

The Bay Area Regional Planning Unit is pleased to release the *2017-2020 Workforce Innovation and Opportunities Act (WIOA) Regional Plan Draft for Public Comment*. The Local Workforce Development Boards for NOVA (Northern Santa Clara and San Mateo County), San Benito, San Jose Silicon Valley Workforce Investment Network (SJSVWIN) (Southern Santa Clara County), and San Francisco jointly developed this Regional Plan Draft with input from our partners and stakeholders. The plan focuses on our goals and strategies for building regional sector pathways and regionally coordinated workforce services to better meet the needs of employers and job seekers in the region.

The Regional Plan Draft for Public Comment will be posted for the 30-day period of **January 26th - February 26th**. The Bay Area Regional Planning Unit will include all public comments in our final submission of the Regional Plan to the State of California Labor and Workforce Development Agency.

Please note that the final Regional Plan will be submitted to the State along with separate Local Plans for each of the above Local Workforce Development Boards. Comments on *local* service delivery and coordination among *local* partners for the San Jose Silicon Valley Workforce Investment Network Local Plan will be accepted following its release in early February.

Draft Regional Plan for Public Comment

To review the Draft Regional Plan for Public Comment, visit <http://www.work2future.biz/images/DraftBPRegionalPlan.pdf>

How to Submit Comments Electronically

- Please submit your comments by entering them into the form located at: <http://www.work2future.biz/images/2017BPCommentForm.pdf>
- Note which section of the Regional Plan you are commenting on and save your changes.
- Attach your completed form to an email and send it to: w2f.specialprojects@sanjoseca.gov (as an attachment).

How to Submit Comments via Fax

- Please submit your comments by entering them into the form located at: <http://www.work2future.biz/images/2017BPCommentForm.pdf>
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- Attach your completed form and fax it to (408) 794-0398

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How to Submit Comments In Person

Hard copies of the Regional Plan Draft for Public Comment and comment forms will also be available during the comment period at the following locations and times:

SAN JOSE ONE-STOP

Office Hours: Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

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San Jose, CA 95118

408-794-1100

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Please contact Javier Vanga at Javier.vanga@sanjoseca.gov or 408.794.1140 for further assistance.

We look forward to receiving your comments, feedback, and suggestions. Comments will be accepted until **5pm PST February 26th, 2017**.