

Local Plan Modification

July 1, 2009 – June 30, 2010

**Rockland County Workforce
Investment Area**



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General Instructions for Modifying the Existing Local Plan

The Workforce Investment Act Local Plan Modification for Program Year 2009-2010, for Workforce Investment Act Title I-B and Wagner Peyser programs, must be submitted to the New York State Department of Labor (NYSDOL) no later than **September 18, 2009**, in accordance with the Planning Guidelines issued by NYSDOL on behalf of the State Workforce Investment Board and the Governor. The Plan Modification must be developed by the Local Workforce Investment Board (Local Board) in partnership with the Local Chief Elected Official(s).

The Plan Modification, generated through this process, will amend and extend: the approved Local Plan, which originally covered the period July 1, 2005 – June 30, 2008; the local area's approved Functional Alignment Addendum; and the local area's previous plan modification, which extended the existing Plan and Addendum to June 30, 2009. Therefore, this Local Plan Modification will extend the existing Plan and Addendum to June 30, 2010 and will become the basis for local area policy and monitoring.

Plan Modification Guidelines

The Plan Modification Guidelines are available and can be downloaded on New York's Workforce Development System website at:

http://www.labor.state.ny.us/workforcenypartners/wfnyp_index.shtm

The guidelines are attached to Technical Advisory # 09-16, dated May 26, 2009.

Publication

The Local Board must make copies of the proposed Plan Modification available for public comment through such means as public hearings, local news media, and local websites. The general public must have access to the proposed Plan Modification; there must be 30 days from the date of publication and/or availability in which the general public may comment. When the Plan Modification is submitted for approval, any comments received in disagreement must be attached. In addition, the Plan Modification must explain how those disagreements were addressed.

Submission

The draft Plan Modification is due **September 18, 2009**. NYSDOL requests local areas to complete the submittal process electronically by posting the draft Plan Modification, any comments received and the manner in which the comments were addressed, to the local area's workforce website. Specifically, local areas are required to **send an e-mail by cob September 18, 2009** to WDTDLocalPlans@labor.state.ny.us, with a copy to your state representative, which includes the following:

- Notice that the local Plan Modification, any comments received and information on the manner in which comments were addressed, are posted on the local website and available for State review;
- Indication of the URL and location of the Plan Modification document(s) on the website;
- Statement of the dates the Plan Modification was made available for public comment;
- Provision of contact information in the event there are problems accessing the Plan Modification; and

- Affirmation that no changes will be made to the document once it has been posted for NYSDOL review.

Should a local area be unable to comply with this method of submission, email a request for assistance to: WDTDLocalPlans@labor.state.ny.us. Please use “Request for Assistance with Local Plan Submission” in the Subject line.

Time Table

Plan Modification Guidelines Issued	May 26, 2009
Latest Date for Publishing Plan for Public Comment	August 20, 2009
Local Plan Modifications due to NYSDOL	September 18, 2009
NYSDOL approval or request for information	No later than December 17, 2009

Required Attachments

The required Attachments include:

- Attachment A: Signature of Local Board Chair
- Attachment B: Signature of Chief Elected Official
- Attachment C: Signature of WIB Director
- Attachment D: Units of Local Government
- Attachment E: Fiscal Agent/Grant Subrecipient
- Attachment F: One Stop Operator Information
- Attachment G: Federal and State Certifications

If any of the following have changed, please also attach:

- Chief Elected Official Agreement (if applicable)
- Local Board By-Laws
- One Stop Operator Agreements


Note: Hard copies of the required attachments and signature pages must be mailed to the address below. These attachments and signature pages must be received no later than September 18, 2009.

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Instructions for Filling out the Plan Modification Document

There are two main sections of the Local Plan Modification, each beginning with a short narrative and followed by instructions and questions. **A shaded area is provided into which the details of your response should be typed.**

For the check boxes and forms, you may want to lock the form to easily tab from box to box and insert an “**X**” where appropriate. If the forms toolbar is not visible, click “**View**” - “**Toolbars**” - “**Forms**” and click on the  symbol to lock or unlock the form.

It is recommended that you save this document to your computer as your working document using the following naming convention: “LWIA NAME – Plan Modification.” Save your document frequently during its completion.

Technical assistance regarding the development of the Local Plan Modification should be directed to your State Representative. If you need any assistance with the form, please contact Sharon Zapp at (518) 457-5189.

Workforce Investment Act Local Plan Modification July 1, 2009 – June 30, 2010

In compliance with the Workforce Investment Act (WIA), each local workforce investment area is required to have a Comprehensive Local Plan in place. With the passage of the federal American Reinvestment and Recovery Act (Recovery Act), NYSDOL has determined that each local Workforce Investment Board will develop a One-Year Plan Modification to extend the current plan to now cover the period July 1, 2005 - June 30, 2010. The Plan Modification will allow for short-term changes, development of strategies and efficiencies for effectively utilizing increases in funding, and alignment with updated Federal, State and local priorities.

New York State shares the vision outlined in the Recovery Act; creating and preserving jobs, promoting economic recovery, and assisting those most impacted by the recession. Workforce development activities will play an integral role in achieving these three goals for both New York State and the nation as a whole. As workers increasingly find themselves dislocated, unemployed, and underemployed, they will need assistance to find new jobs, better jobs, and training opportunities to prepare them for these jobs.

It is crucial to maintain transparency and accountability at all levels. Recovery Act funds must be tracked accurately and separately from other sources of funding, and frequent communication regarding the use of these funds will be required. Needless to say, the funding from the Recovery Act, used concurrently with normal sources of funding, will allow a substantial increase in the number of services provided to customers in the One-Stop system. In particular, the number and proportion of customers receiving training services will increase.

The need for economic recovery also comes with an opportunity to ensure economic competitiveness in the long term. To this end, New York State has designated three demand sectors which will provide many job openings and are believed to be important to economic growth in the future:

- **Green and Renewable Resources**

This sector is comprised of a wide variety of industries and occupations; New York is primarily focused on Solar Power, Wind Power, and Weatherization. Each of these industries offer career paths, with solar and wind power focusing on the installation of small-scale power generation and weatherization providing construction and building renovation jobs. With rising energy costs and commitments on all levels of government to prevent environmental damage, green jobs are expected to grow substantially in the coming years. Furthermore, as the alteration of existing buildings and construction of new buildings cannot be performed overseas, these jobs are highly resistant to outsourcing.

- **Health Care (including the Life Sciences and BioTech/BioScience Industries)**

A substantial amount of labor market information identifies health care as a rapidly growing sector, in part due to the aging population. There are a number of entry-level jobs with the potential for career advancement in this industry in fields such as nursing, pharmaceuticals, and home or hospice care.

- **Advanced Manufacturing**

Manufacturing jobs that use high-tech processes, in industries such as Nanotechnology, Bioinformatics, and Medical Device manufacturing, are high growth and vital to the US economy, according to the US Department of Labor. The State also sees strong investment in such industries. This sector includes both high-tech jobs and lower-skill jobs that provide career ladders.

Many customers will have barriers to participating in training, such as transportation issues. It is expected that staff will work with customers to identify and remove barriers to participation through the provision of supportive services and needs-related payments. This is especially relevant for adults who are low-income, displaced, and under-skilled, as well as disconnected youth; in fact, many provisions in the Recovery Act are designed to target these populations, and there is a Priority of Service in effect for recipients of public assistance and other low-income individuals. These groups have been starkly affected by the economic recession and are greatly in need of assistance to get on a pathway out of poverty. Youth, also often at risk, can be served with a Summer Youth Employment Program. Given the fact that individuals up to age 24 can be considered “youth” for the purposes of spending Recovery Act funds, this presents an excellent opportunity to assist our young adult customers.

The Plan Modification will allow Local Boards the opportunity to re-evaluate their current system’s delivery of employment and training services in light of funding considerations, new initiatives and performance. In developing those new strategies and policies, local areas should consult with their region’s Labor Market Analyst to review updated data and trends that may impact planning efforts and to use demographic information provided to assure workforce related needs of special populations. In addition, occupational demand lists should be carefully reviewed with attention to current economic conditions. The Plan Modification consists of two parts, the Strategies and Policy Updates, and WIA Compliance sections.

Section I: Strategies and Policy Updates

The Strategies and Policy Updates section is in the form of questions that will address:

1. Priority of Service for recipients of public assistance, other low-income individuals, veterans, and eligible spouses of veterans;
2. Supportive services and needs-related payments;
3. Youth activities;
4. Reemployment services under the Wagner-Peyser Act;
5. Training; and
6. Continued emphasis on services for special needs populations.

Section II: WIA Compliance

The WIA Compliance section deals with the Local Board Policies that are regulated by the Workforce Investment Act. In this section, local boards are asked to verify that the policies contained in their current Plan and in their Functional Alignment Addendum remain in effect, or indicate that the policy has changed. Where policies have changed or new policies have been instituted, the policy must be attached.

During the State review process, local areas may be asked for clarification or additional information. **Responses will become part of the local plan, and will be considered policy.**

Section I. Strategies and Policy Updates

1. Priority of Service

Local Boards must incorporate priority of service for veterans and eligible spouses as mandated under federal regulations that went into effect on January 19, 2009. In addition, the Recovery Act requires a statutory priority for recipients of public assistance and other low-income individuals.

