



Colorado Workforce
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PY2013 Workforce Information Grants to States

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Mr. David S. Lipnicky
Federal LMI Project Officer
Division of Fiscal Management and Administrative Systems
U.S. Department of Labor, ETA
525 S. Griffin Street, Room 317
Dallas, TX 75202

Dear Mr. Lipnicky,

Please find attached the State of Colorado's annual summary of work funded by the Employment and Training Administration's PY2013 Workforce Information Grants to States.

Funds from this grant enable the Colorado workforce system to provide accurate, timely information on Colorado's state and local economies. During PY2013, these funds allowed the Workforce Development Council, through the Colorado Department of Labor and Employment, Office of Labor Market Information, to incorporate new features and enhancements into customer web tools; analyze and provide information on future demand industries and occupations critical to Colorado's economy; provide updated training programs, tools and materials to workforce system staff and clients, and; develop new user friendly products and maintain currency of existing products to assist Workforce Centers and their customers make critical career decisions.

The Workforce Development Council values the work accomplished by LMI during PY2013. Funding for PY2014 will afford us opportunities to further enhance collaboration and accomplishments to benefit the people of Colorado.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Toya Paynter".

Toya Paynter
Chair
Colorado Workforce Development Council