

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE



ACTION ITEM: 1.2

SUBMITTAL DATE: January 18, 2012

SUBJECT: The 2nd Annual Southwest Healthcare Fair Event

RECOMMENDATION: That the Workforce Investment Board (WIB) Executive Committee approves the Southwest Regional Committee’s request for \$1,000 to support the 2nd Annual Southwest Healthcare and Job Fair.

BACKGROUND: Healthcare is one of the five demand industries of the Workforce Investment Board, and as a focal point in securing sustainable jobs for the long term in Riverside County. Healthcare Services grew by 96.9 percent between 1990 and 2011, adding 52,800 jobs. To help promote awareness of the vast career opportunities of this industry, the Southwest Regional Committee of the WIB in partnership with the City of Temecula, Murrieta and Lake Elsinore are hosting a Healthcare and Job Fair. Attendees will receive an array of information about educational and career opportunities in the Healthcare industry.

A Job Fair component has been added this year. Businesses from a variety of industries that have job openings will be recruited to participate in the Job Fair. Staff will offer workshops for job seekers in advance of the Job Fair to assist with preparing for the job fair.

The Healthcare and Job Fair will be held on Tuesday, March 6, 2012, City of Temecula, City Hall in the Conference Center from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., with no cost to the attendees or businesses.

<p>EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE</p> <p>Date: January 18, 2012</p> <p>Approval: Yes/No</p>	<p>BOARD OF SUPERVISORS CONCURRENCE</p> <p>Required: Yes/No</p>
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