It is important to understand that veterans' priority of service is not intended to displace the core mission of any particular program. More specifically, a priority of service within a priority is created for those programs that are derived from a federal statutory mandate (such as the Recovery Act) that requires a priority or preference for a particular group of individuals. As an example, when you collectively compare recipients of public assistance and other low-income individuals with veterans and eligible spouses of veterans, the following priority order is applicable:

1. The first population to receive intensive and training services is public assistance and low-income veterans (or eligible spouses of veterans);
2. The second priority is for public assistance and low-income non-veterans;
3. The third priority is for veterans (or eligible spouses of veterans) who are not low-income or receiving public assistance;
4. The last priority is for adults who are non-veterans who are not low-income or receiving public assistance.

To this end, Local Boards are required to show evidence that strategies and policies are in place (or will be in place) addressing priority of service.

a. Public Assistance and Low-Income Populations:

Priority use of WIA Recovery Act funds for intensive and training services must apply to recipients of public assistance and other low-income individuals. This requirement is a major shift from current state guidance for non-Recovery Act WIA Adult formula funds which gives the Local Board discretion to enact priority of service.

In order to better understand current guidance regarding priority of service it is helpful to look back at historical guidance on this topic. The "Planning Guidelines for the Comprehensive Three-Year Local Plan (Program Year 2005 to 2007)" issued by the Department in February 2005 required Local Boards to describe the criteria used to determine whether funds allocated for employment and training activities are limited, and the process by which any priority of service will be applied. This guidance did not mandate that priority of service be enacted. Subsequently, the "Local Plan Modification for Program Year 2008" required the Local Board to submit any changes to current priority of service policy (if applicable) and to indicate if the Local Board has since declared a priority of service to be in effect.

Based on this historical guidance, it is possible that a Local Board has never declared priority of service to recipients of public assistance and other low-income individuals. The Recovery Act now requires every Local Board to declare priority of service to recipients of public assistance and other low-income individuals. Only WIA Adult funds are covered under this provision of the Recovery Act, as priority of service to recipients of public assistance and other low-income individuals does not apply to youth, dislocated worker, Wagner-Peyser, and Reemployment Services grant funds.

The Local Board must show clear evidence that priority of service is provided for intensive and training services under Recovery Act WIA Adult funds to recipients of public assistance and low-income individuals. As such, please respond to the questions below. Additionally, the Local Board is encouraged to develop a separate policy guidance document to be distributed to all impacted One-Stop Career Center staff members. Please find a sample policy provided in Attachment I.

1. Describe the method(s) that will be used to identify an individual as a priority customer. Please include:

- a. A description of how the appropriate documentation is collected and maintained when an individual self-identifies as a public assistance recipient or other low-income individual;
- b. The parameters to be used that qualifies someone as an low-income individual (note – income earned while on active duty status is required to be disregarded in eligibility determinations); and
- c. The estimated percentage/number of WIA Adult customers that will qualify for priority of service during the program year.
- d. If applicable, indicate how it was determined there are sufficient local resources for employment and training activities to serve all customers, so that a priority of service does not need to be applied for customers served by non-Recovery WIA Adult funds.

a. In accordance with the recommendation of the New York State Department of Labor, The Rockland County Workforce Investment Board has implemented a priority of service policy to address the needs of the following population of candidates:

- i. Public assistance recipients
- ii. Low Income Veterans and/or eligible spouses of veterans
- iii. Veterans who are not low income and/or spouses of veterans who are not low income
- iv. Adults who are non veterans and who are not low income or receiving public assistance.

Initial Intake and Assessment of our customers includes completion of a pre-assessment survey during initial walk in to the agency. A detailed list of eligibility documents, which customers are required to present, is supplied if they are seeking intensive or training level services . Customers are required to schedule an appointment with a Customer and Labor Service Representative and at that time they are expected to present the appropriate documentation. Staff members are provided eligibility documentation guideline sheets which are used during the initial intake of clients for eligibility determination.

- b. The parameters used for determining qualification for low income is set by the local board and is as follows: 350% of poverty, food stamp recipients, Medicaid participants or customers receiving TANF.

c.

d. Based on the resources provided by The Recovery Act Funds, The Rockland WIB has determined that a priority of service policy is not needed for formula Adult services.

2. If your local area will not be applying priority of service to all adults, describe the procedure(s) that will be used to differentiate between Recovery WIA Adult and non-Recovery WIA Adult customers for purposes of Priority of Service. [Note: depending on local policy, priority of service may not be mandatory when services are provided with non-Recovery WIA Adult funds]

The local area policy is to attempt to qualify all customers in need of intensive and training level services under our Priority of Service Policy. However, under WIA formula funds those customers who our training committee determines are in need of intensive or training level services in order to become employable may qualify without meeting the priority of service requirements. Each customer's needs will be reviewed and assessed by an Individual Services Strategy and presented to our One Stop Services Training Committee for a case by case review.

3. Describe the internal monitoring process, including subrecipient monitoring, that will be initiated to ensure federal priority of service requirements under the Recovery Act are successfully implemented and adhered to.

The executive committee of the WIB will conduct quarterly monitoring of Priority of Service procedures to ensure the one stop and any sub-recipients are in compliance with guidelines set forth by the local WIB.

4. Describe the modifications to Functional Alignment and/or Customer Flow that will be made (if any) to enhance implementation of priority of service.

The modifications to our functional alignment plan include expanding eligibility determinations conducted by Wagner Peyser as well as WIA staff. The customer flow is amended to include the same change and allows our staff to best meet increased demands for determining eligibility and priority for intensive and training level requests.

5. Describe the methods of training and communication that will be implemented at the local level to ensure all impacted staff members are aware of and utilizing priority of service in the daily operations.

A policy guidance document will be created and presented to all front line and supportive staff members. A general staff meeting will be held to discuss the newer process and to address and questions/concerns staff may have.

6. Please include relevant information not mentioned above that supports the Local Board's strategy for providing priority of service to recipients of public assistance and other low-income individuals.

Functional alignment with The Department of Social Services, Community Action Program of Rockland, and Rockland County Office of the Aging provides avenues for direct referrals of customers who are recipients of public assistance and other low income adults.

b. Veterans & Eligible Spouses of Veterans:

The United States Department of Labor implemented veterans' priority of service via regulation that went into effect on January 19, 2009. As a result of this regulation, all One-Stop Career Centers will need to have clear strategies for providing veterans and eligible spouses of veterans with the highest quality of service at every phase of services offered. Comprehensive guidance has been provided by the Department under the Workforce Development System Technical Advisory #09-14 released on April 29, 2009.

The federal regulation requires that Local Boards develop and include in their strategic local plans, policies implementing priority of service for the local One-Stop Career Centers and for service delivery by local workforce preparation and training providers. These policies must establish procedures to ensure that covered persons are given an opportunity to identify themselves as a veteran or eligible spouse at the point of entry thus allowing them to take full advantage of priority of service. Please note, federal regulations currently provide direction that verification of the status of an individual as a veteran or eligible spouse at the point of entry is not required.

More specifically, policies implementing priority of service shall ensure that covered persons are aware of: (1) their entitlement to priority of service; (2) the full array of employment, training, and placement services available under priority of service; and (3) any applicable eligibility requirements for those programs and/or services. Under this context, local policy should detail the strategies and procedures to be invoked that will satisfy the requirements as found in Federal regulation. For additional guidance, you are strongly encouraged to view the Federal regulations as found at 20 CFR Part 1010, published at *Federal Register* 78132 on December 19, 2008.

The Local Board must show clear evidence that priority of service is provided for veterans and eligible spouses of veterans. As such, please respond to the questions below. Responses become part of the local plan, and are considered policy. Additionally, the Local Board is encouraged to develop a separate policy guidance document to be distributed to all impacted One-Stop Career Center staff members.

1. Describe the policies that will be established to ensure covered persons are identified at the point of entry thus allowing them to take full advantage of priority of service. [Responses should include the procedures that are in place to ensure signage is properly displayed and the procedures that are in place to identify covered persons who physically access or virtually access service delivery points.]

Our local policy guidance document will make clear to one stop and partner staff members that veterans and spouses of veterans are to be presented with priority of

service options. Separate policy guidance will be documented and distributed to ensure all staff members and clients who qualify are advised of veteran priority of service requirements. Our local area has a veteran representative on site as assigned by the New York State Department of Labor. As such, veterans and spouses of veterans have access to scheduling immediate appointments for initial intake and for a comprehensive assessment of needs. At that time, veterans will be made aware of their entitlement to priority of service, the full array of employment, training and placement services available and any additional applicable requirements for accessing programs and services.

2. Describe the enhancements that will be made to local area websites advising self-service users of priority of service.

Notice of Priority of Service Policy will be posted on our local area web-site as needed.

3. Describe the procedures that are in place to ensure all contract templates, RFP, and sub-contract agreement language is revised to include priority of service language.

The Executive Committee of the WIB will ensure any future contracts, RFP's and sub-contract agreement language includes priority of service language.

4. Describe modifications to Functional Alignment and/or Customer Flow that will be made (if any) to enhance implementation of priority of service.

The modifications to our functional alignment plan include expanding eligibility determinations conducted by Wagner Peyser as well as WIA staff. The customer flow is amended to include the same change and allows our staff to best meet increased demands for determining eligibility and priority for intensive and training level requests.

5. Describe the methods of training and communication that will be implemented at the local level to ensure all impacted staff members are aware of and utilizing veterans' priority of service in the daily operations. [Training should include defining the terms "veteran", "eligible veteran", "covered person", "eligible spouse", and "qualified job training program". Technical Advisory #-09-14 provides specific guidance on the information that should be shared with staff.]

A policy guidance document will be created and presented to all front line and supportive staff members. A general staff meeting will be held to discuss the newer process and to address and questions/concerns staff may have.

