



**Training Proposal for:
Whittier Chamber of Commerce
MEC Entrepreneurial: ET10-0112**

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ETP Regional Office: **North Hollywood**

Analyst: L. Vuong

CONTRACTOR:

- MEC Eligibility: Chamber Of Commerce
- Type of Industry: Various

CONTRACT:

- Program Costs: \$46,464
- Multiple Employer Support: \$3,168
- Total ETP Funding: \$49,632
- In-Kind Contribution: N/A
- County(ies) Served: Los Angeles
- Average Cost Per Trainee: \$564
- Number to be Trained: 88
- Training Menu: Business Skills, Computer Skills
- Range of Hours: 8 to 60 Weighted Average: 24
- Multiple Job Numbers: Yes No
- Subcontractor: Professional Career Education in Los Angeles will provide training in Business Skills and Computer Skills for an amount to be determined.
- Third Party Services: Professional Career Education also provided Contract Development at no charge and Administrative Services for an amount not to exceed 13% of payment earned.

INTRODUCTION

Whittier Chamber of Commerce (WCC) is eligible to provide training as a group of employers for ETP funding as outlined under Title 22, California Code of Regulations (CCR), Section 4400(j)(3). Small business owners will be trained using Special Employment Training funds, Title 22, CCR, Section 4409(c).

WCC has been serving the business community of greater Whittier since 1914. WCC is a member organization with a mission to promote and develop the economic, cultural, and civic welfare of Whittier. It employs four paid full-time workers and provides business networking events, business development, educational opportunities, marketing assistance, and legislative advocacy to its members. The chamber currently offers seminars and workshops in health care, banking crises, and web site design.

According to the Chamber's representative, WCC has nearly 700 members with 85% made up of small businesses. The proposed training program will enhance the competitive position of small business owners and will provide necessary computer and business skills to help the owners successfully manage and grow their businesses to a higher level of financial success.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends approval of this proposal by the Executive Director in consultation with the Panel Chair (Delegation Order 2009-1).

<p>Comments may be submitted by email at delegationorder@etp.ca.gov. You must identify the ET10 Number for this proposal in the subject line of your email. The deadline for submitting comments on this proposal is August 19, 2009.</p>
