

**TO: Planning, Policy Development and  
Legislation Committee**

**DATE: 9/25/02**

**FROM: WIB Staff**

- For Action**
- For Information**
- Meeting Notes**

**SUBJECT: Request for Funds for the Business Outreach Program**

**PROPOSED MOTION(S): To consider for approval/disapproval a Request for Funds for the Business Outreach Program**

**DISCUSSION: Mr. John Fowler has submitted a Request for Funds to the WIB to fund the Business Outreach Program. He is requesting \$158,062 for a period of 2 years. This program focuses on a countywide effort to retain local businesses; to assist businesses in taking advantage of existing Federal/state incentive programs (i.e. Enterprise Zone, LAMBRA, Recycling Market Development Zone, etc.); to assist businesses in resolving sensitive issues with political jurisdictions; and to encourage business expansions within the County.**

**ATTACHMENT(S): Application for Workforce Investment Board Assistance.**