6. Describe the outreach strategies (if any) that will be incorporated into local policy in an effort to "get the word out" about veterans' priority of service. [Outreach strategies may also be targeted to employers

in an effort to gain support and interest for the hiring of veterans. In addition to the existing Work Opportunity Tax Credit veteran target group, the Recovery Act added “unemployed veterans” as a targeted category. An employer who hires an unemployed veteran (defined as discharged from active duty in the Armed Forces at any time during the five-year period ending on the hiring date, and receiving unemployment compensation for at least four weeks during the year prior to being hired by the employer) may qualify for a federal tax credit incentive.]

Functional alignment with The Department of Labor, Department of Social Services, Community Action Program of Rockland, and Rockland County Office of the Aging provides avenues for direct referrals of customers who are veterans, recipients of public assistance and other low income adults. The Rockland County WIB will be looking to partner and further develop opportunities to align services with the Rockland County Department of Veteran Affairs to market the array of services available at the one stop agency and to become better informed of the mutually beneficial services available through the county.

7. Describe the internal monitoring process that will be initiated to ensure federal veterans’ priority of service requirements are successfully implemented and adhered to.

The executive committee of the WIB will conduct quarterly monitoring of Priority of Service procedures to ensure the one stop and any sub-recipients are in compliance with guidelines set forth by the local WIB.

8. Please include relevant information not mentioned above that supports the Local Board’s strategy for providing veterans and eligible spouses of veterans with priority of service.

All information is described in terms of our local board policy with respect to priority of service.

2. Supportive Services and Needs Related Payments

The Recovery Act places a strong emphasis on providing increased services and training for workers in need. Further, the Recovery Act and New York State policy require the use of funds for supportive services and needs-related payments that are necessary to ensure that participants are able to fully avail themselves of appropriate employment and training opportunities. Needs related payments must be made available to enable participants to pursue training of sufficient duration to acquire skills and credentials of value that will connect them to emerging jobs as the economy recovers.

As USDOL – ETA has acknowledged, differentiating between individuals served with Recovery Act and non-Recovery Act funds is challenging, since eligibility requirements are the same, and the funds must be spent concurrently. Accordingly, it is expected that local areas will make supportive services and needs related payments available to participants served by both Recovery Act and non-Recovery Act funds.

Local areas are therefore directed to develop policy guidelines for the administration of supportive services which include the following:

Definitions and Descriptions of Local Policy:

a. Supportive Services:

WIA §663.800 (Ref: §101(46) and 134(e)(2)) defines supportive services for adults and dislocated workers as those that include transportation, child and dependent care, housing and needs related payments which are necessary to enable individuals to participate (or continue to participate) in activities authorized under WIA Title 1B and which are not available through other programs.

Supportive services for youth are defined in the WIA Rules and Regulations at §664.440 as including, but not limited to:

1. linkages to community services;
2. assistance with transportation costs;
3. assistance with childcare and dependent care costs;
4. assistance with housing;
5. referrals to medical services; and
6. assistance with uniforms or other appropriate work attire and work related tool costs, including such items as eyeglasses and protective eyewear.

Supportive Services can only be provided to individuals currently enrolled in a WIA program, except for Youth who may continue to receive Supportive Services during Follow Up at the discretion of the local area, per §664.450(a)(1).

1. Supportive service categories may be administered separately and distinctly from one another or disallowed completely by Local Boards. Describe how the Local Board will administer the following categories: Housing, Child and Dependent care, Transportation, Other payment categories, and Other supportive services specific to youth as defined in §664.440:

At this time the local board does not have a policy allowing supportive services for adults and dislocated workers.

Youth may receive supportive services as outlined in proposals submitted by youth subcontractors and agreed to by the WIB.

Youth sub-contractors will determine continued eligibility for supportive services for youth still enrolled or those currently receiving follow-up services.

2. Describe how the LWIA will establish initial and continuing eligibility for Supportive Services:

Youth sub-contractors will determine continued eligibility for supportive services for youth still enrolled or those currently receiving follow-up services.

3. Describe the following:

- a. Timing and frequency of services;
- b. Duration of services

- c. Priority of funding;
- d. Service adjustments;
- e. Exceptions; and
- f. Referrals to alternative sources of assistance, including use of local partnerships.

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4. Describe the accountability measures and methods of documentation of supportive services (by funding category):

Sub-contractors will be responsible for determining measures and methods of accountability and documentation of youth supportive services which must be pre-approved by the WIB and subject to review and monitoring.

b. Needs-Related Payments (NRP):

The goal for One-Stop Career Centers should be that no individual approved to attend training should have to refuse or abandon such training because he or she cannot afford living expenses. Needs-related payments (NRPs), a sub-category of supportive services, are a means of allowing trainees to pursue or continue full-time training when they do not qualify for or have exhausted their Unemployment Insurance (UI) benefits. The Recovery Act and New York State policy require that these payments be made available to adult and dislocated worker trainees to enable them to complete the level of training that will make them more competitive in the job market.

Needs-related payments are defined in §663.815 as providing “financial assistance to participants for the purpose of enabling individuals to participate in training”. To qualify for NRPs, “adults must be unemployed; not qualify for, or ceased to have qualified for, unemployment compensation; and be enrolled in a program of training services under WIA §134(d)(4).” Please note that needs-related payments are not considered taxable income, according to USDOL.

Dislocated workers (DW) are additionally required to “have ceased to qualify for TAA or NAFTA-TAA; and be enrolled in a program of training services under WIA §134(d)(4) by the end of the 13th week after the most recent layoff that resulted in a determination of the worker’s eligibility as a dislocated worker, or if later, by the end of the 8th week after the worker is informed that a short-term layoff will exceed six months.” [Note: NYSDOL has requested a waiver to allow the dislocated worker requirements to be the same as the adult requirements. Upon approval, notice will be communicated to local areas.]

Needs-related payments may also be paid to youth who are enrolled in training, at the discretion of the local area.

A sample Training Support Analysis Form that can be used as a template when designing a method for determining an individual’s qualifications for NRPs is included as Attachment H.

Local needs-related payment policy should include provisions that such payments will not be offered to individuals who have another means of financial support, such as TANF.

****The Rockland WIB is working to develop A Needs Related Payment Policy. This NRP section cannot be completed until the policy is further developed. ****

1. Regarding the eligibility of participants:
 - a. How many hours/credits must a participant be registered for in order to remain eligible for NRPs?
 - b. What academic and attendance standards will be required for payments to continue and how will this be verified?
 - c. Can and/or will payments be made to participants on sick, vacation, or holiday leave?
 - d. How will Extended UI Benefits affect receiving NRPs?
 - e. Will NRPs be suspended during periods of earned income and will participants have to re-qualify to start receiving NRPs again once the income ends? (How will income be calculated?)
 - f. If an individual receives NRPs at the same time as supportive services from another program/partner, how will this be coordinated and documented?

2. Regarding the payments of NRPs:
 - a. How will the payment amount of NRPs be determined?
 - b. What is the maximum allowable individual payment?
 - c. What is the limit on number of payments per individual?
 - d. How will overpayments (or the potential for overpayments) be monitored and recovered?
 - e. What will the payment schedule for NRPs be?
 - f. How will participants claim payments?

3. Regarding the administration of the NRP program:
 - a. Who will have the authority to approve participant requests for NRPs?
 - b. Who will manage the NRP program?
 - c. Who will respond to questions and complaints?
 - d. Who will handle NRP form distribution, payment accounting, and payment processing?
 - e. How will the requirements for and payments of NRPs be documented?

3. Youth Activities and Summer Youth Employment Programs

As cited in TEGL #14-08, the Recovery Act does not limit the use of the funds to summer employment, but the Congressional explanatory statement for the Act states that “the conferees are particularly interested in these funds being used to create summer employment opportunities for youth.” The Recovery Act also expands the eligibility criteria for the program to serve youth up to age 24.

ETA strongly encourages local areas to:

- Design age appropriate activities and work readiness goals;
- Establish worksites that offer meaningful work experience;
- Incorporate green work experiences;
- Develop connections to Registered Apprenticeship programs;
- Integrate work-based and classroom-based learning activities;
- Link summer employment to academic learning for summer employment participants who do not have a high school diploma;
- Offer continued services to support older, out-of-school youth during non-summer months; and
- Focus on the neediest youth, including out-of-school youth and those most at risk of dropping out, youth in and aging out of foster care, youth offenders and those at risk of court involvement, children of incarcerated parents, and migrant and farm worker youth.

With that in mind, please answer the following questions:

1. Describe your PY 2009 summer youth employment program design and include the following:
 - a. Activities broken out by age groups:
 - i. 14 – 15
 - ii. 17 – 18
 - iii. 18 - 21
 - iv. 22 – 24
 - v. 18 – 24 for work experience only 10/1/09 through 3/31/10;
 - b. Work readiness component;
 - c. Definition of work readiness to be measured;
 - d. How measurable increases of work readiness will be determined;
 - e. How “green” work experience or training will be incorporated into your program;
 - f. Apprenticeship opportunities; and
 - g. Outreach and services to migrant and farm worker youth and other neediest youth populations. Describe the various strategies you employed to recruit these target populations.

Rockland’s PY2009 Summer Youth employment program will be contracted out to four youth providers who will provide services to in and out of school youth ages 14-24. These programs will provide paid work experience and will include pre- and post assessment of work maturity and work readiness and provide activities and training to measurably assist youth improve in these areas. Providers may also incorporate academic enrichment into their program design. Programs are also strongly encouraged to develop green work experiences. Some of our SYEP sites

are engaging youth in green work experiences already and we are interested in expanding these opportunities as more businesses “go green”. We have partnered with one local energy auditing company which is looking to expand and hire additional youth going forward pending customer demand, training opportunities will follow and career ladder movement once we are able to identify specifically the local businesses needs.

