

Regional Plan Implementation Summary
Regional Planning Unit (RPU): Capital
LWDB within RPU: Golden Sierra, North Central Counties (NCCC), SETA, Yolo

Regional Plan Goals
<p>The Capital Regional Planning Unit (RPU) is comprised of four (4) Local Workforce Development Boards (LWDBs) covering nine counties: Sacramento, Yolo, Golden Sierra (El Dorado, Placer and Alpine) and North Central Counties Consortium (Yuba, Sutter, Colusa, Glenn). The four LWDB areas have a long history of working together on joint projects and regional initiatives. The RPU partners with an intermediary Valley Vision, a regional leadership organization focused on resolving complex problems and multi-stakeholder initiatives across the region. The RPU partners with an intermediary Valley Vision, a regional leadership organization focused on resolving complex problems and multi-stakeholder initiatives across the region. The Capital RPU’s strategy is to engage partners by utilizing Valley Vision’s expertise in conducting objective research and findings, and its ability to convene and coordinate multi-stakeholder initiatives. SETA, Los Rios Community College District, Align Capital Region, economic development and private industry have all jointly invested in Valley Vision to lead regional planning efforts. Valley Vision is able to coordinate these multiple and often overlapping planning efforts in a more efficient manner that reduces the duplication and time commitment from partners and private industry. The Regional Plan Goals are to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Align partners (WIOA, Strong Workforce; Align Capital Region; Adult Education) to ensure alignment of resources and using the strengths of partners to build a regional workforce system. • Ensure business leadership in priority sector initiatives (healthcare, construction and agriculture) by focusing on employer engagement and leadership. (Aligned with SlingShot Compact) • Identifying and implementing administrative efficiencies and system alignment to provide a Uniform Business Approach.
Regional Plan Implementation Project Focus
<p>RPI 1.0 Project Focus:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Program Alignment – Alignment of partners (WIOA, K-12, community college, Local Workforce Development Boards (LWDBs), Strong Workforce, Align Capital Region, Adult Education), through an intermediary, Valley Vision to ensure alignment of resources and building on the strengths of the partners to build a regional workforce system. • Employer Engagement – Ensure business leadership in priority sector initiatives (healthcare, construction, agriculture, etc.) by focusing on employer engagement and leadership. Work collaboratively to advise the education system on curriculum and through a regional employer engagement team consisting of rapid response and business services staff from all WDB boards. • System Alignment – Identifying and implementing administrative efficiencies and system alignment. • Investment to continue SlingShot efforts to develop web-based resource navigator for entrepreneurs and regional system alignment services. • Sustainability through partnership contributions and foundation funding for Valley Vision intermediary work.
<p>RPI 2.0 Project Focus</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Phase II” Regional Plan Implementation (RPI) 2.0 funds to builds upon RPI 1.0 and SlingShot Additional Funding initiatives. • RPU will continue partnership with Valley Vision to build on the RPI 1.0 “Future or Work” forums and the Regional Business Summit, and implement a regional Displacement Preparedness Project. • Dive deeply into the specific occupations at risk of job displacement due to technology and innovation, and the results will inform the development of a regional layoff aversion initiative.

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- Report to stakeholders to drive policy and resource investment decision-making toward critical sectors/occupations.
- Develop a coordinated regional business services outreach and engagement strategy.
- Coordinate through Valley Vision to lead a Digital Skills Initiative.

RPI Project Demand and Supply Side Outcomes

Demand Side Outcomes:

RPI 1.0

- Regional Technology Forums
- Regional Cluster/Sector Convening's
- Alignment/Convergence of Industry Advisory Groups and Mapping
- Sacramento Valley Manufacturing Initiative – apprenticeship program
 - Industry Champions and convening's for priority sectors in:
 - Healthcare,
 - Food and Agriculture, and;
 - Construction
- Regional Business Services Training and Staff Meetings
- Regional Rapid Response Round Table
- LaunchPad Additional Development
- Regional CART Website and Trainings
- Regional Workforce Directors' Meetings
- 2019 Regional Business Summit and Employer Outreach Committee
- Rebranding of the Capital Region
- Labor Market Information Department Industry Occupational Cluster Analysis
- Regional Customer Satisfaction Survey
- RPUs LWDB Directors continue to meet monthly to discuss ongoing regional planning efforts and initiatives. This has increased regional communication, coordination and implementation of regional plans.
- Regional MOU between LWDBs and the building trades councils.

RPI 2.0

In Progress

Supply Side Outcomes:

RPI 1.0

- Increasing alignment with education and increasing demand-driven career pathways,
- More efficient employer engagement and increased alignment with education partners.
- Region has developed a regional brand, marketing materials and website to promote business services.
- Developed a regional eResource website to connect small business with resources. Site also has administrative tools and functionality to allow local business resource providers to update and maintain their own information.
- Industry Recognized Credentials and apprenticeships;
- Action Plan for Unified rapid response and employer engagement
- Regional Business Summit to accomplish partnership expansion,
- Staff/partners trained on services and strategies to remove barriers to employment
- Administrative Efficiencies: Regional ETPL and Confidentiality Policy

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- Piloting Employer Performance Measures

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