Appendix A Get Into Energy Career Pathways Project Plan

Project Management & System Building

Deliverables:	Budget
Project Plan and Budget (11/20/09)	Labor -\$100,200
Detailed analysis and recommendations for accessing national	Other costs -\$37,500
and state funds (4/12/10)	Total - \$137,750
Toolkits: Career Support Evaluation, Career Pathways	
Evaluation, Employer Support Evaluation (4/30/10)	
Final Report and implementation plan (5/14/10)	
Responsibility	Duration
Ann Randazzo, Valerie Taylor, Kathy Mannes, Laura McCafferty,	November 2,2009 – May 14, 2010
Lisa Richard, Beth Lehr, Linda Fowler	

#	Tasks	Work Days	Start	Finish	Assignments
Proje	ct Management & System Building		11/02/2009	05/14/2010	
1	Map out project organization - Includes				
	management, partners, resources,				
	staffing, technology requirements,				
	communication methods, meetings				
	required, and other pieces, as determined				
1a	Draft project documents	4	11/02/2009	11/20/2009	Valerie Taylor
1b	Oversight for entire project	18	11/02/2009	05/14/2010	Ann Randazzo
2	Create assessment tools and guidebooks				
2a	Research existing systems for use in	5	11/24/2009	12/15/2009	Kathy Mannes
	tracking student outcomes, credentialing,				
	hiring and assess gaps For				
	implementation—how to track students,				
	measurable goals for a one-year				
	credential, etc.				
2b	Develop on-line evaluation tool	10	11/25/2009	12/16/2009	Chris Messer
3	Conduct Project Advisory Council				
	Meeting				
3a	Identify & get commitment from Project	1	11/02/2009	11/23/2009	Valerie Taylor
	Advisory Council members				
3b	Meeting prep, pre-work and agenda	1	11/12/2009	11/19/2009	Valerie Taylor
3c	Meeting planning	1	11/04/2009	11/24/2009	Kim Mullin
3d	Compile notes and team review	1	11/23/2009	11/25/2009	Valerie Taylor





#	Tasks	Work Days	Start	Finish	Assignments
4	Develop Assessment toolkits for future use				
4a	Write guidelines and toolkit for performing Career Support Evaluation	3	12/15/2009	02/26/2010	Laura McCafferty, Beth Lehr, Lisa Richard
4b	Write guidelines and toolkit for performing Career Pathways Evaluation	3	12/15/2009	04/09/2010	Laura McCafferty, Beth Lehr, Lisa Richard
4c	Write guidelines and toolkit for performing Employer Support evaluation	3	12/15/2009	03/31/2010	Laura McCafferty, Beth Lehr, Lisa Richard
5	Provide technical assistance for the				
	development of public tools,				
	credentialing and finding and leveraging				
	resources		11/25/2000	00/05/0010	
5a	Perform a detailed analysis of national and state funding streams and available resources. Research US DOL, State DOL, NSF, DOE, DOEd, foundations and other state resources	6	11/25/2009	03/26/2010	Linda Fowler
5b	Document available resources for target audience for each participating state and national resources	2	03/01/2010	03/19/2010	Linda Fowler
5c	Develop recommendations for specific resources for each state to access for project implementation	2	03/22/2010	04/02/2010	Linda Fowler
5d	Draft resources section of final report	2	04/05/2010	04/12/2010	Linder Fowler
5e	Provide technical assistance to access resources. Meet with stakeholder groups (states, foundations, government agencies)	12.5	11/24/2009	04/29/2010	Linda Fowler
5f	Provide technical assistance for the development of tools and credentialing	12.5	11/25/2009	3/31/2010	TBD
6	Develop and publish final report—GIE Pathways Assessment Report				
6a	Compile team drafts for all phases	3	04/26/2010	05/03/2010	Laura McCafferty
6b	Editing/graphic design	2	05/04/2010	05/07/2010	Beth Lehr, Lisa Richard
6c	Publish and print final report		05/10/2010	05/14/2010	TBD
7	Develop a project plan & associated				
	budget for all phases of project (including planning)				





#	Tasks	Work Days	Start	Finish	Assignments
7a	Project Advisory Panel call (10:45am-		02/08/2010	02/08/2010	ALL
	12:15pm)		2		
7b	Draft concept paper for Gates	2	02/01/2010	02/20/2010	Ann Randazzo,
					Valerie Taylor
7d	Draft Plan and budget	7	03/30/2010	04/29/2010	Valerie Taylor
8	Conduct Project Advisory Council				
	Meeting				
8a	Meeting prep, pre-work and agenda	1	03/17/2010	03/31/2010	Valerie Taylor
8b	Meeting planning	1	03/17/2010	03/31/2010	Kim Mullin
8c	Participate in Meeting	1	03/31/2010	03/31/2010	ALL
8d	Follow-up/Compile notes and team	1	03/31/2010	04/06/2010	Valerie Taylor
	review				





