State of Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development

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	<u>Wagner Peyser Act as amended by Workforce</u> nd Opportunity Act title III, Public Law 113-128	Effective: 2/3/2016
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1. Parties Affected

This policy applies to Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Division of Employment and Training Services (DETS) staff and individuals served through the Alaska Job Center Network.

2. Background

The DETS receives federal Wagner-Peyser funding to operate the Alaska Job Center Network, a statewide public labor exchange. DETS houses Wagner-Peyser funded staff in each job center who deliver basic career services to job seekers and recruitment and other services to employers. This policy serves as a methodology and process guide for allocating Wagner-Peyser resources, in the form of staff, to job centers based on appropriate workforce indicators.

3. Policy

Wagner-Peyser resources, in the form of staff, may be allocated to the job centers based on an average of the following:

- a. The unemployed civilian workforce in each area compared to the unemployed civilian workforce statewide.
- b. The employed civilian workforce in each area compared to employed civilian workforce statewide.
- c. The number of unemployment insurance claimants in each area compared to the number of unemployment insurance claimants statewide.