



**U.S. Department of Labor**  
*Employment and Training  
Administration*



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# Mission and Vision

- Labor Secretary Hilda Solis' vision: *Good Jobs for Everyone*
- ETA provides "high quality job training, employment, labor market information, and income maintenance services primarily through state and local workforce development systems."
- [www.servicelocator.org/onestopcenter.s.asp](http://www.servicelocator.org/onestopcenter.s.asp)

# ETA and Federal Reserve Bank Resources Together

- Both agencies serve **BUSINESSES** and **COMMUNITIES**
  - ETA focuses on developing the *workforce talent* business need;
  - The Federal Reserve helps develop the nation's monetary policy by influencing monetary and credit conditions in the economy largely in pursuit of *maximum employment*
- These resources can work **TOGETHER** as part of a comprehensive strategy

# Examples of Joint Economic and Workforce Development

- LindenPointe Technology, Innovation and Development Center- Hermitage, PA
- \$4.2 million EDA investment
- \$1.25 million State investment
- \$500,000 award from the Wal-mart Foundation
- All started with a \$250,000 Regional Innovation Grant award from DOL/ETA

# National Emergency Grants

- NEGs help workers and communities survive traumatic economic events
- On-The-Job (OJT) Training NEGs offer new opportunities to spur the economy and help dislocated workers and business
- Developing a lay-off aversion strategy is an excellent partnering opportunity

# Other Funding Opportunities

- Upcoming DOL/ETA funding opportunities can be found at: [www.doleta.gov](http://www.doleta.gov)
- Please see your hand-outs for details of upcoming DOL/ETA grant announcements
- Other Federal grants at [www.grants.gov](http://www.grants.gov)

# Questions about funding opportunities?

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