The South Bay Workforce Investment Board can help your business access and manage funding for employee training through the state Employment Training Panel (ETP). ETP is a business and labor-supported state agency that funds the costs of job skills training. The program is funded by the Employment Payroll Taxes paid by California employers, and targets firms threatened by out-of-state competition or who compete in the global economy.

ETP uses a simple Fixed-Fee rate to reimburse employers for training.

**Training Methods:**
- Classroom/Laboratory Training
- Productive Laboratory Training
- Computer-Based-Training (CBT)
- Interactive Training/Webinar

ETP provides additional incentive to assist small businesses and employers in high unemployment areas of the State.

**Eligible Entities:**
- Single Employers
- Groups of Employers
- Training Agencies
- Workforce Investment Boards
- Workforce Investment Act Grant Recipients or Administrative Entities

ETP funds training for currently employed and/or newly hired workers, and individuals who are unemployed at the start of training.

**Types of Trainees:**
- Unemployed workers trained and placed into full-time employment
- Existing and newly hired workers
- Employees and owners of small businesses

**To Determine Eligibility Contact:**
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