Employment Development Department
State of California
Workforce Services

INFORMATION NOTICE

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VETERANS' EMPLOYMENT-RELATED ASSISTANCE PROGRAM – SFP

The Employment Development Department (EDD), in coordination with the California Workforce Development Board and the California Labor and Workforce Development Agency, announces the availability of up to $5 million of *Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act* (WIOA) funds in a Veterans' Employment-Related Assistance Program (VEAP) Solicitation for Proposals (SFP).

The goal of this initiative is to promote the use of regional industry-sector strategies as the framework to help unemployed and underemployed veterans with significant barriers to employment transition from military careers to rewarding civilian employment.

Eligible applicants include public and private non-profit organizations, private for-profit organizations, Local Workforce Development Areas (Local Area), education and training providers, Non-local areas, and faith-based organizations. Individuals are not eligible to apply. Organizations that were awarded VEAP Program Year (PY) 2015/16 funds are not eligible to apply for VEAP PY 2016/17.

Proposal applications must be received no later than **Friday, March 3, 2017,** before 3 p.m. PST. Questions regarding the SFP will be accepted until Monday, February 06, 2017. Questions can be emailed to WSBGrants@edd.ca.gov.

To view this SFP, please visit the Workforce Development SFP webpage.

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