

California Clean Energy Workforce Training Program Forum

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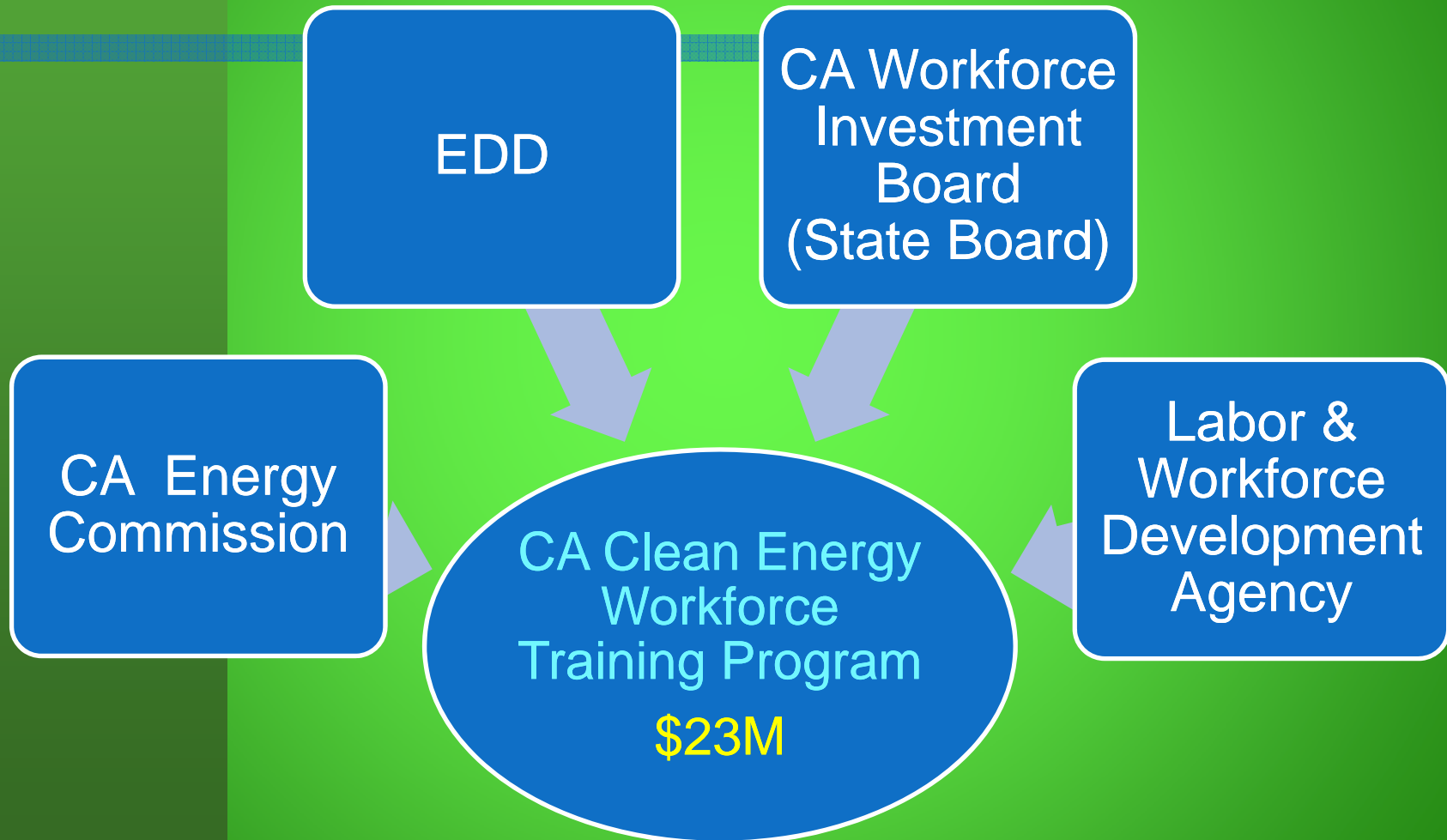
Los Angeles County Workforce
Investment Board



California Green Collar Jobs Act (AB 3018)

- **“The California Workforce Investment Board shall adopt a *Sector Strategy* approach in responding to industry sector workforce and economic development needs. This strategy will ensure industry has a qualified workforce and can offer opportunities for employment, training, and career advancement for all Californians.”**

Overview



Why a Sector Approach?

State

- Establish a policy framework
- Support and leverage regional sector initiatives

Regional

- Focus on employer needs within a targeted industry
- Create and facilitate access to career ladders
- Reduce barriers to employment
- Develop industry specific, data driven strategies to strengthen and promote regional economic growth
- Engage education, economic and workforce development entities to strengthen and promote regional economic growth

The Program Goal



- To use industry sector strategies to advance the growth and progress of local workforce development training programs and regional partnerships that focus on:
 - ❖ Energy Efficiency
 - ❖ Water Efficiency
 - ❖ Renewable Energy
 - ❖ Alternative and Renewable Transportation Technologies

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Funding Streams

- American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA)
- State Energy program
- Workforce Investment Act
- Governor's Discretionary 15 Percent Funds
- AB 118 Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Program Funds

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Estimated Funding Availability

- *Categories 1 and 2*

- \$14.5M in Energy Commission SEP funds,
- \$4M in EDD Recovery Act WIA Governor's 15 Percent Discretionary Funds
- **Maximum total award per grantee \$1M**

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Estimated Funding Availability

- **Category 3**

- \$3.8M in Energy Commission Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle technologies program Funds (AB118),
- \$1M in EDD Recovery Act WIA Governor's 15 Percent Discretionary Funds
- **Maximum total award per grantee \$500k**

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Program Categories

Category 1



- ***Green Building or Clean Energy Retraining Partnerships***

Proposals will be accepted from one of two lead agencies:

- 1) Local Workforce Investment Boards (LWIB),**
- 2) Community College Districts or local Community Colleges (Community College)**

The lead applicant is required to demonstrate a partnership with an LWIB or Community College (whichever is not the lead).

Category 2



- ***Green Building or Clean Energy Pre-Apprenticeship Training Partnerships***
Proposals will be accepted from one of two lead agencies:
 - 1) **LWIB,**
 - 2) **Community College Districts or local Community Colleges**

The lead applicant is required to demonstrate a partnership with an LWIB or Community College (whichever is not the lead).

Category 3



Alternative & Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technologies Workforce Development and Training Partnerships

Proposals will be accepted from Local Workforce Investment Boards. The applicant will be required to demonstrate a partnership with at least one training provider and one employer.

Regional Partnership



- *Los Angeles County WIB*
- *Los Angeles Community College District*
- *South Bay WIB*
- *Green Jobs Coalition*
- *Los Angeles County Internal Services Department*
- *Los Angeles County Department of Public Works*
- *Others...*

Next Steps



Join the Partnership by **August 26, 2009**, to meet the State's submittal deadline of **September 4, 2009**.

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Questions

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