

Feasibility Study for Tradecraft Training Center in Orange County, NC.

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Compile an inventory of agencies participating in the work force development pipeline available to Orange County and assess the feasibility of a Tradecraft Center.

1. Develop list of potential community pipelines for Tradecraft Training Center
 - a. Secondary School Systems.
 - b. Community agencies (Empowerment Inc., Club Nova, Refugee Partners, etc.).
 - c. Large Institutions (UNC-Chapel Hill current work force, Large contractors, etc.).
 - d. Specialized populations (Women, prison release, retired, etc.).
2. List of agencies who want to or are conducting training within the County.
 - a. Secondary Schools.
 - b. Community Colleges (Durham Tech, Central Carolina Community College).
 - c. Specialized programs (Hope Renovations, El Centro).
 - d. Large Institutions (UNC-Chapel Hill, Large Contractors).
 - e. Associations.
3. List of Placement Services.
 - a. Secondary Schools.
 - b. County services.
 - c. State Services.
 - d. Community Colleges.
 - e. Community agencies.
4. List of potential sponsors for apprenticeship programs.
5. List of best practice programs in Tradecraft Training Programs.
6. List of potential sites in orange county to locate a Tradecraft Training program.
7. Estimate Total Cost to develop a Tradecraft Training Center.
8. Outline a potential administrative structure to manage a center and to coordinate all the elements in the pipeline flow.
9. Conduct two or three meetings presenting findings to Tradecraft Training Study Group.
10. Provide a written report compiling all findings.