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 TO: All WIA Subrecipients
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 SUBJECT: Reallocation of Program Year 2014 Rapid Response Funds

Due to a high demand for WIA Adult services across the state, and consistent with funding allocation administration requirements, a transfer of \$500,000 from Rapid Response to the Dislocated Worker program, and ultimately to the Adult program, was approved by the Workforce Development Council January 8, 2015. Region 3 provided \$126,000 of their initial Rapid Response fund allocation back to the Rapid Response fund pool for this \$500,000 transfer.

Subsequent to this initial transfer, additional Rapid Response funds are needed in Regions 2 and 6 to cover costs of recent layoffs with multiple employers in Region 2 and Thompson Creek Mine in Region 6. The amount of \$20,000 is transferring to Region 2 from Region 3 and \$50,000 is transferring to Region 6 from Region 3. Rapid Response funds will be utilized for participant costs in excess of the areas' base dislocated worker allocations.

Rapid Response fund allocations are effective January 8, 2015 as indicated below:

RAPID RESPONSE FUNDS	Total Allocation
Region	
1	\$ 350,000
2	\$ 120,000
3	\$ 154,000
4	\$ 175,000
5	\$ 15,000
6	\$ 179,000
TOTAL	\$ 993,000

Questions regarding Rapid Response allocations may be directed to Gail Richardson at (208) 332-3570, ext. 4155.