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Sent: Monday, October 16, 2023 12:33 PM
To: Virginia Turano
Cc: LI, BWDA-POLICY
Subject: Lackawanna Local Area Plan Modification Submission: Full Approval Notice
Attachments: 2023_1016 WIOA Plan and Review Mod Form_Local Plan_revised.docx

Good afternoon, Virginia.

Well done! Please retain this email for your records as it serves as confirmation that the Department fully accepts Lackawanna's Local Area Plan Modification submission. As referenced in your conditional approval letter, your local plan modification is now fully ratified and full approval will be extended through June 30, 2025. **Please note**, this full approval notice *only* applies to your local area plan modification plan, and does not include the Northeast PA Regional Plan Modification status.

You and your staff are to be commended, again, for your successful efforts.

Administrative Step after Northeast PA's Regional Plan Modification Submission Approval:

After the Northeast PA Regional Plan Modification is fully approved, you will publicly post your conditional approval letter, approved regional plan modification (after L&I confirms full approval status), approved local area plan modification, and supplemental plan information on your local board's website.

Required supplemental plan information includes:

- Attachment 1: Local Area WIOA Title I Performance Accountability template
- Attachment 2: Local Workforce System Organizational Chart model, and
- Attachment 3: Local Workforce Development System Program Partner-Provider List template

Thank you for your commitment to the WIOA plan modification process.

Lastly, as follow up from our chat this morning, the WIOA Plan Review and Modification Form submitted with your local plan modification package was for the regional plan modification. On your behalf, I merged this information with your previously submitted WIOA Plan Review and Modification Form (Local Plan) draft. I'll put the attachment in our files as part of your record.

Please do not hesitate to reach out if you have any questions or need any further assistance.

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Subject: RE: [External] Lackawanna County WIOA Multi-Year Plan Modification - Additional Information

Good morning, Virginia.

This email serves as confirmation that BWDA has received the documents listed in this email. PPCS will add your email below as part of your collected plan review and approval records to satisfy evidence to support your statement re: proof of publication submitted with your Lackawanna County Local Area Plan Modification.

An official status update will be shared as soon as administratively possible.

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Cassandra –
In accordance with your email of September 26, 2023, requesting the submission of additional documents to our Lackawanna County WIOA Local Plan Modification, please find the documents attached to this email. There have been no changes since the original submission of these documents and these are what was shared with the local Board for approval purposes.

Also attached is our signed Lackawanna County WIOA Local Plan Review and Modification Form.

Finally, in regards to the electronic posting of our plans, the Lackawanna County Plan public notice was advertised in the Scranton Times-Tribune (proof of publication notice and billing are attached). As a courtesy, due to their size, we posted the draft plans on both the WDB's as well as PA CareerLink® Lackawanna County and County of Lackawanna websites. We believe the Lackawanna County WDA fulfilled the WIOA requirements for public notice with proof of the paid advertisement in the newspaper. Pages 4 and 5 of the planning guidance state: ***“BWDA will accept the following.....” “If the advertisement was published in the local media, provide: 1) a copy of the advertisement from the news media; and 2) a billing receipt showing dates of the publication.”***

Certainly, should you need any additional documents, we will comply on your request. Thank you for your help in completing this process.

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