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SUBJECT: PY 2011 Youth in Need Allocation

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Section 129 of the Workforce Investment Act sets aside a specified portion of each State's youth allocation for statewide activities, with a mandatory activity of "providing additional assistance to local areas that have high concentrations of eligible youth to carry out the activities described in the Act". The State's strategy for providing additional assistance to local areas is as follows:

A pool of \$100,000 is being made available in PY 2011 to local areas for youth services. The following formula was adopted September 14, 2011, by the Workforce Development Council:

1. Half of these funds will be divided among those regions whose poverty rates for youth exceed the state average, based on the most recent data available.
2. The other half will be shared equally among those regions that expend at least 80% of their PY 2010 fund availability.

Youth in Need Allocations for PY 2011:

Region 1	\$12,500
Region 2	\$29,166
Region 3	\$0
Region 4	\$12,500
Region 5	\$29,166
Region 6	\$16,666

Documentation of regional poverty rates for youth and prior program year expenditure rates follow.

If you have any questions regarding these allocations, please contact Jeanie Irvine at (208) 332-3570 extension 3323.

Youth in Need Allocation Documentation

1. Poverty Rates

	Population < 18 years	< 18 years in Poverty	Local Poverty Rate	Local Rate > State?	#1 YIN Awards
Region 1	45,867	9,899	21.6%	yes	\$ 12,500
Region 2	19,223	4,122	21.4%	yes	\$ 12,500
Region 3	174,697	33,267	19.0%	no	\$ -
Region 4	47,995	9,798	20.4%	yes	\$ 12,500
Region 5	45,055	9,121	20.2%	yes	\$ 12,500
Region 6	58,036	10,420	18.0%	no	\$ -
State	390,873	76,627	19.6%		

*must exceed State Poverty Rate of 19.6%

2. PY 2010 (prior PY) Expenditure Rate

	PY 10 Funds	PY 10 Expended	PY 10 Expend Rate	Expend 80%?	#2 YIN Awards
Region 1	\$ 838,692	\$ 615,239	73.4%	no	\$ -
Region 2	\$ 476,687	\$ 384,806	80.7%	yes	\$ 16,666
Region 3	\$1,033,723	\$ 739,312	71.5%	no	\$ -
Region 4	\$ 210,828	\$ 158,238	75.1%	no	\$ -
Region 5	\$ 149,481	\$ 139,934	93.6%	yes	\$ 16,666
Region 6	\$ 193,970	\$ 155,852	80.3%	yes	\$ 16,666

*must expend at least 80% of prior PY fund availability