CONTINUATION GRANT SCORING RUBRIC

Critical Elements	Exemplary	Superior	Adequate	Needs Improvement	Value
Program Need	Significantly addresses a top 3 workforce need in the region. (18–20)	Addresses in a more limited way a top 3 workforce need in the region. (15–17)	Addresses in a limited way a less critical workforce need in the region. (11-14)	Identified labor need is too narrow or not in a critical area. (0–10)	20
Comments					
Program Plan	Plan addresses all goals and core requirements and properly connects all activities to measurable outcomes that address workforce needs. (22–25)	Plan addresses most goals and requirements and substantially connects activities to measurable outcomes. (18–21)	Plan addresses many goals and requirements and connects some activities to measurable outcomes. (14–17)	Plan lacks significant requirements or connections of activities to measurable outcomes are not clear. (0–13)	25
Comments					
Strength of Partnership	Plan includes broad representation and each partner has a defined role with identified critical contributions. (18–20)	Plan includes broad representation but partner roles are not clearly defined. (15–17)	Plan lacks one or two important partners or not all partners are critical to success of the plan. (11–14)	Partner participation is too narrow or some partners do not contribute meaningfully. (0–10)	20
Comments					
Budget Plan	Plan identifies efficiencies that take full advantage of existing human and physical resources and all requested resources clearly support the goals of the plan. (13-15)	Plan includes significant efficiencies from existing resources and all requested resources clearly support the goals of the plan. (10-12)	Plan includes limited efficiencies from existing resources or includes some questionable resource requests. (7-9)	Budget includes limited or no existing resources from partners or includes requests deemed unnecessary. (0–6)	15
Comments					

Sustainability	Identifies existing resources to continue the program with no reduction in services at the end of grant funding. period (18–20)	Identifies significant resources to continue the program with limited reduction in services at the end of grant funding. period (15-17)	Identifies limited resources to continue the program or proposes significant reduction in services at the end of grant. funding period (11-14)	New funding sources must be identified for continuation of program at the end of grant funding. (0-10)	20	
Comments						
Potential Points						