

TO: Workforce Investment Board

DATE: 09/14/06

FROM: WIB Staff

For Action

For Information

For Discussion

SUBJECT: Dept of WI/Central Valley Opportunity Center Joint Application

PROPOSED MOTION(S): Information Only

DISCUSSION: On April 26, 2003, the Department of Workforce Investment submitted a joint funding application with Central Valley Opportunity Center (CVOC) for the Dislocated Worker Additional Assistance Project. Merced County LWIA was awarded \$175,000 to provide core, intensive and training services to 35 dislocated workers from five major layoffs—Michael’s Cooperage Co, Toys R Us, Office Max, Unilever and Dole Packaged Frozen Foods. The Dept of WI and CVOC will jointly provide core and intensive services to affected workers.

Training services provided will be based on growth industries, and will be consistent with the vocational aptitudes. Dislocated workers will receive training critical to reentry into gainful employment.

Planned Enrollments:	35
Cost Per Participant:	\$5000.00

The funding was added to Subgrant R692484 as modification number seven for Program Year 2005-06 into grant code 537.

ATTACHMENT(S): N/A