



State of California
Employment Training Panel

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**Employment Training Panel Approves Over \$17 Million
To Train Over 18,000 Workers**
Amy's Kitchen, Inc., to receive \$515,000 to train nearly 1,000 Workers

SACRAMENTO – The State of California's Employment Training Panel today awarded 62 contracts worth more than \$17,000,000 million to train 18,187 workers. The panel awarded \$514,080 in training funds to Amy's Kitchen, Inc. to help train 982 workers in the manufacturing services industry.

"The Employment Training Panel is pleased to support first-time contractors like Amy's Kitchen in offering job training to workers that help companies grow," said Stewart Knox, the Employment Training Panel's executive director.

Amy's Kitchen is a family-owned, privately held manufacturer of organic foods. The company will be expanding its business in 2018 and opening a new drive-thru restaurant in Northern California.

"Training has always been an integral part of our continuous improvement culture at Amy's Kitchen," said Eli Hamlin, director of manufacturing at Amy's Kitchen, Inc. "We are excited to partner with the Employment Training Panel to continue supporting this important part of our business into the future."

The funds received today will allow the company's employees to receive training in a comprehensive Food Safety Training Program to ensure safe and proper food handling for consumers. Employees will receive training on the food safety and manufacturing skills required for their position, and some workers will participate in leadership training programs. Additionally, Amy's is transitioning to a new enterprise resource planning system which will require substantial employee training.

The Employment Training Panel is the state's premier program supporting job creation and retention through training. The panel reimburses employers for the costs of training existing workers, funds training for unemployed workers to re-enter the workforce and helps to ensure California businesses have the skilled workers they need to remain competitive.

For more information about the program, please visit www.etp.ca.gov, or call 916-327-5276.

PROJECTS APPROVED
June 23, 2017

REVIEW AND ACTION ON PROPOSALS

<u>Contractor</u>	<u>City/County</u>	<u>Contract Amt</u>
<u>North Hollywood Regional Office</u>		
<u>Apprentice & Journeymen Training Trust Fund of the Southern California Plumbing & Piping Industry</u>	Imperial, Inyo, Kern, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara & Ventura	\$949,221
<u>Armstrong Garden Centers Inc.</u> (Amendment)	Alameda, Los Angeles, Marin, Orange, Riverside, San Diego & Ventura	\$19,440
<u>Bakersfield Pipe and Supply, Inc.</u>	Fresno, Imperial, Kern, Los Angeles, San Joaquin, Shasta & Ventura	\$166,140
<u>Bernard Bros Inc</u>	Fresno, Los Angeles, Orange, San Bernardino & San Luis Obispo	\$127,224
<u>Chaffey Community College District</u>	Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino & San Diego	\$949,434
<u>Cornerstone OnDemand, Inc.</u>	Los Angeles	\$384,596
<u>Decore-Ative Specialties, Inc.</u>	Los Angeles & Sacramento	\$309,300
<u>Grandcare Health Services LLC</u>	Los Angeles & San Diego	\$228,836
<u>Kinecta Federal Credit Union</u>	Los Angeles	\$219,240
<u>LZB Manufacturing Inc. DBA La-Z-Boy</u>	San Bernardino	\$109,548
<u>Performance Foodservice – Southern California, a Division of Performance Food Group, Inc.</u> (Amendment)	Los Angeles	\$117,060
<u>Procore Technologies, Inc.</u>	San Diego, San Francisco & Santa Barbara	\$899,728
<u>Riviera, Inc. DBA The Enterprise U</u>	Statewide	\$849,000
<u>Shaw Diversified Services, Inc.</u>	Los Angeles	\$188,190
<u>Smart & Final Stores, Inc.</u>	Los Angeles & Riverside	\$380,160
<u>Southern California Sheet Metal Joint</u>	Inyo, Kern, Los Angeles,	\$949,690

