



## North Carolina Department of Commerce

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### MEMORANDUM

**To:** Chairs, House Appropriations Subcommittee on Natural and Economic Resources  
Chairs, Senate Appropriations Committee on Natural and Economic Resources  
N.C. General Assembly – Fiscal Research Division

**From:** A. John Hoomani, N.C. Department of Commerce

**Date:** March 12, 2015

**Re:** Report on N.C. Department of Commerce Federal Grants

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Pursuant to N.C. Session Law 2014-100, s. 14.1, attached you will find a report outlining all of the active federal grants received by the N.C. Department of Commerce and its respective divisions. This information includes the source and amount of each grant, the match or maintenance of effort required for the grant from State funds, and any conditions, limitations, restrictions, or additional actions or programs the Department is required to fulfill or undertake as a result of accepting these grants.

**North Carolina Department of Commerce  
Federal Listing of Grants and Contracts**

	<b>NCDOC Division</b>	<b>Grantor</b>	<b>DOL SubAgency</b>	<b>Funding Source</b>	<b>Grant/Contract Amount</b>	<b>Period of Performance</b>	<b>Match State Appropriation</b>	<b>Any conditions, limitations, restrictions, etc. required to fulfill or underatke as a result of accepting the grant?</b>
1.	DES	U.S. Dept of Labor	ETA	UI	\$83,028,000	10/1/14-9/30/15	N/A	Used only for the Administration of NC's Unemployment Insurance Program. Must adhere to CFR Part 200 - Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements of Federal Awards.
2.	DES	U.S. Dept of Labor	ETA	TRA	\$25,000,000	10/1/14-9/30/15	N/A	Trade Readjustment Allowances (TRA) - benefit payments only.
3.	DES	U.S. Dept of Labor	ETA	Special UI	\$9,230,440	10/1/14-6/30/15	N/A	Used for the administration of NC's Unemployment Insurance Program. Must adhere to CFR Part 200.
4.	DWS	U.S. Dept of Labor	ETA	WIA	\$79,693,525	7/1/12-6/30/14	N/A	Grants provide employment and training resources to serve Adults, Youth, and workers who have lost their job. Each population has different program eligibility criteria. Specific percenatges of the funds must be passed through to local workforce boards. Administration cost cap - 10%.
5.	DWS	U.S. Dept of Labor	ETA	WIA	\$88,562,084	7/1/13-6/30/15	N/A	Grants provide employment and training resources to serve Adults, Youth, and workers who have lost their job. Each population has different program eligibility criteria. Specific percenatges of the funds must be passed through to local workforce boards. Administration cost cap - 10%.
6.	DWS	U.S. Dept of Labor	ETA	WIA	\$95,084,133	7/1/14-6/30/16	N/A	Grants provide employment and training resources to serve Adults, Youth, and workers who have lost their job. Each population has different program eligibility criteria. Specific percenatges of the funds must be passed through to local workforce boards. Administration cost cap - 10%.
7.	DWS	U.S. Dept of Labor	ETA	NEG	\$6,175,000	7/1/14-9/30/16	N/A	Special grant to provide employment and training services to the unemployed. Administration cost cap - 10%
8.	DWS	U.S. Dept of Labor	ETA	FLC	\$411,000	10/1/13-9/30/16	N/A	Grant resources to fund staff to process requests from employers for foreign labor.
9.	DWS	U.S. Dept of Labor	ETA	ES	\$21,380,931	7/1/12-9/30/15	N/A	Grant resources suport the staff and facilities of the public labor exchange system
10.	DWS	U.S. Dept of Labor	ETA	ES	\$20,909,300	7/1/13-9/30/16	N/A	Grant resources suport the staff and facilities of the public labor exchange system
11.	DWS	U.S. Dept of Labor	ETA	ES	\$20,375,812	7/1/14-9/30/17	N/A	Grant resources suport the staff and facilities of the public labor exchange system
12.	DWS	U.S. Dept of Labor	ETA	O*NET	\$2,934,000	5/1/14-4/30/17	N/A	Grant resources support the updating of the nations's database containing information on hundreds of standardized and occupation-specific descriptors.
13.	DWS	U.S. Dept of Labor	ETA	TA	\$26,440,222	10/1/12-9/30/15	N/A	Grants provide employment and training resources to serve workers who have lost their job as a result of foreign trade. Administration cost cap - 10%
14.	DWS	U.S. Dept of Labor	ETA	TA	\$12,892,291	10/1/14-9/30/16	N/A	Grants provide employment and training resources to serve workers who have lost their job as a result of foreign trade. Administration cost cap - 10%

