MEMORANDUM

DATE: June 21, 2013

TO: Regional Workforce Board Executive Directors

FROM: Lois A. Scott, Chief, Bureau of One-Stop and Program Support

SUBJECT: Review of Florida’s Proposed Agricultural Outreach Plan for Program Year 2013

Federal regulations require the State to develop an annual Agricultural Outreach Plan which describes the provision of Wagner-Peyser Act services to Migrant and Seasonal Farmworkers through the One-Stop Career Center network. The U.S. Department of Labor Employment and Training Administration (ETA) now requires states to submit an Integrated Workforce Plan, which includes the complete Wagner-Peyser Agricultural Outreach Plan. A “draft” copy of Florida’s proposed State Agricultural Outreach Plan for Program Year (PY) 2013, as a modification to the current PY 2012-2016 Integrated Workforce Plan, is available online at http://workforceflorida.com/Publications/StatePlan.php#outreach for your review and comment.

Please review and provide any comments you may have on the Agricultural Outreach Plan by July 18, 2013. Your comments should be sent to Ms. Marisela Garcia via e-mail at Marisela.Garcia@deo.myflorida.com. We welcome your suggestions and comments on enhancing workforce services to the Florida farmworker community and look forward to any feedback you may have on the plan.

Should you have any questions or require additional information regarding the plan, please contact Ms. Garcia at (850) 921-3207. Your cooperation and assistance is greatly appreciated.

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