<u>Apprenticeship and Training Committee</u>	Mono, Orange, Riverside & San Bernardino	
<u>The SYGMA Network, Inc.</u> (Amendment)	Los Angeles	\$36,720
<u>Ultra Pro International LLC</u>	Los Angeles	\$123,600
<u>Virgin Galactic, LLC</u> (Amendment)	Kern & Los Angeles	\$99,050
<u>San Diego Regional Office</u>		
<u>Goforth & Marti DBA GM Business Interiors</u>	Riverside & San Diego	\$324,000
<u>San Francisco Bay Area Regional Office</u>		
<u>BioMarin Pharmaceutical Inc.</u>	Marin	\$823,969
<u>Carpenters Training Committee for Northern California</u>	Northern California	\$949,327
<u>Emerald Packaging, Inc.</u>	Alameda	\$138,312
<u>McWane, Inc.</u>	Alameda, Los Angeles & Riverside	\$194,326
<u>Rudolph and Sletten, Inc.</u>	Orange, Placer, San Diego, San Francisco & San Mateo	\$196,344
<u>The Corporation for Manufacturing Excellence DBA MANEX</u>	Statewide	\$949,160
<u>U.S. Foodservice, Inc.</u>	Alameda	\$255,150
<u>UFCW NorCal Meat Apprenticeship Trust Fund</u>	Northern California	\$126,126
<u>Sacramento Regional Office</u>		
<u>7173 North Sharon Avenue Operating Company, LLC DBA San Joaquin Rehabilitation Hospital</u>	Fresno, Marin, Sacramento, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Francisco, & Shasta	\$303,750
<u>Amy's Kitchen, Inc.</u>	Sacramento & Sonoma	\$514,080
<u>Blue Mountain Construction Services, Inc.</u>	Solano	\$249,778
<u>Caber Enterprises, Inc.</u>	Kings & Tulare	\$558,760
<u>California Manufacturers and Technology Association</u>	Statewide	\$949,985
<u>Fuel Delivery Services, Inc.</u>	San Joaquin	\$247,680
<u>J.J.R. Enterprises, Inc. DBA Caltronics Business Systems</u>	Alameda, Fresno, Los Angeles, Sacramento,	\$304,425

	Santa Clara & Sonoma	
Johns Manville	Glenn	\$429,044
Manor Care of Citrus Heights CA, LLC DBA ManorCare Health Services	Contra Costa, Orange, Riverside, Sacramento & Santa Clara	\$599,544
Rich Products Corporation	Fresno	\$177,390
Tulare Joint Union High School District DBA Tulare Adult School	Tulare	\$182,894
Villara Corporation	Fresno, Sacramento, San Joaquin, Santa Clara & Solano	\$343,500

Proposals Approved By Delegation Order

For 05/15/17 – 06/09/17

≤ \$100,000

<u>Contractor</u>	<u>City/County</u>	<u>Contract Amt</u>
<u>North Hollywood Regional Office</u>		
Alyn Industries, Inc. DBA Electronic Source Company	Los Angeles	\$30,420
Birdi & Associates, Inc.	Los Angeles & San Diego	\$44,590
Brickley Construction Company Inc. DBA Brickley Environmental (Amendment)	San Bernardino	\$34,944
Compass Health, Inc.	San Luis Obispo & Santa Barbara	\$56,250
Dauntless Industries, Inc. DBA Dauntless Molds (Amendment)	Los Angeles	\$47,840
Norman, Fox & Co.	Los Angeles	\$24,992
The Wonderful Company LLC	Los Angeles & San Luis Obispo	\$99,960
<u>San Diego Regional Office</u>		
Bassenian Lagoni	Orange	\$99,840
Dean Hesketh Company, Inc.	Orange	\$15,912
Hologic, Inc.	San Diego	\$82,080
International Rubber Products, Inc.	Orange & San Bernardino	\$65,728

JBZ, Inc. DBA JZMK Partners	Orange	\$28,704
Murphy, Murphy & Murphy, Inc.	Orange	\$59,400
Partners in Control, Inc.	Orange	\$56,056
Q C M, Inc. DBA Veris Manufacturing (Amendment)	Orange	\$37,700
Southwest Boulder & Stone, Inc.	Riverside & San Diego	\$93,600
<u>San Francisco Bay Area Regional Office</u>		
Aleia Corp. DBA Surplus Service (Amendment)	Alameda	\$6,552
EMSolutions	Alameda	\$19,890
<u>Sacramento Regional Office</u>		
ARO Pistachios, Inc.	Tulare	\$35,100
Kleen Kanteen, Inc.	Butte	\$50,284
The Brownie Baker, Inc.	Fresno	\$83,980
Unison Hardware, Inc.	Sacramento	\$22,880