

TO: Executive Committee

DATE: 10/02/06

FROM: WIB Staff

For Action

For Information

For Discussion

SUBJECT: Congressman Cardoza letter

PROPOSED MOTION(S): Information only.

DISCUSSION: The California Workforce Association issued an alert concerning House Appropriator's decision to adopt a \$325 million rescission of current WIA funding, or a nearly 10% reduction of funds already distributed to states and local areas. Local Workforce Investment Boards were requested to contact their representatives urging opposition to the proposed rescission.

The attached letter was faxed to Congressman Cardoza's Washington D.C. office on September 25, 2006, and delivered to his Merced office that same afternoon.

ATTACHMENT(S):

Advocacy Letter