Contractors providing services to older out of school youth will offer continued services year round.

- a. Activities broken out by age groups:
 - i. 14-15 year olds – paid work experience and work readiness activities.
 - ii. 16-17 year olds - paid work experience and work readiness activities.
 - iii. 18-21 year olds – paid work experience and work readiness activities.
 - iv. 22-24 year olds – paid work experience and work readiness activities
 - v. 18-24 year olds – no services between 10/1/2009 -3/31/10 with ARRA.

2. Provide the following:

- a. What percentage of Recovery Act funds do you plan to spend on summer 2009 activities from 5/1/2009 through 9/30/2009 and how many participants will be served?
- b. What percentage of Recovery Act funds do you plan to spend on serving older youth participating in work experience only activities from 10/1/2009 through 3/31/2010 and how many participants will be served?

- a) The local area intends to spend 100% of the recovery act funds on summer youth employment activities from 5/1/2009 – 9/30/2009. In total approximately 210 youth will be served.
- b) No older youth will be served with recovery act funding between 10/1/2009 and 3/31/2009.

3. If the fiscal agent or grant recipient is not operating the summer employment program, please describe the Local Board’s procedures for procuring summer employment providers.

The local area issued an RFP for the 2009 summer youth employment program.

4. Describe the type of summer program worksites that were identified, recognizing that youth worksites could not include casinos or other gambling establishments, aquariums, zoos, golf courses, or swimming pools when funded with Recovery Act funds:
- a. How were/will worksites be selected?
 - b. Identify the type of sites, i.e. public sector, private sector, non-profits that were/will be used.
 - c. What is the local plan to ensure that adherence to current workplace safety guidance and applicable federal/state minimum wage requirements are observed?
 - d. How will you ensure that the youth work experience does not unfavorably impact current employees and/or impair existing contracts for services or collective bargaining agreement, or replace laid off workers?
 - e. Will youth be matched to work sites based on their goals and interest? If not, how will they be matched?
 - f. Please identify the project-based or service learning that will be utilized.

- a. Worksites will be selected by individual subcontractors through their own networks and selection criteria.
- b. Worksites will include public sector, private sector and non-profits.
- c. Subcontractors will provide a list of all of their worksites and pay rates will be determined by contract before programs begin. Sites will be monitored over the summer to ensure sites adhere to safety guidelines and proper labor requirements are observed.
- d. Contractors will ensure that youth placements do not impair existing full time workers or replacing laid off workers, through their outreach communication with businesses and as they assess businesses interested in the summer youth expanded programs.
- e. Youth will be matched to work sites based on their goals and interests combined with the needs of the businesses and employment sites.
- f. This will vary based on contractors employment sites.

5. Integration of Work-Based and Classroom-Based Learning Activities, Academic and Occupational Learning are two options to complement work experience. Describe the following:

- a. Did your local area offer classroom-based learning along with the work experience during the summer youth employment program? If so, please detail to whom and how it was offered.
- b. Did your local area provide a direct link between summer employment and academic learning? If so, how was this accomplished?

Some of the WIB's SYEP contractors provided classroom based learning as a means to further develop work readiness skills and further develop a professional

work ethic among the youth participants. This training was offered at varying times of the SYEP months and was contingent on the actual provider. The approach to all providers classroom based learning was instructional combined with a hands on approach to developing resumes, practicing interviewing techniques, developing communication skills and included ways to further develop professional references for professional advancement.

Academic learning was not a requirement of SYEP programs.

6. Describe what your year-round program design for Recovery Act funds includes. Indicate whether you are reserving your Recovery Act funds to support summer youth employment and extended work experience only activities for older youth.

100% of Recovery Act Funds will be expensed by the conclusion of summer 2009. Year round program designs will vary based on programming contractor in terms of structure but will generally assist the needs of our OSY/ISY with respect to connecting them to completing academic goals, providing additional work experiences and connecting young adults to vocational training opportunities with local eligible training providers.

7. Briefly describe how you are coordinating the expenditure of your WIA Formula funds and Recovery funds to optimize program flexibility and ensure adequate expenditure rates for both funding sources.

WIA Formula Funds will be expenses for all year round programming activities. Our local area does not anticipate there being an issue or concern with respect to expenditure rates since Recovery Act funding will have already been expensed summer 2009. Year Round OSY Contracts issued in 2008 were issued through a two year RFP.

8. Describe your local strategy for continued services supporting older, out-of-school youth during non-summer months including:

- a. Any supportive services, daycare, incentives, and needs-based payments; and
- b. Co-enrolling youth in adult training services.
- c. Promoting the availability of employer tax credits to hire disconnected youth, ages 16-24, during 2009 or 2010.

- a. Our local WIB has not developed a policy with respect to needs related payments, however, through functional alignment with agencies such as CAPROC (community Action Program of Rockland), Department of Social Services and additional partnerships with other local community based agencies direct referrals to additional supportive services can be made at any time. In particular, referral to services which will remove barriers to re-employment such as daycare services and transportation assistance (made possible through the state transportation assistance grant. Continuation of services during non summer months will include GED instructional support, direct linkages to employment opportunities, on-site job skills development opportunities and additional opportunities to pursue secondary and/or vocational training programs.

- b. Co-enrollment of youth in adult training services will be determined as necessary and on an individual basis.
- c. One Stop employer relations and job development staff at our local area are instructed and advised to promote tax credits to employers and businesses on and on going basis. This is done so through active employer outreach, mailings, professional networking groups and recruitment events.

4. Reemployment Services under the Wagner-Peyser Act

The Recovery Act provides dedicated funding for allowable reemployment services including, but not limited to: occupational and labor market information, in-person staff assisted services, initial and comprehensive assessment; career guidance; group and individual counseling; development of individual employment plans/training plans; identification of skills gaps and transferable skills; as well as job search assistance and referral to jobs.

Local plans are required to address the following issues as they relate to reemployment services:

1. Describe how the LWIA will ensure that a full array of reemployment services is provided to UI customers, including skill assessment, career planning and training.

Re-employment services will be made available to UI customers similarly to how they are structured and made available to our general population. However, individual initial assessments are coordinated the same day our REOS orientations are offered. All customer and labor service support staff clear their calendars on these days to offer the dedicated attention our UI clients are in need of. This approach allows us to quickly identify and address our likely to exhaust population and inform them of the array of services available at the one stop.

2. With the emphasis on training in the Recovery Act, explain how you are promoting training to UI customers, including the Section 599 provisions of the UI Law.

Special announcements are made to all UI clients with respect to the Recovery Act funds, section 599 provisions and provisions to qualify for training and receive extended benefits while actively engaged in training opportunities. Our WIB is also collaborating closely with local area ETP's and is pursuing the opportunity to purchase classroom size training packages within industries of healthcare and green training initiatives.

3. Describe any specialized services or training opportunities that will be developed to meet the needs of UI Customers.

Our local one stop agency has recently formed an on-site partnership with Point & Click, an eligible training provider, who is offering discounted short term prevocational training sessions to meet the growing demands and needs of our clients. Training includes and is not limited to: Microsoft office programs, LEED's certification, Empowerment series programs which focus on general job skills development and retention needs and more.

Customized training opportunities may be further developed based on both the needs and demands of our clients.

4. Explain how your area is dealing with increased numbers of UI customers in a functionally aligned/integrated manner.

UI customers receive an initial assessment and are seen promptly by all front line support staff during the initial day of their re-employment orientation. Direct referrals are made immediately upon request to additional supportive services and appointments may be scheduled for more comprehensive and intensive level needs.

5. What strategies is the LWIA using to keep UI customers engaged for an increased length of time as a result of the currently recessed job market? In particular, discuss the amount of time that is allowed to lapse before a call-back for services.

Our one stop staff provides a comprehensive overview of the array of services available at the one stop agency and through partner staff on site during their initial intake and orientation to our one stop center. Following our customers option to self select of services, we allow for a 60 day period to pass with no activity prior to issuing a letter reminding our clients of the opportunities available for additional assistance with re-employment and training services. Staff assist with engaging clients through e-mail communication with respect to local on-site and off site recruitment events. Additionally, we are proactive with marketing in advance on site training opportunities that are offered through our Point & Click partnership. This information is made available on-line and typically planned over a 3 month period in advance, it is also frequently updated.

Additionally, our on site WP and WIA staff review exiter reports to determine who we may additionally target in attempt to re-engage inactive clients.

5. Individual Training Accounts (ITA), Customized Training and OJT

The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act provides an unprecedented opportunity for expanded access to training and related services for workers. This infusion of additional formula funds should result in a substantial increase in the number of adults and dislocated workers receiving training services. Additionally, LWIAs have the authority to enter into contracts with institutions of higher education, such as community colleges, or other eligible training providers to facilitate the training of multiple individuals in high-demand occupations, so long as the contract does not limit customer choice. As indicated in TEGL 14-08, institutions of higher education, including community colleges, do not need to be on the state list of eligible training providers. Other training providers, which are not institutions of higher education, must be on the state eligible training providers list in order to be awarded a contract.

In anticipation of the receipt of Recovery Act funding, the Department issued Technical Advisory #09-2, *Individual Training Account (ITA) Approval Policy*, which required every local area to develop a written ITA policy and procedures.

1. Provide a copy of your local area's written ITA policy and procedures (which should include the demand occupations/skills targeted for training services). Please reach out to all available

resources, including your area Labor Market Analyst and business services representatives, to secure the most current local and regional labor market data on occupations that are in demand.



