

## **Request for Proposals**

The Lackawanna County Workforce Development Board (WDB) is soliciting proposals that support business-educational activities addressing **innovative** initiatives centered around career pathways. Projects must be designed for intermediate-aged students (ages 11-14) and provide career-related experiences and exposure opportunities through inter-active, hands-on projects/camps; workplace shadowing, career mentoring, financial literacy, etc. Projects designed to increase awareness of in-demand technical careers will receive a strong consideration. Projects, if awarded, must be conducted during the period of May 15, 2024, through August 31, 2024. A total of approximately **\$50,000** is available for distribution. **Interested applicants should contact Ms. Virginia Turano, Executive Director, Lackawanna County WDB, at [vturano@wiblackawanna.org](mailto:vturano@wiblackawanna.org) for proposal instructions and budget format.** Any/all proposals are due by 4:30 P.M. on Monday, April 15, 2024.