**Our Youth Need Jobs!**

**Program Highlights**

HIRE LA’s Youth is one of the City’s most exciting programs to put young adults to work, ensuring they have “first time” job experience that will set them on the path of lifetime earners. This year, we are committed to providing jobs for young people ages 14-24, who live in the city of Los Angeles.

**Hire or Sponsor**

Here’s what you can do to help a young person learn and grow through a job this summer.

- Sponsor an internship for a youth through your pledge to the program.
- Offer supervised work for a youth at your workplace through a subsidized internship.

**This Program Benefits All Angelenos**

Thousands of motivated, young job seekers apply each year hoping for a summer job opportunity, and Mayor Eric Garcetti and our workforce partners are determined to put young people to work this summer with the goals of:

- Preparing young adults for the 21st Century workforce in the City of Los Angeles.
- Engaging youth in positive activities during summer.
- Partnering with the City’s business community.
- Developing long-term employment opportunities for L.A.’s youth.

**Who Recruits Young People?**

Youth are recruited through local schools, the City’s Workforce Development System, the Community College District, and community organizations. In preparation for job placement, youth are given the opportunity to earn a Work Readiness Certificate endorsed by the Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce, the City Workforce Development Board and the Professionals in Human Resources Association (PIHRA). Program participants also are offered financial literacy training during their program enrollment.
Make Check Payable to:
Workforce Development Board of the City of Los Angeles

Mailing Address:
Workforce Development Board of the City of Los Angeles
Attention: David Eder
1200 W. 7th St., 6th Floor
Los Angeles, CA 90017

WDB Tax ID Number:
95-3955892

Employers, please submit this form to Makeda E. Vela
(213) 744-7345
makeda.vela@lacity.org

I WILL BE A PARTNER!

On behalf of our company, we pledge to participate in the HIRE LA’s Youth 2018 program by committing to:

- Contribute to the HIRE LA’s Youth initiative by directly hiring a City of Los Angeles youth. I will hire (number of youth) ________ at my work site.
- Sponsor an internship for a youth. I understand that $2,500 sponsors one youth. My donation is $___________.
- I will supervise (number of youth) ________ at my workplace through the subsidized internship program.
- I want to be a partner. Please call me to discuss my options.

Helping L.A.’s future workforce is important to us all!

Acknowledgment Information:
Please use the following name[s] in all acknowledgments:

I (we) wish to have our gift remain anonymous.

Signature ____________________
Date ________________________