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MEMORANDUM

DATE: October 5, 2017

TO: Local Workforce Development Board Executive Directors

FROM: Shila A. Salem, Chief, Bureau of One-Stop and Program Support 

SUBJECT: Veterans' Performance Incentive Awards

The Jobs for Veterans Act establishes a program to provide performance incentive awards to recognize Local Workforce Development Boards that provide excellent employment services to veterans. The incentive awards are intended to encourage the improvement of employment, training, and placement services for veterans and recognize workforce development partners for excellence or demonstrated improvements in the provision of services to veterans.

The Veterans' Incentive Award was split into three separate awards (Large, Medium and Small) based upon the Jobs for Veterans Act staff size of the Local Workforce Development Boards for Program Year (PY) 2016-2017. A review committee comprised of representatives from the Department of Economic Opportunity, CareerSource Florida and the Department of Labor Veterans Employment and Training (DOL VETS) reviewed the nominations. The review committee is pleased to announce the following Veterans' Incentive Award winners.

Large category: CareerSource Northeast Florida (LWDB – 8)

Medium category: CareerSource Flagler/Volusia (LWDB – 11)

Small category: CareerSource Florida Crown (LWDB – 07)

Each of the selected Local Workforce Development Boards has demonstrated outstanding efforts in delivering employment, training and placement services for veterans. The perseverance, dedication and innovative thinking of the career center staff have positively impacted Florida's veterans and their families.

Please join me in offering congratulations to each of these boards on a job well done!

SAS/skg