



December 2, 2016

Dear Mr. Francis:

The Department of Workforce Development (DWD) appreciates the local Workforce Development Board's efforts to address the deficiencies identified in the local plan feedback letter sent out in September of 2016. After careful review of the revisions and/or action plans, DWD is pleased to inform you the areas of deficiencies have been satisfactorily addressed and the Region 5 local and regional plan has been fully approved.

DWD values your commitment to working together with stakeholders and DWD to support the public workforce system. We look forward to continuing this great work in the coming years. Please let us know if you have any questions.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "S. Braun", written in a cursive style.

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