



Grant Program:	Pathways Out of Poverty
Grantee Name:	It's My Community Initiative
Grantee City/State:	Oklahoma City, OK
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,000,000
Initial Period of Performance:	January 2010 - January 2012
Project Name:	Green Jobs Central Oklahoma
Project Description:	In order to serve the needs of the target population, the grantee will: 1) provide access to workshops addressing communication, anger and stress management; 2) make referrals to assist with mental/physical health challenges, housing, and financial literacy; and 3) provide support services for child care. The grantee will work with training partners to move participants through industry-developed wind energy and recycling technician certification programs and on-the-job training.
Areas Served by Grant:	Northeast Oklahoma City, OK
PUMAs Served:	01301
Auto-Impacted Counties Served:	Oklahoma County, OK
National or Local Grant:	Local
Targeted Industries:	Wind Energy and Recycling
Targeted Credentials:	OK Educational Institution Certificate
Targeted Occupations:	Wind Turbine Construction, Transportation, Turbine Technician, Electrical, Inspection And Maintenance, Recycling Assistants, Recycling Technicians, Recycling Managers and Recycling Drivers
Targeted Populations:	Underemployed individuals and ex-offenders
All Project partners:	Oklahoma Goodwill Industries, The Central Oklahoma Workforce Investment Board, Metro Technology Centers, Oklahoma City Community College, OGE Energy Corp., Roadmasters/SmartWay, INTEGRA Wind Services, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (IBEW), Public Strategies, Inc., Oklahoma Department of Human Services, Oklahoma Department of Corrections, Oklahoma City Capitol Chamber, the City of Oklahoma, and FaithLinks
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	236
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	236
Total number of participants who receive basic education services:	118
Total number of participants who receive supportive services funded by the grant:	236
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	214





Total number of participants who complete education/training activities that receive a degree/certificate:	214
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities that are placed into unsubsidized employment:	190
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities that are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	5
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	75
Other Key Project Deliverables:	N/A
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