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Immediate Release

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The funds will be utilized by Educate the Block for pre-occupational comprehensive education and employment training services for pre-release and post-release adults.

Each program offers an industry credential certification upon completion and all in-demand fields that WorkFirst clients will have as an option to select for a career path.

The Hudson County Department of Housing and Community

Reintegration Program operates certified One Stop Employment and Training center in the walls of the Hudson County Department of Corrections. The County of Hudson is the only local jail with a functioning One Stop Program in their correctional facility. The Department intends to fully operate its One Stop Program, expand its basic educational services, and bolster its degree and certification programs with the County College.

The term of the grant will run from January 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023.

Board Chairman Anthony Vainieri and the Hudson County Board of Commissioners are committed to providing the necessary resources needed to assist pre-release and post-release adults in acquiring educational training in order for them to obtain gainful employment.

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