2. Discuss how the ITA cap was established for the local area. Explain whether the cap was recently increased due to the receipt of additional funds through the Recovery Act and how this increase will impact training numbers and increase training opportunities in your area.

Due to the receipt of Recovery Act funds our WIB increased our local ITA amount from \$2,500 to \$4,000. The increase of this funding amount will allow our local area to meet more of the financial needs of our clients with respect to funding requests as well as increase the number of clients we are able to provide training opportunities for.

3. Discuss whether the local area intends to enter into contracts with institutions of higher education or other eligible training providers to facilitate the training of multiple individuals in high-demand occupations. If pursuing this option, describe the occupations and identify the training providers from which you will be purchasing training. If your area will not enter into such contracts, please explain why not.

Our local area remains interested in partnering with institutions of higher education as well as other local based training providers to offer expanded opportunities for training our customers.

Our WIB has recently agreed to contract with Kon Bit Neg Lakay to offer CNA training within the healthcare industry. We are also in the preliminary process of reviewing additional opportunities to contract with our local community college to offering additional training programs for their higher in demand wait listed programs.

4. Describe how all career counseling staff that are conducting comprehensive assessment (both WIA-funded and non-WIA-funded) are developing Individual Employment Plans/Training Plans that include approval for ITAs.

All approval for ITA's is conducted through a special on site training committee which consists of both WP and WP staff. Two of our one stop career counselors chair the committee for which training requests are reviewed and approved. Determinations are based on eligibility, our need to serve priority of service clients and a complete review of Employment History and a developed Individual Services Strategy which front line staff collect with clients prior to referring the individual to a counselor and the training committee. Individual Employment Plans are developed with on site counselors and prior to recommendations for training takes place.

5. Describe the processes in place to determine Pell grant eligibility. Explain how the local area intends to utilize Pell grants and coordinate them with other financial aid resources. If the local area has processes in place to notify customers of Pell eligibility, please describe them.

Pell grant eligibility is determined by which training program our customers are pursuing, if the school accepts financial aide than pell grant opportunities are shared with our clients at that time. This is handled by our counseling staff members and directly with our clients.

6. Using the table below, provide the numbers of individuals that received training services in PY 2008 (see Attachment J for PY 2008 data to date provided by Research and Statistics) and project the number of participants that are anticipated to receive training services in PY 2009. Any planned training for participants through contracted classroom training and or through contracts with community based organizations for special populations should be counted under the ITA category.

PY 2008 Estimated Participants in Training Services				
	Adult	Dislocated Worker	Youth	
			In-School	Out-of-School
Total # of Participants in Training	292	489	0	30
Total # - ITA	21	49	0	0
Total # - OJT	0	0	0	0
Total # - Skill Upgrading	230	345	0	30
Total # -Customized	0	2	0	0
Total # - Rec'd NRPs	0	0	0	0
Total # - Rec'd Supp. Services	41	95	0	13
Total Training Expenditures (ITA, OJT and Customized)	\$37,590.00	\$87,000.00	0	\$250,000.00
PY 2009 Planned Participants in Training Services				
	Adult	Dislocated Worker	Youth	
			In-School	Out-of-School
Total # of Participants in Training	315	510	0	36
Total # - ITA	35	70	0	10
Total # - OJT	0	0	0	0
Total # - Skill Upgrading	280	440	20	36
Total # -Customized	0	0	0	5
Total # - Rec'd NRPs				
Total # - Rec'd Supp. Services	0	0	0	0
Total Training Expenditures (ITA, OJT and Customized)	\$54,500.00	\$126,150.00	\$30,000.00	\$290,000.00

6. Service Delivery to Targeted Populations

Federal policy under the Recovery Act, as articulated in TEGL No. 14-08, recognizes the significant impact the recession has had on low-income, displaced and under-skilled adults and disconnected youth. Local policy under the Recovery Act should place emphasis on enabling these populations to acquire the knowledge and skills necessary for success in the workplace.

In addition, Program Year 2009 federal planning guidelines call for assurances that the full range of high quality employment and training services, delivered through the One-Stop delivery system, will be accessible to, and meet the needs, of the following groups: dislocated workers, displaced homemakers, low-income individuals, migrant and seasonal farm workers, women, minorities, individuals training for non-traditional employment, veterans, public assistance recipients and individuals with multiple barriers to employment, including older workers, individuals with limited English proficiency and persons with disabilities. In addition, LWIAs need to assure that effective outreach and recruitment strategies are in place through local partnerships to reach all targeted population groups.

LWIAs are requested to describe local priority of service to low income individuals and recipients of public assistance in Section 1 of this plan. Note that if the Local Board currently has such a policy in place, it should be reviewed for consistency with the guidelines established in TEGL No. 14-08, adjusted as necessary and submitted with this planning document. LWIAs are also asked to describe local priority of service to veterans and eligible spouses of veterans in Section 1.

The Other Service Strategies section of local planning guidance for Program Year 2008 requested an explanation of strategies and initiatives to serve various special populations, which included:

- Individuals with Limited English Proficiency
- Low Income, Low-Skilled Workers
- Other Individuals with Barriers to Employment
- Individuals with Disabilities (including the role of the Disability Program Navigator)

As noted above, federal policy as outlined in TEGL 14-08 continues the emphasis on providing high quality services to these groups. Local areas should review their current strategies and initiatives for service to these populations, update them as warranted under Recovery Act guidelines and attach them to this plan submission. In addition, describe local service delivery strategies that will address the workplace needs of:

1. **Dislocated Workers, including Displaced Homemakers:** Describe assistance provided to dislocated workers to assure they have the necessary skills to reconnect with the workplace. Describe how comprehensive One-Stop services are fully available to Displaced Homemakers and any linkages with area Displaced Homemaker Centers.

The Rockland County WIB and one stop agency is connected with the Rockland County Guidance Center, which provides direct and comprehensive services to Displaced Homemakers. Displaced Homemakers have equal access to the complete menu of services and training programs available at the one stop agency in conjunction with Guidance Center.

2. **Migrant and Seasonal Farm Worker Adults:** Explain the means by which the full range of WIA and Wagner-Peyser Services are available to Migrant and Seasonal Farm Worker adults in your area.

N/A

3. **Women:** Describe service strategies that assure women have access to labor market information and the skills development and supportive services necessary to enable them to acquire and retain high-wage jobs and maintain self-sufficiency. Include approaches used to eliminate possible barriers to employment in non-traditional occupations.

The Rockland County Family Shelter is a non profit agency connected to our WIB which provides services to battered and homeless women in our community, our one stop agency is seeking an opportunity to connect with this agency and offer specialized orientations and market traing opportunities available to these groups of women.

Our one stop agency is in fact presently connected with a Department of Social Services Program called Next Steps which provides parenting women who are skills deficient and low income a direct link to educational services, childcare supportive services, job training and placement opportunities. Tomorrow's Workplace extends the opportunity to provide intensive and training level services to this population.

4. **Minorities:** Describe how services, including those provided through partner agencies, will be coordinated to assure that minority customers receive the full range of employment and training programs and services, especially those that lead to employment in high-wage, high-growth occupations.

Tomorrow's Workplace is well connected with several community based agencies which directly serve minority based populations. One agency in particular is Kon Biit Neg Lakay which serves the Hatian Based Community and is an eligible training provider who our WIB is partnering with to offer a two phase training program for Certified Nursing Assistants.

Tomorrow's Workplace has also recently formed an alliance with the Ramapo Catskill Library System to offer a piloted program extending to all local libraries within the Rockland County area. The purpose of this program will be to offer off site intake and initial counseling services to members within each local community and market opportunities available to those who have not accessed our center or services prior but are in dire need of employment and training assistance.

Furthermore, Tomorrow's Workplace staff members are actively participatory and engaged with the County Re-entry Task Force Team which provides comprehensive services to formerly incarcerated members of the community.

Additionally, we are in the process of connecting with the Rockland County Immigration Coalition to identify additional needs at large within our communities.

5. **Individuals Training for Non-Traditional Employment:** Explain how information on area demand occupations, high-growth industries and related training opportunities, including occupational skills training, are made available to individuals interested in training for non-traditional employment.

Our agency is connected with the Rockland Economic Development Corporation as well as the Small Business Development Center, an affiliate of the community college for individuals who remain interested in entrepreneurial opportunities.

Our WIB is also closely aligned with local labor unions and are continually engaging leaders of these organizations to provide apprenticeships to non traditional populations.

6. **Older Individuals:** Describe how services offered through your local One-Stop system are accessible to, and meet the needs of, older individuals (age 55+).

On site at our one stop we are completed aligned with the Rockland County Office for the Aging. This County department connects older individuals, ages 55 and older, to the direct re-employment and training services available at the one stop agency.

7. **Other:** Indicate any other population groups specifically targeted in your local area, such as persons in need of English as a Second Language (ESL) instruction, and individuals who are preparing to re-enter the workforce.

Our WIB and Tomorrow's Workplace is partnered with BOCES, our adult education division to offer ESL training to members of our community and mutual clients in need.

Once again, we are also partnered with Ramapo Catskill Library System who primarily serves a heavy immigrant and minority population. Finally, we are looking to partner further with the Rockland County Immigration Coalition to determine how we can best meet the needs of this population of constituents.

Section II WIA Compliance

The Local Plan Modification will extend the existing Local Plan and Functional Alignment Addendum to June 30, 2010 and will become the basis for local area policy and monitoring.