GIE Outreach & Student Support

Deliverables:	Budget
 Documentation of best practices (1/29/2010) Gap analysis of nine states (2/4/2010) Selection of pipeline organizations(2/19/2010) Draft of GIE Career Support design and communication plan (2/26/2010) 	Labor -\$29,000 Other costs -\$5,000 Total - \$34,000
Responsibility	Duration
Valerie Taylor, Dorothy Wax	November 25, 2009 – February 26, 2010

#	Tasks	Work Days	Start	Finish	Assignments
GIE C	Outreach and Student Support		11/25/2009	02/26/2010	
1	Develop and conduct evaluation				
1a	Develop evaluation criteria and questions	3	11/25/2009	12/4/2009	Dorothy Wax
	 Research components of a model 				
	career coaching system				
	 Develop assessment questions for: 				
	1) demographics on target audience				
	2) best communication channels &				
	outreach for target audience				
	3) current advising & coaching available by				
	state for target population				
	4) student outcome tracking systems				
1b	Identify sources of data for evaluation	3	12/1/2009	12/15/2009	Dorothy Wax
1c	Test and finalize on-line evaluation tool	2	12/15/2009	12/16/2009	Dorothy Wax
1d	Conduct gap analysis for nine participating	5	12/17/2009	02/04/2010	Dorothy Wax
	states and identify best in class examples				
1e	Document results	3	01/11/2010	02/08/2010	Dorothy Wax
1f	Draft report for each state evaluated	3	01/25/2010	02/12/2010	Dorothy Wax
2	Select pipeline organizations for				
	partnership				
2a	Develop evaluation question for pipeline	.5	11/25/2009	12/04/2010	Valerie Taylor
	organizations				
2b	Research pipeline organizations (Job Corps,	1.5	12/21/2009	01/25/2010	Valerie Taylor
	YouthBuild, etc.)				
2c	Identify key contacts and interview	2	01/26/2010	02/05/2010	Valerie Taylor
	potential partners				
2d	Draft recommendations for partnerships	1	02/08/2010	02/19/2010	Valerie Taylor





#	Tasks	Work Days	Start	Finish	Assignments
3	Develop outreach and support system				
	including communication plan for targeted				
	audience				
3a	Research and document best practice	2	12/16/2009	01/29/2010	Dorothy Wax
	models for providing career and education				
	advising and on-line resources. Research				
	different industries, different locations and				
	different venue e.g. community colleges,				
	one-stop centers, etc.				
3b	Draft design for GIE Career Support model	3	02/01/2010	02/26/2010	Dorothy Wax
	and communication plan for Low Income				
	Young Adults				





Education Pathways & Stackable Credentials

Deliverables:	Budget
 Inventory of existing certificates and certification that match energy competencies (2/8/2010) Documentation of best practices in energy education (2/15/2010) Updated Energy Competency Model with existing certificates (2/15/2010) Gap analysis of nine states (2/22/2010) Design of Energy Credentialing Framework (3/26/2010) Draft of GIE Education Pathways and Stackable Credential design (4/9/2010) 	Labor -\$62,750 Other costs -\$20,000 Total - \$82,750
Responsibility	Duration
Jan Bray, Dana Berkheimer, Valerie Taylor, Kathy Mannes, Lisa Richard, Beth Lehr	November 25, 2009 – April 9, 2010

#	Tasks	Work Days	Start	Finish	Assignments
Educa	tion Pathways & Stackable Credentials		11/25/2009	04/09/2010	
1	Develop and conduct evaluation				
1a	Develop evaluation criteria and questions:	3	11/25/2009	12/04/2009	Jan Bray
	1) current state PS education system &				
	policies				
	2) current energy education				
	3) current certificates/credentialing				
	processes				
	4) potential supply of PS credentials &				
	qualified applicants				
1b	Identify sources of data for evaluation	3	12/08/2009	12/15/2009	Jan Bray
1c	Test and finalize on-line evaluation tool	2	12/15/2009	12/16/2009	Jan Bray
1d	Conduct gap analysis for nine participating	5	12/17/2009	02/15/2010	Jan Bray
	states and identify best in class examples				
1e	Document results	3	01/11/2010	02/17/2010	Jan Bray
1 f	Draft report for each state evaluated	3	02/08/2010	02/22/2010	Jan Bray
2	Perform gap analysis for job specific skill				
	standards for selected positions				
2a	Identify current available skill standards	3	11/25/2009	12/18/2009	Dana Berkheimer
2b	Match up skill standards from EEI & other	7.5	12/21/2009	01/22/2010	Jan Bray
	organization to competency model				
2c	Update Competency Model and add Tiers				





