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Job Training Incentive Program Awards Five Companies \$500,427.95 to Create 78 Jobs in November and Eight Companies \$613,839 to Create 88 jobs in October

Santa Fe - The New Mexico Economic Development Department's Job Training Incentive Program (JTIP) board approved \$500,427.95 in funding at its November meeting to five companies that will create 78 jobs in New Mexico. The new jobs will average \$14.25. In October the board approved \$613,839 in funding to eight companies that will create 88 jobs, averaging \$16.66. The next JTIP meeting will take place Friday December 12 at 9 a.m. in the Joseph Montoya Building Bid Room located at 1100 S. St. Francis Drive in Santa Fe.

"I want to congratulate these qualified companies from a variety of industries who are using JTIP funds to create well-paying jobs for New Mexicans," said Economic Development Secretary Jon Barela. "JTIP is an important economic development resource for New Mexican manufacturers, high-tech firms and companies in general to create higher paying jobs and expand their workforce as it helps offset the cost of on-the-job training."

November JTIP Recipients:

Ideum, Inc., Corrales - Ideum is a privately-held stock corporation, founded in 1999. Ideum designs and creates interactive computer-based exhibits, multitouch installations, rich Internet applications, social networking sites for museum and Web visitors and several software products. **6 jobs, \$127,931**

CN Wire Corporation, Santa Teresa - CN Wire is the U.S. affiliate of Turkish company, ER-BAKIR Elektrolitik Bakir Mamulleri. CN Wire's products include single wire, multiwire, bunched/stranded wire, tin-plated copper and braid wire. **68 jobs, \$298,465.20**

Nuvita LLC., Albuquerque - Nuvita provides corporate wellness programs that are customized on an annual or multi-year basis depending on the customer's goals. Each program utilizes the components of the Nuvita program, including a personal baseline health assessment, a personal Nuvita coach, fun and easy to use technology, and the MyNuvita.com website. The company's proprietary technology combines clinical level exercise physiology and an easy nutrition program with software and hardware that make it both fun and easy for employees to succeed. **3 jobs, \$52,847**

AerSale, Inc., Roswell - AerSale provides support services to the airline industry and is dedicated to excellence in flight equipment leasing and spares support. It specializes in providing lease aircraft and engines to airlines worldwide. **5 employees, Step-Up Training, \$5,943.75**

Still Solutions, Inc., Albuquerque - Still Solutions was founded in Albuquerque in 2004 as an IT consulting company with a primary focus on small to medium-sized independent insurance companies. Still Solutions designs, implements and manages systems for its clients with their unique solution, "Desktop as a Service." By using cloud technology, clients have a fast, secure, compliant desktop anywhere in the world. **1 job, \$15,241**

October JTIP Recipients:

xF Technologies Inc., Albuquerque - xF Technologies Inc., founded in January 2007, has developed and patented a novel process to create a fuel molecule that enriches existing petroleum fuels with oxygen, lowering particulate emissions, while preserving the energy density and performance. This technology leverages proprietary chemical processes to cost-effectively convert carbohydrates and/or cellulosic biomass plus alcohol (especially ethanol or methanol) into commercially viable fuel components. **5 Jobs, \$77,895**

Samson Equipment Inc., Las Cruces - Samson Equipment manufactures and sells weight training equipment to public and private schools and universities in every state in the United States as well as to Mexico, Canada, Japan, Northern Ireland, Bahrain, and other countries. **5 jobs, \$33,989**

Santa Fe Brewing Company, Santa Fe - The Santa Fe Brewing Company is New Mexico's oldest and largest brewery, founded in 1988. The brewery currently distributes in nine states, employs over forty locals and plans to produce almost 20,000 barrels of beer in 2014. **5 jobs, \$29,147**

Private Label Select Ltd. Co., Taos - Private Label Select Ltd. Co. is a privately owned manufacturing and product development facility, located in Taos, manufacturing natural and organic cosmetics and personal care products The company specializes in lip balms, salves, organic personal care products, SPF and tinted lip care, lip glosses and organic skin care form women and babies. **10 jobs, \$57,647**

P4Q USA, Inc. Albuquerque - P4Q Electronics manufactures printed circuit boards and assembled electronics for the solar, train, automotive and lighting industries worldwide. P4Q USA was founded in 2010 and expanded into manufacturing in Albuquerque in 2013. **15 jobs, \$61,720**

Rio Bravo Brewing Company LLC, Albuquerque - Rio Bravo Brewing Company is an Albuquerque based start-up that will produce and distribute a number of specialized and seasonal beers for regional distribution. Privately funded, the company was founded in 2013. **1 job, \$16,730**

Aircraft Technical Support, Roswell - Aircraft Technical Support was founded in Coral Springs, Florida in 1999 where they provide aircraft storage, maintenance, demolition, recycling, reactivations, purchasing and sales of airframes for many global air carriers. Aircraft Technical Support's Roswell operations includes buying, selling, maintaining, dismantling, reactivating all aircraft types as well as selling to aftermarket and parts venues. **44 jobs, \$330,507**

Canon Information Services, Inc. - Canon Information technology Services, Inc. (CITS) is a wholly owned subsidiary of Canon USA, Inc. Until April 2014 CITS had operated from its location in Chesapeake, VA, with over 600 employees. Annually, CITS associates provide assistance to over three

million customers. In April 2014, CITS located a customer support center in Albuquerque. **3 jobs, \$6,204**

The Job Training Incentive Program reimburses qualified economic-based companies for a portion of training costs associated with job creation. The program provides for classroom or on-the-job training, reimbursing an expanding or relocating business for up to 75 percent of a trainee's wages for as long as six months. The amount of the award depends on the number and complexity of jobs, the wages paid, and the business location.

To qualify, new or expanding companies must either create a product in New Mexico, or provide a non-retail service with 50 percent of the company's customer or revenue base outside of the state. The eligible jobs must be full-time and year-round. The trainee must be a new hire to the company and have been a New Mexico resident for at least one year at any time prior to being hired. For more information on JTIP, visit www.goNM.biz.

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