It is anticipated that many of the local board's policies and procedures have remained constant since implementing the approved 2005-2009 Plan and Functional Alignment Addendum. Therefore, the purpose of this Compliance Section is to capture and publish local information about policies that may have changed or been updated. The local board is asked to certify as to whether a policy change has occurred and, where that has happened, provide the new policy.

Please complete the following chart (which follows the same order as the Compliance Section of the 2005-2009 Plan) indicating the status of your governing policies and attach new policy where appropriate.

<i>Required Policy</i>	<i>Is current policy, definition, design or provision of services different from that in the approved 2005-2009?</i>	<i>Is changed or new policy, definition, design or provision of services description attached?</i>
1. Selecting and Certifying One Stop Operators	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
2. Contracting for Service Providers	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
3. Priority of Service	Updated Policy attachment required	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
4. Self-Sufficiency	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
5. Supportive Services and Needs-Related Payments	Updated Policy attachment required	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
6. Grievances and Complaints	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<i>Provide the name, title, and contact information of the EO Officer.</i>	Evelyn Fiskaa, EO Officer Tomorrow's Workplace One Perlman Drive Spring Valley, New York 10977 Telephone: 845-356-5100 E-mail: evelyn@tomorrowsworkplace.org	
7. Youth Services		
<i>Eligibility Definitions</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<i>Performance</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<i>Design Framework</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<i>Youth Council</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<i>Recovery Act Provisions</i>	Policy attachment required	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
8. Adult, Dislocated Worker and Wagner-Peyser Services		
<i>Eligibility Definitions</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

<i>Performance</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<i>Rapid Response</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<i>Business Services</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<i>Integration of Services</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<i>Reemployment Services Recovery Act Provisions</i>	Policy attachment required	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
9. Training		
<i>Individual Training Accounts (ITA)</i>	Updated Policy attachment required	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
<i>Customized Training</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<i>OJT</i>		
<i>Trade Act Strategies</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
10. WIA IB & Wagner-Peyser PY 09 Performance and System Indicators	NA	NA
11. Local Monitoring	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
12. Open Meetings	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
13. Public Comment on Local Plan	NA	NA

Required Signatures

	<i>Required Signatures</i>	<i>Attached?</i>
Attachment A	Signature of Local Board Chair	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Attachment B	Signature of Chief Elected Official(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Attachment C	Signature of WIB Director	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Attachment D	Units of Local Government	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Attachment E	Fiscal Agent/Grant Subrecipient	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Attachment F	One Stop Operator Information	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Attachment G	Federal and State Certifications	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

If any of the following documents have changed in whole or in part, please attach.

	<i>Changed?</i>	<i>Attached?</i>
Chief Elected Official Agreement	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Local Board By-Laws	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
One Stop Operator Agreement	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

ATTACHMENT A: SIGNATURE OF LOCAL BOARD CHAIR

**Workforce Investment Act Local Plan Modification for
Program Year 2009-2010, for Workforce Investment Act Title 1-B
and Wagner Peyser Programs**

In compliance with the provisions of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998, the Interim Final Rule, and Planning guidelines and instructions developed by the Governor, this Plan Modification is being submitted jointly by the Local Board and the respective Chief Elected Official(s).

By virtue of my signature, I:

- agree to comply with all statutory and regulatory requirements of the Act as well as other applicable state and federal laws, regulations and policies
- affirm that the composition of the Local Board is in compliance with the law, rules and regulations and is approved by the State
- affirm that this Plan Modification was developed in collaboration with the Local Board and is jointly submitted with the Chief Elected official(s) on behalf of the Local Board
- Affirm that the board, including any staff to the board, will not directly provide any core, intensive or training services.

Date:		Signature of Local Board Chair:	
Mr. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Typed Name of Local Board Chair:	
Ms. <input type="checkbox"/>		Scott Liebert	
Other <input type="checkbox"/>			
Name of Board:	Rockland County Workforce Investment Board		
Address 1:	One Perlman Drive		
Address 2:			
City:	Spring Valley		
State:	New York	Zip:	10977
Phone:	845-356-5100	E-mail:	sliebert@clginsurance.com

Submittal directions: Complete this form as part of the Plan Modification development process and submit the entire Plan Modification electronically as described earlier in this guidance. Submit this form with original signatures as directed on page 2 of the Instructions.

ATTACHMENT B: SIGNATURE OF CHIEF ELECTED OFFICIAL

**Workforce Investment Act Local Plan Modification for
Program Year 2009-2010, for Workforce Investment Act Title 1-B
and Wagner Peyser Programs**

In compliance with the provisions of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998, the Interim Final Rule, and Planning guidelines and instructions developed by the Governor, this Plan Modification is being submitted jointly by the Local Board and the respective Chief Elected Official(s).

By virtue of my signature, I:

- agree to comply with all statutory and regulatory requirements of the Act as well as other applicable state and federal laws, regulations and policies
- affirm that the Grant recipient possesses the capacity to fulfill all responsibilities and assume liability for funds received, as stipulated in **§667.705** of the rules and regulations
- affirm that the composition of the Local Board is in compliance with the law, rules and regulations and is approved by the State
- affirm that the Chair of the Local Board was duly elected by that Board
- Affirm that the board, including any staff to the board, will not directly provide any core, intensive or training services.

Note: A separate signature sheet is required for each local Chief Elected Official.

Date:		Signature of Local Chief Elected Official (CEO):	
Mr. ___		Typed Name of Local CEO:	
Ms. ___		C. Scott Vanderhoef	
Other ___			
Title of Local CEO:	County Executive		
Address 1:	11 New Hempstead Road		
Address 2:			
City:	New City		
State:	New York	Zip: 10956	
Phone:	845-638-5122	E-mail: N/A	

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ATTACHMENT C: SIGNATURE OF WIB DIRECTOR

**Workforce Investment Act Local Plan Modification for
Program Year 2009-2010, for Workforce Investment Act Title 1-B
and Wagner Peyser Programs**

In compliance with the Planning guidelines and instructions developed by the Governor, this Plan Modification was developed through consultation and dialogue between the local area’s representative(s) and the New York State Department of Labor’s Regional Labor Market Analyst.

By virtue of my signature, I:

- attest that dialogues were conducted between the WIB’s representatives and the LMA which provided the WIB with data and the demographic characteristics of the LWIA’s resident population
- assure that service delivery and design, resource allocation, and other planning decisions were made by the WIB as a result of a careful consideration of the implications of the data and demographics as provided

Date:		Signature of Local Assistant to WIB Chairman:
Mr. <input type="checkbox"/>		Typed Name of Local WIB Director: Debra Thomas
Ms. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Other <input type="checkbox"/>		
Name of Board:	Rockland County Workforce Investment Board	

Submittal directions: Complete this form as part of the Plan Modification development process and submit the entire Plan Modification electronically as described earlier in this guidance. Submit this form with original signatures as directed on page 2 of the Instructions.

ATTACHMENT D: UNITS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Where a local area is comprised of multiple counties or jurisdictional areas, provide the names of the individual governmental units and identify the grant recipient.

Unit of Local Government	Grant Recipient	
	Yes	No
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

ATTACHMENT E: FISCAL AGENT/GRANT SUBRECIPIENT

*Identify the Fiscal Agent or a Grant Recipient to assist in the administration of grant funds.
Provide the names of the agent and/or subrecipient.*

Entity	Fiscal Agent	
	Yes	No
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Entity	Grant Subrecipient	
	Yes	No
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

ATTACHMENT F: ONE STOP OPERATOR INFORMATION

Complete the following information for each locally certified One Stop Operator in your Workforce Investment Area.

OPERATOR:	
<i>Method of Selection</i>	<i>Type of Operator</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Consortium <input type="checkbox"/> Competitive Bid	<input type="checkbox"/> System <input type="checkbox"/> Center(s)
Operator Address:	
Operator Phone:	
E-Mail:	

Attach a list of all One Stop centers overseen by this Operator and include for *each* center:

- Name/Address/Phone of Center(s)
- Identify Full-Service or Certified Affiliate Site
- Identify Partners On-Site and Frequency On-Site (e.g., half day/week; two days/week)
- Identify Center Hours of Operation

OPERATOR CERTIFICATION STATUS

Indicate status of Local Level Operator Recertification:

- Granted
- Application Submitted/Pending LWIB Review
- Application Not Yet Due
- Other (explain)

ATTACHMENT G: FEDERAL AND STATE CERTIFICATIONS

The funding for the awards granted under this contract is provided by either the United States Department of Labor or the United States Department of Health and Human Services which requires the following certifications:

A. CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION-LOWER TIER COVERED TRANSACTIONS

1. The prospective lower tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.
2. Where the prospective lower tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statement in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

B. CERTIFICATION REGARDING LOBBYING - Certification for Contracts, Grants, Loans, and Cooperative Agreements

By accepting this grant, the signee hereby certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative agreement.
2. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form - LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
3. The signer shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly. This certification is a material representation of facts upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S.C. **Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.**

C. DRUG FREE WORKPLACE. By signing this application, the grantee certifies that it will provide a Drug Free Workplace by implementing the provisions at 29 CFR 98.630, Appendix C,

pertaining to the Drug Free Workplace. In accordance with these provisions, a list of places where performance of work is done in connection with this specific grant will take place must be maintained at your office and available for Federal inspection.

