



Based on communications between the South Carolina Department of Employment and Workforce (SCDEW) Information Technology staff and the Santee- Lynches Council of Government (COG) staff it has been determined that the computer server located at the Sumter One-Stop is outdated and will not handle the capacity of transitioning WIA staff and the operation from SCDEW to the Santee-Lynches Administrative office. The quoted cost to purchase the computer server is \$12,138.92. Due to the urgency of accessing files, sharing of information, email transfers, etc. this matter was considered time-sensitive and therefore has been brought before the Workforce Investment Board's Finance Sub-Committee and the Executive and authorized by majority vote to proceed with acquiring the computer server.

However, in keeping with the current WIB's By-Laws for time-sensitive matter in excess of \$10,000, this matter is now being forwarded to the full WIB for an email vote. The following changes to the PY09 Incentive Funds budget is recommended to cover the purchase price of the new computer server:

Electronic Customer Satisfaction Survey Equipment (will not be purchased at this time due to SCDEW implementing a statewide survey program; **-\$5,350**); One-Stop Software Upgrade (not needed at this time due to the recent purchase of computers; **-\$3,000**); and Staff and Board Training of (will reduce line time by this amount **-\$3,788.92**).

By eliminating and/or reducing these line items, we will have recaptured the funds to purchase the much needed server.

Results:

34 WIB Members - 23 in favor – 11 votes not received by deadline