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# Pacific Mountain Workforce Development Council seeks letters of interest for regional business solutions capacity building services

Olympia, February 16, 2024 - The Pacific Mountain Workforce Development Council (PacMtn) is initiating a Request for Information (RFI) to invite Letters of Interest from eligible organizations for the provision of Regional Business Solutions Capacity Building services.

PacMtn invites eligible organizations to submit letters of interest for the funding of a minimum of two business association consortiums for a 15-month period spanning from April 1, 2024, to June 30, 2025.

A total funding pool of \$950,000 is available to support the following objectives:

- 1. Increase local Business Solution Navigator capacity
- 2. Coordinate local and support regional career exploration events
- 3. Strengthen local business association capabilities to support non-Englishspeaking business owners
- 4. Measure economic impact resulting from regional EcSA investments

#### Key Details:

Question Period: Questions will be accepted until Thursday, February 29, 2024, at 4:00 PM PST. Please direct inquiries to <u>contracts@pacmtn.org</u>.

Virtual Information Session: An informational session will be conducted via <u>Microsoft Teams</u> on Friday, February 23, 2024, from 9:30 to 10:30 AM PST.

Application Process: Interested parties may access the full RFI and review terms and conditions <a href="https://pacmtn.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/EcSA-Biz-Engagement RFI.pdf">https://pacmtn.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/02/EcSA-Biz-Engagement RFI.pdf</a>. Letters of Interest must be submitted no later than Sunday, March 3, 2024, by 11:59 PM PST.

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## About Pacific Mountain Workforce Development (PacMtn)

PacMtn is a nonprofit organization that is the recognized convener of regional workforce development efforts. The PacMtn Board of Directors, PacMtn elected Official Consortium, and all staff are dedicated to the development of a workforce system that supports business, industry, and all levels of employers and job seekers. PacMtn oversees the regional network of American Job Centers, called WorkSource, which houses the demand-driven and integrated system of partners dedicated to developing community prosperity, one job seeker and one employer at a time.