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**TO:** All Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Funding Recipients

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**SUBJECT:** WIOA Common Performance Indicators – Negotiated Rates

The purpose of this advisory is to notify the Division of Employment and Training Services staff, sub recipients and partners, of the Program Year (PY) 2018 and 2019 negotiated levels of performance for the WIOA Adult, Dislocated Worker, Youth and Wagner Peyser (WP) Employment Service Programs.

WIOA sec. 116(b)(3)(A)(iv) mandates that States will negotiate performance outcomes every two years. Factors taken into consideration during the negotiation process include utilizing a statistical adjustment model that incorporates actual economic conditions of the state such as unemployment rates and job losses or gains in particular industries; the characteristics of the participants such as poor work history, lack of work experience, lack of educational or occupational skills attainment, dislocations from high-wage, high-benefit employment, low levels of literacy or English proficiency, disability status, homelessness, ex-offender status and welfare dependency. Also examined is the extent to which levels involved promote continuous improvement to ensure optimal return on the investment of Federal funds.

On April 25, 2018 representatives from the Alaska Workforce Investment Board and Division of Employment and Training Services met with the USDOL, Employment and Training Administration to negotiate levers for each performance indicator for PY 2018 and PY 2019. The results are listed in the table on page 2 and are effective July 1, 2018.

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Program	Performance Indicator	Negotiated Level of Performance PY 2018	Negotiated Level of Performance PY 2019
Adult	Employment 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter After Exit	72.0 %	73.0 %
Adult	Employment 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter After Exit	71.0 %	71.0 %
Adult	Median earnings 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter After Exit	\$7,600	\$7,600
Adult	Credential Attainment Rate	63.0 %	63.0 %
Dislocated Worker	Employment 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter After Exit	73.0 %	73.0 %
Dislocated Worker	Employment 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter After Exit	71.0 %	71.0 %
Dislocated Worker	Median Earnings 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter After Exit	\$9,400	\$9,400
Dislocated Worker	Credential Attainment Rate	64.0 %	64.0 %
Youth	Placement in Employment, Education or Training 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter After Exit	54.0 %	54.0 %
Youth	Placement in Employment, Education or Training 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter After Exit	50.0 %	50.0 %
Youth	Credential Attainment Rate	50.0 %	50.0 %
WP-Employment Service	Employment 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter After Exit	55.8 %	55.8 %
WP-Employment Service	Employment 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter After Exit	60.0 %	60.0 %
WP-Employment Service	Median earnings 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter After Exit	\$5,435	\$5,435