

News for the Week of March 13, 2017

SOUTH VALLEY BUSINESSSOURCE CENTER ASSISTANCE RESULTS IN CREATION OF NEW JOBS, AND RETENTION OF EXISITING JOBS

Bhagatveer Singh is the owner of Jind Produce, located at 766 Merchant Street, Los Angeles CA 90021. Jind Produce is a wholesale company, producing, packaging and commercializing high quality nutritional products.

Bhagatveer Singh came to the South Valley BusinessSource Center in July 2015 to inquire about the cost structure necessary to generate enough profitability to expand operations. The South Valley BusinessSource Center assisted Mr Bhagatveer Singh with adjusting cost structures, monitoring profitability, and provided access to a \$100,000 loan. With this assistance, Jind Produce was able to create 13 new jobs, and retain 10 existing jobs.

Jind Produce has also continued to work with the South Valley BusinessSource Center for the past 2 years to develop strategic operational projects intended to generate increased profitability.

BUSINESS METRICS:

LABSC's Reporting: North Valley, West Valley, South L.A., Mid City, Central West, Hollywood, South Valley, Harbor and East L.A.	
LABSC's Not Reporting: None	
Pre-Startups Enrolled	14
Pre-Startups Assisted	12
Start-ups/Operating Businesses Enrolled	21
Start-ups/Operating Businesses Assisted	24
Workshops: Number of Clients Attended	72

WORKFORCE METRICS:

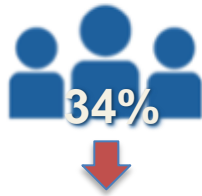
(Arrows indicate weekly trend)

JobsLA (online and mobile)



Page Views

(Down 6.2%)



New Visitors

(Down 1.8%)



New Sessions

(Down 6.1%)



Registrations

(Up 3%)

WorkSource Centers



Enrollments

(Up 1%)

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