

September 9, 2013

To: Jessi Kingston <u>Jessica.kingston@ci.stpaul.mn.us</u>

Dear Director Kingston:

Congratulations! We have selected your proposal to receive \$47,488 through the *Minnesota FastTRAC Adult Career Pathway SFY 2014 Program*.

The Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development (DEED) received 27 grant requests totaling nearly \$3.1 million. Grant reviewers from DEED Workforce Development and Policy Planning and Measures, the Minnesota Department of Education – Adult Basic Education, Minnesota State Colleges and Universities – Office of the Chancellor, and Minnesota Department of Human Services selected 17 proposals to receive funding totaling \$1,475,000.

In the next week, Nola Speiser will provide next step information to implement the funding process and provide regional communication information. If you have questions, please contact Nola Speiser (nola.speiser@state.mn.us) or Judy Mortrude (judy.mortrude@state.mn.us).

We look forward to partnering with you and thank you for your commitment to Minnesota's workforce!

Best Regards,

Katie Clark Sieben Commissioner

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