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Dear TWC Grantees:

As the COVID-19 virus has begun affecting Texas communities, many of you have questions and are seeking guidance about the grants that you manage. The Texas Workforce Commission (TWC) wants to assure you that the well-being of our partners, and the customers they serve, is our top priority.

We appreciate the steps you are taking to ensure you remain in compliance with the requirements of the programs you have been awarded, while dealing with the uncertainty surrounding COVID-19. We understand you need to follow any public health and safety restrictions imposed by municipalities or your own organization. We also recognize decisions must be made to cancel or delay holding events where social distancing is simply not possible. Obviously, these are just a couple of challenging situations you are dealing with at this time which will require us all working together closely to address.

As this situation changes daily our goal is to remain flexible while working with you to ensure that our customers receive the best service and ensure everyone's safety and well-being during these trying times. We are committed to working closely with you to determine which services can continue as needed. We also encourage you to think about how other services may need to be re-envisioned.

We want to assure you again, that the safety and well-being of you and your customers is our top priority. Because so many of our grant programs have different requirements, ***we request that you submit all of your questions to your respective TWC grant management team*** including

- **Board and AEL Grants:** bael@twc.state.tx.us
- **Registered Apprenticeship Grants:** apprenticeship@twc.state.tx.us
- **Skills Grants** (including SSF, SSB, SDF, Dual Credit, and JET):
WFbusiness.services@twc.state.tx.us
- **Special Initiative Grants** (any non-AEL, Board and Skills grant that is typically a result of a competitive grant opportunity): specialinitiatives@twc.state.tx.us

These questions will be collected, and a Q&A will be developed to address your concerns.

Any questions regarding an open Request for Applications (RFA) solicitation should continue to be sent to [RFA Grants \(rfragrants@twc.state.tx.us\)](mailto:rfragrants@twc.state.tx.us).

Thank you,

Courtney Arbour



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