#	Tasks	Work Days	Start	Finish	Assignments
	6-8 for specific job categories				
2d	Draft changes Add Tiers 6-8 with bullets	2	01/25/2010	02/05/2010	Dana Berkheimer
2e	Update competency model graphics and	2	02/08/2010	02/15/2010	Lisa Richard, Beth
	toolkit				Lehr
3	Perform a gap analysis for certificate				
	programs that assess and test				
	competencies				
3a	Conduct inventory of existing certificate,	3.75	12/14/2009	02/08/2010	Jan Bray
	certification and licensure that match				
	competency requirements and map				
	inventory to the competency model				
3b	Editing and graphic design	2	02/08/2010	02/15/2010	Lisa Richard, Beth
					Lehr
4	Host Two-day Credentialing Framework				
	Meeting in Washington, DC				
4a	Meeting planning	2	01/04/2010	02/26/2010	Kim Mullin
4b	Research, meeting prep and pre-work	2	01/18/2010	02/24/2010	Valerie Taylor
	development				
4c	Facilitate Meeting	2	02/25/2010	02/26/2010	Valerie Taylor
4d	Compile notes for team review	2	03/01/2010	03/05/2010	Valerie Taylor
5	Develop credentialing framework				
5a	Draft document, review with team,	7.5	03/08/2010	03/18/2010	Valerie Taylor
	update				
5b	Editing, graphic design	2	03/19/2010	03/26/2010	Beth Lehr, Lisa
					Richard
6	Select education institutions for				
	partnership				
6a	Analyze evaluation results for each state	1	02/23/2010	02/26/2010	Kathy Mannes
6b	Identify key contacts and interview	3	03/01/2010	03/12/2010	Kathy Mannes
	potential partners				
6c	Draft recommendations for partnerships	1	3/8/2010	03/19/2010	Kathy Mannes
7	Review/finalize GIE Education Pathways				
	and Stackable Credential design				
7a	Draft document	1	03/29/2010	04/02/2010	Valerie Taylor
7b	Editing, graphic design	2	04/02/2010	04/09/2010	Lisa Richard, Beth
					Lehr





Employer Engagement & Resource Alignment

Deliverables:	Budget
 Documentation of best practices in employer support (2/12/2010) National and state supply and demand maps / reports (2/23/2010) Gap analysis of nine states (2/22/2010) State Consortia partnerships identified (3/22/2010) Draft of GIE Employer Support System design (3/29/2010) 	Labor -\$42,500 Other costs -\$3,000 Total - \$45,500
Responsibility	Duration
Dana Berkheimer, Hamilton Galloway	November 25, 2009 – March 29, 2010

#	Tasks	Work Days	Start	Finish	Assignments
Emplo	yer Engagement & Resource Alignment		11/25/2009	03/29/2010	
1	Assess readiness of nine states for				
	implementation of Pathways project				
1a	Develop evaluation criteria and questions	3	11/25/2009	12/04/2009	Dana Berkheimer
	1)readiness of state consortia				
	2)employment demand & hiring processes				
	3)state policies & barriers				
	4)state & employer resources & funding				
	5)current national/state grants				
1b	Identify sources of data for evaluation	3	12/01/2009	12/15/2009	Dana Berkheimer
1c	Test and finalize on-line evaluation tool	2	12/15/2009	12/16/2009	Dana Berkheimer
1d	Conduct evaluation and identify best	5	12/17/2009	02/08/2010	Dana Berkheimer
	practice examples				
1e	Document results	3	01/22/2010	02/12/2010	Dana Berkheimer
1f	Draft report for each state evaluated	3	02/08/2010	02/22/2010	Dana Berkheimer
2	Develop national and state targeted				
	employment supply and demand gap				
	analysis				
2a	Compile data	3	12/01/2009	01/15/2010	Hamilton
					Galloway
2b	Analyze results and draft report	2	01/18/2010	02/10/2010	Hamilton
					Galloway
2c	Create supply/demand maps	10	02/01/2010	02/23/2010	Hamilton
					Galloway





#	Tasks	Work Days	Start	Finish	Assignments
2d	Writing, editing, graphic design	1.5	02/11/2010	02/23/2010	Hamilton
					Galloway
3	Select state consortia for partnership				
3a	Analyze assessments and supply/demand	1	02/24/2010	03/3/2010	Dana Berkheimer
	data				
3b	Identify key contacts & interview potential	2	03/4/2010	03/12/2010	Dana Berkheimer
	partners				
3c	Draft recommendations for partnerships	1	03/15/2010	03/22/2010	Dana Berkheimer
4	Develop employer support system design				
4a	Analyze results & write up plan for	3	03/23/2010	03/29/2010	Dana Berkheimer
	employer support				

