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TO: All WIA Subrecipients 
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SUBJECT: PY 2009 Youth in Need Allocation

Section 129 of the WIA sets aside a specified portion of each State's youth allocation for statewide activities, with a mandatory activity of "providing additional assistance to local areas that have high concentrations of eligible youth to carry out the activities described in the Act". The State's strategy for providing additional assistance to local areas is as follows:

A pool of \$100,000 is being made available in PY 2009 to local areas for youth services. Half of these funds will be divided among those regions whose poverty rates for youth exceed the state average, based on the most recent data available, and the other half will be shared equally among those regions that will (a) experience allocation reductions in PY 2009 and (b) expend at least 80% of their PY 2008 fund availability.

Youth In Need Allocations for PY 2009:

Region 1	\$22,500
Region 2	\$22,500
Region 3	\$0
Region 4	\$22,500
Region 5	\$22,500
Region 6	\$10,000

Documentation of regional poverty rates for youth, allocation reductions and PY 2008 expenditures follow.

If you have any questions regarding these allocations, please contact Jeanie Irvine at (208) 332-3570 extension 3323.

Youth In Need Allocation Documentation

1. Poverty Rates

	Population < 18 years	< 18 years in Poverty	Rate	Local Rate > State?	#1 YIN Awards
Region 1	51,367	8,631	16.8%	yes	\$ 12,500
Region 2	23,179	3,610	15.6%	yes	\$ 12,500
Region 3	191,107	25,910	13.6%	no	\$ -
Region 4	50,197	8,759	17.4%	yes	\$ 12,500
Region 5	49,284	8,703	17.7%	yes	\$ 12,500
Region 6	63,214	9,165	14.5%	no	\$ -
State	428,347	64,777	15.1%		

2. PY 2009 Allocation Reduction / Prior PY Expenditure Rate

	PY '08 Funds	PY '09 Funds	(a) Allocation Reduction?	Expended Rate PY '08	(b) 80% Expended?	#2 YIN Awards
Region 1	\$576,674	\$537,112	yes	91%	yes	\$ 10,000
Region 2	\$400,868	\$316,209	yes	89%	yes	\$ 10,000
Region 3	\$535,205	\$684,703	no	91%	yes	\$ -
Region 4	\$151,664	\$143,346	yes	97%	yes	\$ 10,000
Region 5	\$113,894	\$106,111	yes	109%	yes	\$ 10,000
Region 6	\$168,602	\$141,802	yes	89%	yes	\$ 10,000

*If no for either (a) or (b), drop from the equation