



# Lake County Illinois

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**Title:** Joint resolution authorizing a professional services agreement with Lake County Partners for business outreach and retention services for Lake County Workforce Development in the amount not to exceed \$75,000.

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Joint resolution authorizing a professional services agreement with Lake County Partners for business outreach and retention services for Lake County Workforce Development in the amount not to exceed \$75,000.

- Funds are budgeted and appropriated for the professional services agreement through Workforce Development grant funding.
- Lake County Workforce Development administers the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Youth grant which funds programs to serve disengaged youth and young adults (ages 16-24) to help the youth along a career pathway.
- Lake County Workforce Development desires to utilize Lake County Partners for a youth-focused business outreach **pilot program** to provide a service delivery strategy that will create meaningful work-based learning opportunities such as internships and work-experiences.
- Lake County Partners will identify Lake County employers in key industry sectors interested in developing opportunities in job shadowing, internship and work experiences for a minimum of 25 youth, with ten different companies throughout Lake County.
- Pursuant to Article 6, Section 102 of the Lake County Purchasing Ordinance, the Purchasing Agent consulted with an ad hoc review group that approved a bid exemption on the basis of an existing long standing, successful relationship.
- The contract authorizes a professional services agreement for an initial pilot program term of March 14, 2017, through September 14, 2017, for a not to exceed cost of \$75,000.

## RESOLUTION

**WHEREAS**, Lake County Workforce Development desires to have Lake County Partner be awarded a contract to do business outreach youth services; and

**WHEREAS**, Lake County Workforce Development has WIOA youth grant funds available for business outreach youth services; and

**WHEREAS**, Lake County Workforce Development desires to utilize Lake County Partners for a youth -focused business outreach pilot program to provide a service delivery strategy that will create meaningful work-based learning opportunities such as internships and work-experiences; and

**WHEREAS**, Lake County Partners will identify Lake County employers in key industry sectors interested in developing opportunities in job shadowing, internship and work experiences for a minimum of 25 youth with ten different companies throughout Lake County; and

**WHEREAS**, Lake County Workforce Development has a long standing successful relationship with Lake County Partners as a business outreach partner; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with Article 6, Section 102 of the Lake County Purchasing Ordinance, the Purchasing Agent consulted with an ad hoc review group that approved a bid exemption on the basis of an existing long standing and successful relationship.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by this Lake County Board, that the Purchasing Agent is authorized to enter into a professional contract with Lake County Partners for business outreach for a Youth Work Experience program in an amount not to exceed \$75,000 in FY2017 to be charged to various Workforce Development accounts.

**DATED** at Waukegan, Illinois, March 14,2017.