D. NONDISCRIMINATION & EQUAL OPPORTUNITY ASSURANCE:

For contracts funded by the U.S. Department of Labor

As a condition to the award of financial assistance from the Department of Labor under Title I of WIA, the grant applicant assures that it will comply fully with the nondiscrimination and equal opportunity provisions of the following laws:

- (1) Section 188 of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 (WIA) which prohibits discrimination against all individuals in the United States on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age disability, political affiliation, or belief, and against beneficiaries on the basis of either citizenship/status as a lawfully admitted immigrant authorized to work in the United States or participation in any WIA Title I - financially assisted program or activity;
- (2) Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended which prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, and national origin;
- (3) Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, which prohibits discrimination against qualified individuals with disabilities;
- (4) The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended, which prohibits discrimination on the basis of age; and
- (5) Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended, which prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex in educational programs.

The grant applicant also assures that it will comply with 29 CFR Part 37 and all other regulations implementing the laws listed above. This assurance applies to the grant applicant's operation of the WIA Title I - financially assisted program or activity, and to all agreements the grant applicant makes to carry out the WIA Title I-financially assisted program or activity. The grant applicant understands that the United States has the right to seek judicial enforcement of this assurance. For grants serving participants in work activities funded through the Welfare-to-Work block grant programs under Section 407(a) of the Social Security Act, the grant applicant shall comply with 20 CFR 645.255.

For contracts funded by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

As a condition to the award of financial assistance from the Department of Labor under Title IV-A of the Social Security Act, the grant applicant assures that it will comply fully with the nondiscrimination and equal opportunity provisions of the following laws including but not limited to:

- (1) Title VI of the Civil rights Act of 1964(P.L. 88-352) and Executive Order Number 11246 as amended by E.O. 11375 relating to Equal Employment Opportunity which prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color or national origin;

(2) Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, and the regulations issued pursuant thereto contained in 45 CFR Part 84 entitled "Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Handicap in Programs and Activities Reviewing or Benefiting from Federal Financial Assistance" which prohibit discrimination against qualified individuals with disabilities;

(3) The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended, and the regulations at 45 CFR Part 90 entitled "Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Age in Programs and Activities Reviewing Federal Financial Assistance", which prohibits discrimination on the basis of age;

(4) Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended, which prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex in educational programs; and

(5) The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990, 42 U.S.C. Section 12116, and regulations issued by the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission which implement the employment provisions of the ADA, set forth at 29 CFR Part 1630.

The grant applicant also assures that it will comply with 45 CFR Part 80 and all other regulations implementing the laws listed above. The grant applicant understands that the United States has the right to seek judicial enforcement of this assurance.

STATE CERTIFICATIONS

E. CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY, AND OUTSTANDING DEBTS

The undersigned, as a duly sworn representative of the contractor/vendor, hereby attests and certifies that:

- 1) No principle or executive officer of the contractor's/vendor's company, its subcontractor(s) and/or successor(s) is presently suspended or debarred; and
- 2) The contractor/vendor, its subcontractor(s) and/or its successor(s) is not ineligible to submit a bid on, or be awarded, any public work contract or sub-contract with the State, any municipal corporation or public body for reason of debarment for failure to pay the prevailing rate of wages, or to provide supplements, in accordance with Article 8 of the New York State Labor Law.
- 3) The contractor/vendor, its subcontractor(s) and/or its successor do not have any outstanding debts owed to the Department, including but not limited to, contractual obligations, fines related to Safety and Health violations, payments owed to workers for public works projects or the general provisions of the Labor Law, unemployment insurance contributions or other related assessments, penalties or charges.

F. CERTIFICATION REGARDING "NONDISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT IN NORTHERN IRELAND: MacBRIDE FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRINCIPLES"

In accordance with Chapter 807 of the Laws of 1992 the bidder, by submission of this bid, certifies that it or any individual or legal entity in which the bidder holds a 10% or greater ownership

interest, or any individual or legal entity that holds a 10% or greater ownership interest in the bidder, either:

(answer Yes or No to one or both of the following, as applicable.)

1. Has business operations in Northern Ireland:

_____ Yes _____ No

If Yes:

2. Shall take lawful steps in good faith to conduct any business operations they have in Northern Ireland in accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles relating to nondiscrimination in employment and freedom of workplace opportunity regarding such operations in Northern Ireland, and shall permit independent monitoring of its compliance with such Principles.

_____ Yes _____ No

G. NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION

By submission of this bid, each bidder and each person signing on behalf of any bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of his or her knowledge and belief:

1. The prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, consultation, communication, or agreement, for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other bidder or with any competitor;
2. Unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor; and
3. No attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit to bid for the purpose of restricting competition.

I, the undersigned, attest under penalty of perjury that I am an authorized representative of the Bidder/Contractor and that the foregoing statements are true and accurate.

Signature of Authorized Representative:
Title:
Date:

ATTACHMENT H: TRAINING SUPPORT ANALYSIS FORM:

NEEDS-RELATED PAYMENTS

Please note that a "no" response to questions 1 through 3 disqualifies you for needs-related payments (NRP).

1. Are you unemployed or have you received notification of layoff?
 Yes No

2. Have you ceased to qualify for UI benefits or Trade Readjustment Allowances (TRA)?
 Yes No

3. Are you currently maintaining satisfactory progress in training? Attach most recent grades.
 Yes No

Please note that a "yes" response to questions 4 and 5 disqualifies you for needs-related payments (NRP).

4. Are you currently participating in a work experience, On-the-Job Training (OJT) or work study?
 Yes No

5. Do you intend to claim any type of unemployment insurance benefits or receive any payments for work or vacation?
 Yes No

6. Do you need income support beyond your "other resources" available in order to participate in training? Examples of other resources include but are not limited to severance pay, TANF, other family income (spouse's income), etc.
 Yes No

If yes, explain:

Needs-Related Payments are not intended to provide the entire amount of income support you may need to complete your training. These payments are made to temporarily help you while making satisfactory progress during your participation in full-time training. Needs-Related Payments are subject to your on-going eligibility for the program and funding availability.

All answers and statements are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that untruthful or misleading answers may cause my determination to be rejected. I further understand that any payments made based on such statements may require Needs-Related Payments provided to be returned.

Participant Signature: _____

Date: _____

ATTACHMENT I: PRIORITY OF SERVICE SAMPLE POLICIES

**LOCAL WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD
POLICY ISSUANCE NUMBER:**

TO: All One-Stop Career Center Staff and Providers

SUBJECT: Priority of Service for Recipients of Public Assistance & Other Low-Income Individuals under the Recovery Act WIA Adult Funding Stream

ISSUANCE DATE: XXXXXX

EFFECTIVE DATE: XXXXXX

EXPIRATION DATE: XXXXXX

Purpose: To issue priority of service policy for adults who are recipients of public assistance and other low-income individuals who require intensive and training services under the Recovery Act WIA Adult funding stream.

Background: The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (The Recovery Act) signed by President Obama on February 17, 2009 is intended to preserve and create jobs, promote the nation's economic recovery, and to assist those most impacted by the recession. On March 18, 2009, the United States Department of Labor's, Employment and Training Administration released guidance (Training & Employment Guidance Letter No. 14-8) for implementing Workforce Investment Act and Wagner-Peyser Act funding under the Recovery Act. The Recovery Act contains several provisions designed to target services to certain populations. One such provision mandates that priority of service must be enacted for recipients of public assistance and other low-income individuals who receive intensive and training services under the WIA Adult funding stream.

Policy: The local workforce investment board should craft language that provides clear direction to successfully ensure priority of service is provided for intensive and training services under Recovery Act WIA Adult to recipients of public assistance and low-income individuals. Points to consider are:

1. What defines a low-income individual?
2. What criteria will be used to differentiate between Recovery WIA Adult and non-Recovery WIA Adult funds? (Depending on local policy, Priority of Service may not be mandatory when services are provided with non-Recovery WIA Adult funds).
3. What criteria will be used to designate a priority customer?
4. What monitoring criteria will be enacted to ensure federal requirements are being successfully implemented?

Inquiries: Please direct any questions to XXXXXXXX.

Chair LWIB or Chief Elected Official

Date

**LOCAL WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD
POLICY ISSUANCE NUMBER:**

TO: All One-Stop Career Center Staff and Providers

SUBJECT: Veterans Priority of Service

ISSUANCE DATE: XXXXXX

EFFECTIVE DATE: XXXXXX

EXPIRATION DATE: XXXXXX

Purpose: The purpose of this policy is to implement veterans’ priority of service as mandated in Federal regulation (Final Rule, 20CFR Part 1010) that went into effect on January 19, 2009.

Background: The Jobs for Veterans Act, enacted into Public Law 107-288 on November 7, 2002 made a number of amendments to encourage military veterans’ access to services within an integrated one-stop service delivery system. One such amendment creates a priority of service for veterans (and some spouses) “who otherwise meet the eligibility requirements for participation” in DOL training programs. As mandated in Federal regulation, One-Stop Career Centers are required to implement priority of service and will need to have clear strategies for providing veterans and eligible spouses of veterans with quality service at every phase of services offered.

Policy: The local workforce investment board should craft language that provides clear direction to successfully ensure priority of service is provided to Veterans. Points to consider are:

1. What defines a veteran, eligible veteran, covered person, eligible spouse, qualified job training program?
2. What procedures are in place to ensure signage is properly displayed?
3. What procedures are in place to identify covered persons who physically access or virtually access service delivery points?
4. What outreach strategies (if any) will be incorporated in local policy?
5. What website design policy will be implemented?
6. What procedures are in place to ensure the revision of all contract templates, RFP and sub-agreement language to include priority of service language?
7. What customer flow process will be implemented to make use of DVOPs and LVERs?
8. What modifications to Functional Alignment (if any) will be made to enhance implementation of priority of service?
9. What procedures are in place to ensure all impacted staff are made aware of and assist in the implementation of priority of service?

