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TO: Los Angeles Region K-12 Consortium Partners

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SUBJECT: LARC K-12 Strong Workforce Program Round 7 (2024-25) Intent to Award

Dear K-12 SWP Colleagues,

The Los Angeles Regional Consortium (LARC), in partnership with the California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office and California Department of Education, is pleased to formally announce the Round 7 (2024-25) funding awards for the K-12 Strong Workforce Program. This memorandum is a formal notification of the intent to award and of the complete list of all awarded applications.

LARC sincerely thanks and acknowledges the efforts of the Local Education Agencies for their applications and for the Selection Committee Members who worked hard to score and award decisions on schedule. Each funded Lead Agency received formal email notification of the grant award from the NOVA system with instructions for the grantee to accept the award amount. Starting in January 2025, LARC's fiscal agent will contact each Lead Agency receiving funding to request signatures and address any necessary technical work plan updates, including budget amendments required for finalizing the grant agreement. For auditing purposes, Lead Agencies should retain a copy of the fully executed grant agreement, the RFA Specifications, and the K-12 Strong Workforce Program Request for Applications Instructions, Terms and Conditions.

Should your organization be listed as a grant recipient below but did not receive an email notification, please contact Dr. Linda Bermudez (K14 Technical Assistance Provider) at lbermudez7@pasadena.edu or the K-12 SWP helpdesk at K12SWP@cccco.edu.

LA Round 7 K-12 Strong Workforce Timeline

Date	Event
January - March 2025	Consortia initiates the subcontracting process
January 2025	K–12 SWP Round 7 project term begins
January 22, 2025	Round 7 Kick-off Event (Omni- DTLA)
June 30, 2027	K12 SWP project term ends

LA Round 7 (2024-25) K-12 Strong Workforce Awards

Lead Agency	Pathway Improvement Title	Award Amount
ABC Unified School District	ABCUSD: Building Experiences and Supporting Technology 2.0 (BEST 2.0)	$800,000
Alain Leroy Locke College Preparatory Academy	Expanding CTE Pathways at Alain Leroy Locke College Preparatory Academy	$ 709,368
Bassett Unified School District	Career Technology Pathway Expansion Project	$ 800,000
Burbank Unified	LA-25 Burbank USD: Pathway Expansion- GCC	$ 373,030
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California Advancing Pathways for Students in Los Angeles County	Expanding Pathways: Establishing Dual Enrollment and Career Opportunities for Students	$ 837,706
California School of the Arts - San Gabriel Valley	Enhancing the Landscape: Digital Design for the Creative Arts	$ 162,000
Centinela Valley Union High	CTE Access and Success Through Comprehensive Student Supports	$ 750,000
Charter Oak USD	6-14 CTE Pathway Continuum	$ 850,000
Compton USD	Compton Community Health Professions Partnership & Pre-Apprenticeship + Apprenticeship	$ 750,000
Covina-Valley USD	LA-25 C-VUSD: Work based learning and Career exposure opportunities for students	$ 554,663
Culver City USD	Culver City USD: Graphic Design/Digital Media Pathway	$ 242,690
Da Vinci Communications High	Streamlining Trajectories to Regional Industries through Dual Enrollment (STRIDE) Project	$ 900,000
Downey USD	California's Public Sector Career Pathways	$ 1,499,601
Environmental Charter High	Climate Action Pathway	$ 425,000
Environmental Charter High - Gardena	Climate Action Pathway	$ 450,000
Glendale USD	Health Heroes	$ 1,390,002
Glendale USD	Middle School Transitions: Work-Based Learning and Career Exploration	$ 1,399,999
Hacienda La Puente USD	CTE Pathways to Innovation: STEM for Success	$ 524,476
Inglewood USD	Bringing Industry Professionals Into The Classrooms: IUSD Teacher Development Program	$ 626,877
Long Beach USD	LA-25 Long Beach USD: Creating Future-Ready Adults	$ 1,700,000
Los Angeles USD	LA-25 LAUSD: College and Career Exploration Initiative	$ 675,710
Lynwood USD	Pathways to Success Pipeline	$ 571,200
Manhattan Beach USD	Connecting Biotech Pathway to Higher Education and Community Internships	$ 177,252
Norwalk-La Mirada USD	NLM Future Ready: Expanding CTE Pathways for Workforce Success	$ 750,000
Palisades Charter High	Code to College: Elevating Pathways in Computer Science	$ 321,221
Palos Verdes Peninsula USD	Creating Connections: Leveraging Academics to 3 New CTE Pathways	$ 849,945
Pasadena USD	Comprehensive Support for Student Pathway Success	$ 900,000

Lead Agency	Pathway Improvement Title	Award Amount
Port of Los Angeles High	Welding & Skilled Trades Pathways Expansion	$ 433,908
Redondo Beach USD	Navigating Success: Digital Media Exploration and Work-Based Learning	$ 228,900
San Gabriel Valley ROP	Supporting Student Success through Equity and Pathway Enhancement	$ 889,268
Santa Monica-Malibu USD	SMMUSD College & Career Pathway Expansion	$ 296,178
SIATech Academy South	WBL and Postsecondary Transition & Completion for Opportunity Youth	$ 175,000
Southern California ROC	Accelerating Futures: Expanding Health Science & Information and Communications Technology Pathways	$ 736,990
Tri-Cities ROP	AI Literacy Across All Pathways	$ 837,053
Tri-Cities ROP	Enhancing Access Opportunities to Health Science Education	$ 687,653
West Covina USD	Launch of New Patient Care Pathway	$ 340,000

Regards,

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