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Acting Commissioner

06/16/2026

Mr. Pat Lepore, Commissioner Director
Passaic County
Administration Building 401 Grand Street
Paterson, NJ 07505-2027

RE: Notice of Award - Program Year 2026/State Fiscal Year 2027 - Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act Adult and Dislocated Worker Allotments

Dear Mr. Lepore:

I am pleased to announce that the U.S. Department of Labor (USDOL) has provided Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) allotments for Program Year 2026/State Fiscal Year 2027. The period of performance for this allocation is July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2028. The enclosed Notice of Award (NOA) reflects the allocation of the Adult and Dislocated Worker funds for your Workforce Development Area. Final determination of the allocation for Adult and Dislocated Worker funding is contingent upon authorization and availability from the USDOL.

These funds must be used in accordance with the strategies and priorities laid out in New Jersey's Combined State Plan for WIOA, as well as additional regional and local workforce plans relevant to your Local Workforce Development Board. As WIOA legislation allows up to 10% of these funds to be used for administrative purposes to support the administrative activities of the Local Workforce Development Area. We recommend setting aside a proportionate amount of your allocation for this purpose.

All funds must be fully expended by June 30, 2028 or returned to the state. NJDOL is requesting that all Local Workforce Development Areas follow First In First Out (FIFO) accounting practices for spending down WIOA funding. Because WIOA offers two years of funding simultaneously, Program Year 2025/State Fiscal Year 2026 funds must be expended before expending Program Year 2026/State Fiscal Year 2027 funds.

If you have any questions regarding the issuance of this NOA, please contact Kendra Lee, Assistant Director at Kendra.Lee@dol.nj.gov.

Sincerely,

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NOTICE OF AWARD**

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This Notice of Award provides funding authority for the program(s) shown below for Program Year 2026/State Fiscal Year 2027. The period of performance for this allocation is July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2028. All funds must be fully expended by June 30, 2028 or returned to the state. Final determination of the allocation for Adult and Dislocated Worker funding is contingent upon authorization and availability from the USDOL.

Passaic County - WIOA Adult	
Program	Allocation
WIOA Adult July	\$386,536
WIOA Adult October	\$1,705,724
Total	\$2,092,260
Passaic County - WIOA Dislocated Worker	
Program	Allocation
WIOA Dislocated Worker July	\$427,100
WIOA Dislocated Worker October	\$1,559,130
Total	\$1,986,230

Authorized Signature: _____

Kevin D. Jarvis

Date Signed: 06/16/2026

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RE: Notice of Award - Program Year 2026/State Fiscal Year 2027- Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act Youth Allotments

Dear Mr. Lepore:

I am pleased to announce that the U.S. Department of Labor (USDOL) has provided Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) allotments for Program Year 2026/State Fiscal Year 2027. The period of performance for this allocation is July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2028. The enclosed Notice of Award (NOA) reflects the allocation of the Youth funds for your Workforce Development Area. Final determination of the allocation for Youth funding is contingent upon authorization and availability from the USDOL.

These funds must be used in accordance with the strategies and priorities laid out in New Jersey's Combined State Plan for WIOA, as well as additional regional and local workforce plans relevant to your Local Workforce Development Board. WIOA legislation allows up to 10% of these funds to be used for administrative purposes to support the administrative activities of the Local Workforce Development Area. We recommend setting aside a proportionate amount of your allocation for this purpose.

All funds must be fully expended by June 30, 2028 or returned to the state. NJDOL is requesting that all Local Workforce Development Areas follow First In First Out (FIFO) accounting practices for spending down WIOA funding. Because WIOA offers two years of funding simultaneously, Program Year 2025/State Fiscal Year 2026 funds must be expended before expending Program Year 2026/State Fiscal Year 2027 funds.

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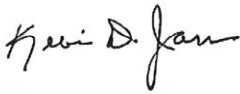
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Passaic County - WIOA Youth	
Program	Allocation
WIOA Youth	\$2,235,622
Total	\$2,235,622

Authorized Signature:  Date Signed: 06/16/2026

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