Ivy on the Go Education Project

Proposed Recipient: Ivy Tech Community College

Address of Recipient: 50 W Fall Creek Pkwy N Dr, Indianapolis, IN 46208

Amount of the Request: \$300,000

Explanation of Request: The funding would be used to create the Ivy on the Go! mobile unit that will reach underserved areas of Marion county. Ivy on the Go! will provide services to neighborhood community centers, middle and high schools, as well as community events, and will showcase training opportunities at Ivy Tech. This initiative is a valuable use of taxpayer funds because too many Marion county residents are unemployed or underemployed. Ivy on the Go! will enable Ivy Tech Indianapolis to reach residents living in education deserts. Ivy on the Go! will reach upwards of 10,000 residents in underserved communities a year. If 2,500 enrolled and completed a training program leading to a job paying \$18 per hour, over \$90,000,000 would be generated in wages.