**SUMMARY OF SCWDB LOCAL PLAN MODIFICATION**

**RELEASED FOR COMMENT - MAY 31, 2019**

A modification to the Southwest Corner Workforce Development Board is being released for public comment. On 5/28/2019, the SCWDB approved this change at its quarterly meeting. This modification relates to on-the-job training policy and procedures. SCWDB has established a local policy for OJT opportunity administration. New language will read (at the beginning of the response and highlighted below):

**Page 21; Section 2; Item 2.1**

**What are the local board’s strategic vision and goals for preparing its workforce?**

The change will remove the “minimum wage rate goal of $10.00 per hour for OJT opportunities” language from the plan. Instead, SCWDB will develop and have a board-approved OJT policy referenced.

Original Text Response

*To accomplish this vision, we have established the following goals and initiatives:*

*1.Ensure participants are provided the information and resources for successful training*

*and career readiness activities*

* *Southwest Corner Workforce Development Board has established a minimum wage rate goal of $10.00 per hour for OJT opportunities.*

Modification of text will now read:

To accomplish this vision, we have established the following goals and initiatives:

1. Ensure participants are provided the information and resources for successful training and career readiness activities
   * Southwest Corner Workforce Development Board has established a local policy for OJT opportunity administration. Policy contains detailed descriptions of minimum wage per hour for participation, contracting, training requirements, and employer/trainee expectations.

Written comments, or requests for a copy of the plan and modification, may be submitted to Washington Greene County Job Training Agency, Inc. 351 West Beau Street, Suite 300, Washington, PA 15301 or emailed to jnobili@washingtongreene.org. These comments may be forwarded to the attention of Jeffrey Nobili.

**The modification will be available for review/comment until June 30, 2019.**