Youth Employment Plan  
Los Angeles River Center and Gardens Improvements  

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Background:  
The MRCA has a project agreement in the amount of $100,000.00 with the Los Angeles County Regional Park and Open Space District for improvements to the Los Angeles River Center and Gardens. The scope of work includes the following:  

General improvements to the Los Angeles River Center and Gardens, including rehabilitation of a community room, development of existing restrooms, access improvements, roofing, HVAC and A/V systems.  

Tasks to be performed by at-risk youth:  
1. New roofing on Sierra Madre Building 80 total hours  
2. Demolition/salvage Sierra Madre Building, 2nd Floor 40 total hours  
3. Renovations at Sierra Madre Building and Barbacoa 40 total hours  

Estimated cost of at-risk youth employment:  
Total estimated hours of at-risk youth employment 160 hours  
Estimated average hourly rate $12.00  
Total estimated cost of at-risk youth employment $1,920.00  

Method of at-risk youth employment:  
The MRCA currently has one employee in the Construction Division that qualifies as an at-risk youth. Additional qualified youth may be hired on a temporary basis for the project.  

Youth Employment Goal, Los Angeles River Center improvements: $1,920.00