

County Council of Cuyahoga County, Ohio

Resolution No. R2012-0027

Sponsored by: County Executive FitzGerald/Department of Workforce Development, in partnership with City of Cleveland, as designated Local Workforce Investment Area No. 3 and Councilmember Conwell	A Resolution establishing a list of certified providers for occupational skills training services for the Individual Training Account System for the period 11/1/2011 - 6/30/2014; authorizing the County Executive to enter into agreements with said providers for said training services; and declaring the necessity that this Resolution become immediately effective.
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WHEREAS, the County Executive FitzGerald/Department of Workforce Development, in partnership with the City of Cleveland, as designated Local Workforce Investment Area No. 3, is recommending to establish a list of certified providers for occupational skills training services for the Individual Training Account System for the period 11/1/2011 - 6/30/2014 as follows:

- (a) Kaplan Career Institute
- (b) Lincoln College of Technology
- (c) National College
- (d) Phoenix Healthcare Institute, LLC; and

WHEREAS, occupational skills training provided by the certified training providers give job seekers options to choose the best training that meet their needs and upgrade their skills so they can find unsubsidized employment in the occupational area they are trained in at self sufficient wages; and

WHEREAS, this project is mandated by the Federal Workforce Investment Act (FWA) Sections 663.400 and 663.500 of the Federal Register dated 8/11/2000; and

WHEREAS, all Council Districts are served by the vendors identified and the owners and executive directors for the vendors are as follows:

- (a) Kaplan Career Institute – James Royster, Executive Director
- (b) Lincoln College of Technology – Anthony Hibbs, Executive Director
- (c) National College – Mark Rice, Director
- (d) Phoenix Healthcare Institute, LLC – Andrew Barnes, Chief Executive Officer; and

WHEREAS, the service agreements have been approved by the Cleveland/ Cuyahoga County Workforce Investment Board and the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, as required under the Workforce Investment Act (WIA), after the training programs have been evaluated by the Employment Connection for effectiveness and costs; and

WHEREAS, this project is funded 100% by the Federal Workforce Investment Act and the schedule of payments is by invoice; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective because the project's term has already begun. The reason for the delay in this request was due to negotiations with the various entities regarding the performance payment points and the various colleges needed time for their legal departments to review the documents.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO:

SECTION 1. The County Council hereby establishes the following list of certified providers for occupational skills training services for the Individual Training Account System for the period 11/1/2011 - 6/30/2014:

- (a) Kaplan Career Institute
- (b) Lincoln College of Technology
- (c) National College
- (d) Phoenix Healthcare Institute, LLC.

SECTION 2. The County Executive is hereby authorized to enter into agreements with the various providers for occupational skills training services for the Individual Training Account System for the period 11/1/2011 - 6/30/2014.

SECTION 3. That the County Executive is authorized to execute all documents required in connection with said agreements.

SECTION 4. It is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective because the project's term has already begun. Provided that this Resolution receives the affirmative vote of eight members Council, this Resolution shall become immediately effective up the signature of the County Executive.

SECTION 5. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of the Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

On a motion by Mr. Schron, seconded by Ms. Conwell, the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted.

Yeas: Schron, Conwell, Jones, Rogers, Simon, Greenspan, Miller, Brady, Germana, Gallagher and Connally

Nays: None


County Council President

2-28-12
Date


County Executive

2/29/12
Date


Clerk of Council

2/28/2012
Date

First Reading/Referred to Committee: February 14, 2012

Committee(s) Assigned: Economic Development & Planning

Additional Sponsorship Requested on the Floor: February 28, 2012

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