

MONTEREY COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

March 9, 2015

Joyce Aldrich, WIB Director Monterey County Workforce Investment Board 730 La Guardia Street Salinas, California 93901

Re: Pre-Release Specialized American Job Centers (AJCs) CFDA 17.270 Letter of Commitment

Dear Ms. Aldrich:

The Monterey County Sheriff's Office, is pleased to partner with the Workforce Investment Board in a collaborative effort to establish a Pre-Release specialized American Job Center in Salinas, California.

The purpose of this letter is to demonstrate our commitment to the satellite job center program and outline the level of in-kind contributions we can provide as a partner of your grant. We are willing to assist in the planning, development, and implementation of your project where appropriate with the following:

Monterey County Sheriff's Office will help to assist the Workforce Investment Board of the Monterey County and their partners in support of this grant, the Monterey County Sheriff's Office will help provide any information necessary to help assist in writing the grant. The Corrections Program Manager will be the liaison for the Sheriff's Office for this joint project, and will help facilitate any information needed, or questions that may arise when it's time to implement this project at the Monterey County Jail.

Upon successful award of the grant proposal, the Monterey County Sheriff's Office will collaborate with and participate in the development and implementation of the jail based center to transition offenders to the local comprehensive Job Center for a continuum of services and connections to employers or training opportunities upon their release. The Sheriff's Office will work with the Workforce Investment Board to develop an Interagency Memorandum of Understanding outlining each of our roles under this much needed program within our County Jail system.

We look forward to joining you as your partner in this important endeavor to address the employment barriers of incarcerated offenders prior to and as they transition into the community and the workforce. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at 831-755-3855.

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