Inquiries: Please direct any questions to XXXXXXXX.

Chair LWIB or Chief Elected Official

Date

ATTACHMENT J: PY 2008 PARTICIPANT TRAINING DATA

ACTIVE CUSTOMERS WITH ACTIVE SERVICES FROM JULY 1, 2008 - APRIL 30, 2009		PY08 12-month Projection (added 20% to original numbers)							
WIB	FUND	TRNG	ITA	OJT	SKLUP	ENT	AED	CUST	OCC
Albany/Rensselaer/Schenectady Counties	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	448	428	14	56	0	31	25	320
Albany/Rensselaer/Schenectady Counties	WIA Adult Local	410	389	19	120	0	13	0	258
Albany/Rensselaer/Schenectady Counties	OOSY	19	0	0	1	0	0	0	18
Albany/Rensselaer/Schenectady Counties	ISY	37	0	0	35	0	0	0	2
Allegany/Cattaraugus Counties	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	94	76	17	0	0	4	0	73
Allegany/Cattaraugus Counties	WIA Adult Local	253	170	80	0	0	0	0	173
Allegany/Cattaraugus Counties	OOSY	34	0	5	0	0	0	0	29
Allegany/Cattaraugus Counties	ISY	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Broome/Tioga Counties	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	449	248	56	0	0	1	0	391
Broome/Tioga Counties	WIA Adult Local	920	623	86	8	0	0	0	826
Broome/Tioga Counties	OOSY	54	0	0	0	0	0	0	54
Broome/Tioga Counties	ISY	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Cayuga/Cortland Counties	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	91	86	2	0	0	0	0	89
Cayuga/Cortland Counties	WIA Adult Local	120	97	1	12	0	0	0	107
Cayuga/Cortland Counties	OOSY	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Cayuga/Cortland Counties	ISY	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Chautauqua County	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	102	100	0	0	0	1	0	101
Chautauqua County	WIA Adult Local	143	61	0	1	0	0	79	62
Chautauqua County	OOSY	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Chautauqua County	ISY	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Chemung/Schuylers/Steuben Counties	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	218	72	47	6	0	0	0	166
Chemung/Schuylers/Steuben Counties	WIA Adult Local	976	24	449	70	0	0	328	130
Chemung/Schuylers/Steuben Counties	OOSY	58	0	0	5	0	0	0	53
Chemung/Schuylers/Steuben Counties	ISY	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
Chenango/Delaware/Otsego Counties	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	94	76	8	5	0	4	0	77
Chenango/Delaware/Otsego Counties	WIA Adult Local	162	95	22	1	0	1	43	95

ACTIVE CUSTOMERS WITH ACTIVE SERVICES FROM JULY 1, 2008 - APRIL 30, 2009		PY08 12-month Projection (added 20% to original numbers)							
WIB	FUND	TRNG	ITA	OJT	SKLUP	ENT	AED	CUST	OCC
Chenango/Delaware/Otsego Counties	OOSY	14	0	2	0	0	0	0	12
Clinton/Essex/Franklin/Hamilton	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	32	13	18	0	0	0	0	14
Clinton/Essex/Franklin/Hamilton	WIA Adult Local	128	85	38	2	0	0	0	88
Clinton/Essex/Franklin/Hamilton	OOSY	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Columbia/Greene Counties	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	83	72	2	0	0	18	0	62
Columbia/Greene Counties	WIA Adult Local	78	48	1	0	0	13	26	37
Dutchess County	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	125	119	6	0	5	1	0	113
Dutchess County	WIA Adult Local	98	94	5	0	5	2	0	86
Dutchess County	OOSY	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
Dutchess County	ISY	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Erie County	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	671	403	236	11	0	1	4	419
Erie County	WIA Adult Local	704	497	98	44	0	0	59	503
Erie County	OOSY	8	0	0	0	1	0	0	7
Erie County	ISY	65	0	0	0	55	0	0	10
FINGER LAKES - Ontario/Seneca/Wayne/Yates	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	120	104	13	1	0	0	0	106
FINGER LAKES - Ontario/Seneca/Wayne/Yates	WIA Adult Local	257	164	52	24	0	0	5	176
FINGER LAKES - Ontario/Seneca/Wayne/Yates	OOSY	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
FINGER LAKES - Ontario/Seneca/Wayne/Yates	ISY	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Fulton/Montgomery/Schoharie Counties	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	72	54	14	0	0	18	0	40
Fulton/Montgomery/Schoharie Counties	WIA Adult Local	312	73	0	1	0	14	234	62
GLOW -Genesee/Orleans/Livingston/Wyoming	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	156	145	11	0	0	1	0	144
GLOW -Genesee/Orleans/Livingston/Wyoming	WIA Adult Local	348	253	44	0	0	31	41	232
GLOW -Genesee/Orleans/Livingston/Wyoming	OOSY	24	0	0	1	0	0	0	23
Hempstead/Long Beach	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	373	251	1	6	0	12	0	354
Hempstead/Long Beach	WIA Adult Local	108	94	1	2	0	0	1	103

ACTIVE CUSTOMERS WITH ACTIVE SERVICES FROM JULY 1, 2008 - APRIL 30, 2009		PY08 12-month Projection (added 20% to original numbers)							
WIB	FUND	TRNG	ITA	OJT	SKLUP	ENT	AED	CUST	OCC
Jefferson/Lewis Counties	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	62	44	18	0	0	23	0	22
Jefferson/Lewis Counties	WIA Adult Local	158	110	46	1	0	37	0	74
Monroe County	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	288	252	2	29	0	2	1	253
Monroe County	WIA Adult Local	671	443	5	206	0	4	11	445
Monroe County	OOSY	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	100
Monroe County	ISY	203	0	0	0	0	0	0	203
New York City	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	1282	1278	0	0	0	38	2	1241
New York City	WIA Adult Local	3708	2918	98	0	0	59	712	2839
New York City	OOSY	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
New York City	ISY	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Niagara County	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	132	118	6	0	0	0	0	126
Niagara County	WIA Adult Local	168	151	8	1	0	0	1	157
Niagara County	OOSY	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
Niagara County	ISY	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
NYS DOL - CO	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Oneida/Herkimer/Madison Counties	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	270	194	76	0	0	6	4	185
Oneida/Herkimer/Madison Counties	WIA Adult Local	391	114	142	1	0	1	106	142
Oneida/Herkimer/Madison Counties	OOSY	34	0	8	0	0	0	13	12
Oneida/Herkimer/Madison Counties	ISY	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	4
Onondaga County	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	254	242	8	0	0	20	0	226
Onondaga County	WIA Adult Local	301	176	25	0	0	28	102	146
Onondaga County	OOSY	29	0	1	0	0	0	0	28
Onondaga County	ISY	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Orange County	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	176	166	11	0	0	0	0	166
Orange County	WIA Adult Local	142	124	14	1	0	0	0	126
Oswego County	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	107	92	13	0	0	0	0	94
Oswego County	WIA Adult Local	232	113	48	26	0	2	31	124

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WIB	FUND	TRNG	ITA	OJT	SKLUP	ENT	AED	CUST	OCC
Oswego County	OOSY	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	25
Oswego County	ISY	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Oyster Bay/North Hempstead/Glen Cove	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	577	222	0	4	0	1	0	572
Oyster Bay/North Hempstead/Glen Cove	WIA Adult Local	186	119	0	0	0	1	0	185
Oyster Bay/North Hempstead/Glen Cove	OOSY	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Putnam/Westchester Bal.	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	224	212	0	12	0	1	0	211
Putnam/Westchester Bal.	WIA Adult Local	179	176	0	4	0	0	0	175
Putnam/Westchester Bal.	OOSY	49	0	1	0	0	0	0	48
Putnam/Westchester Bal.	ISY	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Rockland County	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	46	42	0	1	0	1	1	42
Rockland County	WIA Adult Local	38	32	0	0	0	2	2	34
Rockland County	OOSY	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	25
Rockland County	ISY	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	30
Saratoga/Warren/Washington Counties	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	26	24	1	1	0	1	0	23
Saratoga/Warren/Washington Counties	WIA Adult Local	74	66	1	4	0	4	0	66
St. Lawrence County	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	120	90	17	1	0	0	0	102
St. Lawrence County	WIA Adult Local	263	203	31	4	0	0	0	228
St. Lawrence County	OOSY	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
St. Lawrence County	ISY	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Suffolk County	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	953	937	0	5	0	4	0	944
Suffolk County	WIA Adult Local	961	959	0	7	0	78	0	876
Suffolk County	OOSY	53	0	1	0	0	0	0	52
Suffolk County	ISY	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
Sullivan County	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	34	19	5	0	0	13	0	16
Sullivan County	WIA Adult Local	43	40	5	0	0	0	0	38
Sullivan County	OOSY	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Sullivan County	ISY	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Tompkins County	WIA Dislocated Worker	42	41	0	1	4	0	0	37

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WIB	FUND	TRNG	ITA	OJT	SKLUP	ENT	AED	CUST	OCC
	Local								
Tompkins County	WIA Adult Local	55	53	2	5	1	0	0	47
Ulster County	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	74	71	0	0	0	5	0	70
Ulster County	WIA Adult Local	154	150	4	0	0	0	0	150
Ulster County	OOSY	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	29
Ulster County	ISY	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Yonkers City of	WIA Dislocated Worker Local	49	47	1	0	0	0	1	47
Yonkers City of	WIA Adult Local	73	62	7	0	0	5	0	61
Yonkers City of	OOSY	59	0	0	0	0	0	0	59
Yonkers City of	ISY	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	14