated cities within these boundaries) adopted a Local Plan and entered into a MOU with multiple One Stop Partner entities that operate programs and activities to achieve local area policy objectives:

- Meet the workforce needs of high demand sectors of the state and regional economies;
- Increase the number of Californians who obtain a marketable and industry-recognized credential or degree, with a special emphasis on unemployed, underemployed, low-skill, low income, veterans, disabled individuals and other at-risk populations;
- Support system alignment, service integration and continuous improvement using data to support "evidence-based" policy making.

This MOU implements a three-year cost/resource sharing plan to pay a proportionate share of infrastructure costs. The cost share amount to Placer County for FYs 2022-2023 is \$161,772. The cost share is negotiated each MOU period. Placer County's in-kind contribution for labor exchange and job search assistance is provided by the Business Advantage Network (BAN) unit. BAN services include: Rapid Response, business outreach, Chamber of Commerce membership and participation, providing daily job leads through e-mail, participating

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with the Employer Advisory Council, coordinating and hosting Job Connections events, and participation in the Tri-County Job Fairs.

FISCAL IMPACT

This MOU is fully funded with Federal Funds and no County General Funds are required, however there is a cost sharing obligation of \$161,772 for FY 2022-23. These services are funded in the Department's FY 2022-2023 Budget and will be included in Future Budgets.

ATTACHMENTS

None

This Memorandum of Understanding is on file with the Clerk of the Board for review.