

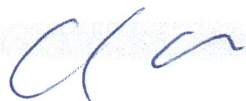
Travel Freeze Exception Report to OFM

Agency: Workforce Training and Education Coordinating Board

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Date Approved	Position Title	Total Cost	Fund Source (Rationale for Approving Exception
6/16/2025	Workforce Policy Manager	1,071	WIOA/TAP	This travel is essential for completing the Landscape Analysis action item, scheduled for completion after the first program year of implementation by the Systems Integration section of the State TAP Plan. Additionally, it will provide valuable insights necessary for WIOA policy development.
6/16/2025	Long Term Care Policy Manager	1,875	LTC	These meetings are critical to the implementation of the L TC workforce initiative and L TC workforce service delivery. With renewed legislative funding and the conclusion of several existing projects at the end of the month, the current efforts are at a junction where the input of co-workers and colleagues is important for project success. The ability to carry on relevant conversations about potential strategies, collaborating with participants before/after the meeting and during breaks, and engaging in discussions regarding sustainability of the workforce efforts is a valuable resource that has diminished value in virtual meeting venues.
6/17/2025	Executive Director, Digital Equity & Industry Alignment Manager, TAP Implementation Advocacy Manager	71.3	50% WIOA/40% Perkins/10% State funds	This meeting serves as the second connection (the first being remote) for our Industry Advisory Council (IAC) group. Leaders from across industry sectors will convene in-person to learn about the Workforce Board's efforts to connect in impactful ways and plan future points of connection to keep the conversation moving forward.

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Contracts Freeze Exception Report to OFM

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Approved	Contracto	Services	Contract	Cost	Source	Exception
6/24/2025	SBCTC	Modiification to current contract adding financial and time extension for the Career Bridge Modernization project.	6/30/2025-6/30/2026	19,500	State IT Pool 447-6	This is an existing IT project that is in the last phases of the project. Funds were approved by the legislature for an additional year to finish in-line work including initial launch and to continue working on features that were moved out of Minimum Viable Product (MVP), such as the collaboration portfolio, EDvera integration, post launch support, training materials for WTB staff, This is an existing IT project to modernize the state's public-facing career and education platform, Career Bridge. We are in the final phases of the project. Funds were approved by the legislature for an additional year to complete needed finish line work including initial launch of the new and improved site
6/25/2025	Resource Data Inc	Modiification to current contract adding financial and time extension for the Career Bridge Modernization project.	7/1/2025-6/30/2026	360,000	State IT Pool 447-6	This is an existing IT project to modernize the state's public-facing career and education platform, Career Bridge. We are in the final phases of the project. Funds were approved by the legislature for an additional year to complete needed finish line work including initial launch of the new and improved site

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