



Grantee:	Utility Workers Union of America (UWUA), AFL-CIO
Location of Grant Activities:	New Jersey, Massachusetts, and California
Areas Affected:	New Jersey Counties - Warren, Union, Sussex, Morris, Middlesex, and Bergen; Massachusetts Counties - Suffolk, Norfolk, and Plymouth; California Counties - Los Angeles, San Bernardino, and Riverside
Auto-Impacted County Being Served:	Union and Middlesex (NJ), and Los Angeles (CA)
Industries of Focus:	Energy Efficiency and Clean Energy
Highlighted Participants Served:	Women, minorities, older youth, and incumbent workers
National or Local Grant:	National
Amount:	\$4,993,922
Key Partnerships:	UWUA Power for America Trust; CCORD Community First; Los Angeles Trade-Technical College; Southern California Gas; UWUA New Jersey Council; the Workforce Investment Boards of Union, Essex, Middlesex, Morris, and Sussex Counties, New Jersey; Union County Vocational Technical School; Aspira Inc.; South Coastal Workforce Investment Board, Massachusetts; Greener Resources, LLC; ElectComm Power Services, Inc.; YouthBuild Quincy; Bunker Hill Community College; and One Consumer Voice
Project Description:	The grantee will implement the “Green Skills = Green Jobs” project to provide safety, technical and green skills training to displaced workers, older youth, under-employed workers, and disadvantaged adults. The training will combine support, placement and retention services to enable these workers to secure work-related and industry-recognized credentials to obtain or retain employment as gas, water, or electrical utility workers. Program participants will participate in pre-apprenticeship training programs and in registered apprenticeship programs through State Offices of Apprenticeship.
Proposed Outcomes:	Approximately 672 participants will be trained and placed in green and emerging occupations in the utility industry. The grantee will also develop and register pre-apprenticeship and apprenticeship programs for the utility industry in California, Massachusetts, and New Jersey that can be deployed across the country to create a pipeline of skilled workers prepared for utility careers.



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