15.	DWS	U.S. Dept of Labor	ETA		\$1,156,348	7/1/13-6/30/16	N/A	Pass through grant to LEAD to make improvements to workforce data. Administration cost cap - 10%
16.	DWS	U.S. Dept of Labor	ETA	VET	\$6,092,000	10/1/14-9/30/15	N/A	Grant provides resources to support staff who provide employment services to veterans.
17.	LEAD	U.S. Dept of Labor	Bureau of Labor Statistics	LMI Cooperative Agreement No. LM-225594-15-75-J-37)	\$1,679,042	October 1, 2014-September 30, 2015	N/A	Funds can only be used on BLS programs, Staff must attend required BLS meeting and conferences, data publication must follow agreement requirements, all financial reports are to be submitted within 30 days, Programs must meet performance requirements, to receive funding the state must participate in all four BLS programs (QCEW, CES, LAUS, OES), Information technology security controls must be consistent with industry standards, no subgrant or contracting of any substantive program work is allowed, State is prohibited from using BOS survey sample for the collection of additional data, state agency will not disclose or used in an unauthorized manner any prerelease information prior to the release schedule.
18.	Utilities	U.S. Dept. of Transportation	Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration	Natural Gas Pipeline Safety	Based on Expenditures projected (\$472,308 in 2014)	1/1/2014-12/31/2014	N/A	No restrictions beyond the grant being spent on its intended use.
19.	Utilities	U.S. Dept. of Transportation	Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration	State Damage Prevention Program	Varies - we apply and obtain based on availability (none in 2014)	one year but begin depends on when the award is made.	N/A	No restrictions beyond the grant being spent on its intended use.
20.	Utilities	U.S. Dept. of Transportation	Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration	One Call Agreement	Varies - we apply and obtain based on availability (none in 2014)	one year but begin depends on when the award is made.	N/A	No restrictions beyond the grant being spent on its intended use.
21.	REDD	HUD	Commerce	HUD	\$43,513,865	7/1/14-6/30/17	\$637,500	Grant funds must be used according to HUD regulations. After the first \$100,000, administrative funds must be matched on a 1:1 basis.
22.	REDD	U.S. Dept. of Defense		OEA	\$454,056	10/31/14-3/31/16	\$88,286	\$356,389 from Grantor and \$88,286 from non-Grantor (match). As of 2-6-15 no expenditure of federal funds has occurred; no award of contract has been made; total award amount may change pending procurement phase. All compliance, restrictions, and guidelines are identified in the grant agreement titled Grant Agreement for Seymour Johnson AFB (JLUS) FAIN: HQ00051410033 EN1407-14-01

23.	REDD	ARC		ARC	\$515,310	10/1/14-9/30/15	\$515,310	Funding is to be used to support program development, as well as, specialized planning and technical assistance services necessary to continue to implement the ARC program. Direct technical assistance will be provided to the LDDs, numerous units of local government and agencies, non-profit organizations, and a variety of state and federal agencies that are involved in programs throughout the region. Funding will also support the WNC Housing Partnership. The program office will continue to support partners in analyzing and targeting emerging issues in asset based development areas, supporting green business, rural transporation, and the intersection of program implmenetation responsibilites.
24.	REDD	ARC		ARC	\$492,423	10/1/13-9/30-14	\$508,336	Funding is to be used to support program development, as well as, specialized planning and technical assistance services necessary to continue to implement the ARC program. Direct technical assistance will be provided to the LDDs, numerous units of local government and agencies, non-profit organizations, and a variety of state and federal agencies that are involved in programs throughout the region. Funding will also support the WNC Housing Partnership. The program office will continue to support partners in analyzing and targeting emerging issues in asset based development areas, supporting green business, rural transporation, and the intersection of program implmenetation responsibilites.