



Senate Education Committee
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Governor's Workforce Development Task Force Recommendations

Comprehensive Statewide Strategic Workforce Development Plan

Workforce Development Council led initiatives	State Board of Education led initiatives	Idaho Career & Technical Education led initiatives
Empower an industry-led Workforce Development Council	Connect education to careers	Invest in Idaho's Workforce Training Centers
Establish a sustainable funding mechanism for the Workforce Development Training Fund	Strengthen career advising	Increase workforce readiness skill development in K-12
Public outreach/engagement to increase career awareness and connection to training		Expand CTE Programs
Increase apprenticeships		

If Idaho does not act now there is a real risk of becoming a talent exporter and, losing businesses to those states that have created the required workforce.

Workforce Development Council Charge

“Increase the role and responsibilities of an industry-driven Workforce Development Council to champion the development and implementation of a statewide, strategic workforce development plan that meets industries’ needs today and tomorrow.”

- Improve the effectiveness, quality and coordination of programs and services designed to maintain a highly skilled workforce.
- Provide for the most efficient use of federal, state and local workforce development resources.
- Increase public awareness of and access to career education & training opportunities.

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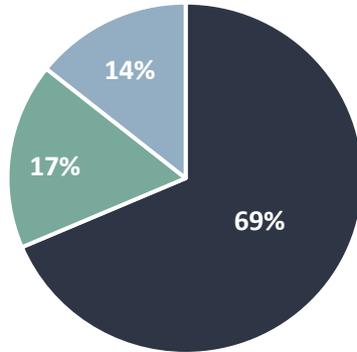


Workforce Development Training Fund Programs

- **Employer Grant:** Awarded to a company to reimburse workforce development training costs.
- **Industry Sector Grants:** Granted to a consortium who has identified a training solution to alleviate an industry specific skill gaps.
- **Innovation Grants:** Designed to fund projects serving youth or adults and benefiting localized and/or rural efforts.

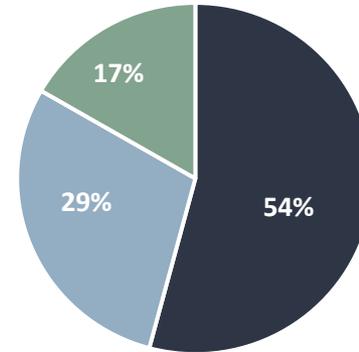
The council also strategically sponsors **Outreach Projects** that provide public information and outreach on career education and workforce training opportunities, including existing education and training programs and services not funded by the training fund.

Number of Grants by Type Calendar Year 2014-2017



- Employer Grant - 48
- Innovation Grant - 12
- Industry Sector - 10

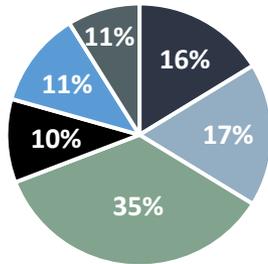
Number of Grants by Type Calendar Year 2018



- Employer Grant - 13
- Industry Sector - 7
- Innovation Grant - 4

Number of Grants by Region

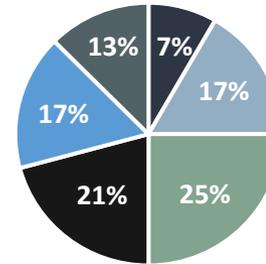
Calendar Year 2014-2017



- 1- North - 11
- 2- North Central - 12
- 3 - Southwest - 24
- 4 - South Central - 7
- 5 - South East - 8
- 6- East - 6

Number of Grants by Region

Calendar Year 2018



- 1- North - 2
- 2- North Central - 4
- 3 - Southwest - 6
- 4 - South Central - 5
- 5 - South East - 4
- 6- East - 3