

Legislation Text

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Joint resolution accepting the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity (DCEO) Trade Adjustment Assistance grant and approving an emergency appropriation in the amount of \$301,321.08.

- The United States Department of Labor Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) Program provides aid to workers who have become unemployed as a result of increased imports from, or shifts in production to, foreign countries.
- Workforce Development Department delivers reemployment services and programs to assist unemployed workers to prepare for and obtain suitable employment.
- The annual TAA grant covers expenses related to career and occupational training including tuition, supplies, training-related consumables, transportation assistance, and relocation allowances; in addition to expenses associated with facilitation of these payments.
- A total of 24 unemployed workers from 10 TAA events will be served with this grant.
- The grant term is October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2019.

## RESOLUTION

**WHEREAS,** The DCEO has provided a TAA grant totaling \$301,321.08 to the Lake County Workforce Development Department; and,

WHEREAS, this grant is for the program period of October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2019; and

**WHEREAS,** this funding covers expenses related to tuition, supplies, transportation assistance, and payment processing; and

**WHEREAS**, an emergency appropriation of \$301,321.08 is requested to allocate these funds into Workforce Development Department's budget and authorize acceptance of this grant.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** by this County Board of Lake County, Illinois, that an emergency appropriation in the amount of \$301.321.08 for Workforce Development is hereby approved and that the Trade Adjustment Assistance grant modification be accepted.

**DATED** at Waukegan, Illinois, on February 12, 2019.