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In Control: Ready to Work Meeting

DEPARTMENT: Workforce Development Office

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Michael Ramsey

COUNCIL DISTRICTS IMPACTED: Citywide

SUBJECT:

Briefing to Subcommittee members on the Apprenticeship Building America Grant award for San Antonio.

SUMMARY:

WDO staff will provide the Subcommittee members an overview of the ABA grant award, including preliminary goals and budgets for the grant program.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

WDO staff applied for and won a grant through the U.S. Department of Labor's Apprenticeship Building America program earlier this year. City Council approved the acceptance of the \$2.98 million grant on August 4th.

ISSUE:

The ABA grant will allow for the expansion of apprenticeship programs for Ready to Work participants through Ready to Work pledged employers. WDO staff will need the support of the Subcommittee members to communicate this upcoming opportunity to local employers.

FISCAL IMPACT:

No fiscal impact of this item.

ALTERNATIVES:

This item is for briefing purposes only.

RECOMMENDATION:

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