

**WASHINGTON STATE
WORKFORCE TRAINING AND EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD
MEETING NO. 157
SEPTEMBER 22, 2011**

2012 LEGISLATIVE REQUESTS

The operating agencies in the workforce development system annually prepare policy and budget proposals for consideration by the Governor and the Legislature. Proposals are formally analyzed and acted on by the Workforce Training and Education Coordinating Board (Workforce Board) each year, with recommendations from the Board sent to the Governor and Legislature.

At this meeting, the operating agencies will discuss the budget and policy considerations they are weighing as their priorities for the upcoming session.

For purposes of securing Workforce Board support, operating agencies should be considering how their policy and budget requests further advance the goals, objectives, and steps set forth in “High Skills, High Wages 2008-2018” and the Washington Retooling effort.

Board Action Required: None. For discussion only.