



Workforce Issuance

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To: Chief Elected Officials
MassHire Workforce Board Chairs
MassHire Workforce Board Directors
MassHire Career Center Directors
MassHire Fiscal Officers
MassHire DCS Operations Managers

cc: WIOA State Partners

From: Diane Hurley, Acting Director
MassHire Department of Career Services

Date: January 12, 2023

Subject: **Funding Opportunity – DOL Building Pathways to Infrastructure Jobs**

Purpose: To notify MassHire Workforce Boards, MassHire Career Center Operators, and other workforce partners of the Department of Labor's Building Pathways to Infrastructure Jobs Grant Program, funding opportunity, FOA-ETA-23-31, announced January 4th on Grants.gov.

Background: The purpose of the DOL Building Pathways to Infrastructure Jobs Grant Program is to fund public-private partnerships to develop, strengthen, and scale promising and evidence-based training models in H-1B industries and occupations. In order to meet the goals of the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL), this program aims to train job seekers in advanced manufacturing; information technology; and professional, scientific, and technical services occupations that support renewable energy, transportation, and broadband infrastructure sectors.

Funding Opportunity Number: FOA-ETA-23-31

Application Deadline: April 23, 2023

Estimated Total Funding: \$80,000,000

An equal opportunity employer/program.

Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

TDD/TTY 1-800-439-2370 - Voice 1-800-439-0183

Award Range:	\$500,000 - \$5,000,000
Anticipated Number of Awards:	25
Eligible Applicants:	Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations and institutions of higher ed. See FOA for a complete list.

Action

Requested: Please share with managers, staff and partners as appropriate.

Effective: Immediately