Grantee:	**International Training Institute for the Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Industry**
Location of Grant Activities:	Michigan, Ohio, Missouri, Illinois, California, New Mexico, and Texas
Areas Affected:	MI: Detroit, Livonia, Ann Arbor, Warren, Wayne; OH: Cleveland, Toledo, Akron, Youngstown; MO: St. Louis; Illinois (E. St. Louis); CA: Los Angeles, Anaheim, Long Beach, Riverside, San Bernardino; NM: Albuquerque, Santa Fe, Las Cruces; TX: El Paso, Lubbock
Auto-Impacted County Being Served:	Wayne (MI), St. Louis (MO), and Los Angeles (CA)
Industries of Focus:	Energy-Efficiency Building Construction and Retrofitting
Highlighted Participants Served:	Unemployed and underemployed individuals, veterans, minority and women
National or Local Grant:	National
Amount:	$ 4,995,188
Key Partnerships:	Sheet Metal Workers International Association (SMWIA) and local affiliate organizations, Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractors National Association (SMACNA) and local affiliate organizations, Joint Apprenticeship Training Center (JATC), and 13 Workforce Investment Boards and One Stop Career Centers
Project Description:	The grantee will prepare the unemployed and incumbent sheet metal workforce for careers in energy efficient building construction, retrofitting, and manufacturing through a series of customized training courses that address the skills gap of the targeted workforce. Training will feature three areas of instruction: 1) Advanced Building Information Modeling (BIM); 2) HVAC Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing (TAB); and, 3) Phenolic Installation.
Proposed Outcomes:	The grantee anticipates that 1,200 sheet metal workers will successfully complete customized training and transition into employment in energy efficient occupations.
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