New Opportunities under the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act

Increase Return on Investment
- Flexible spending
- Linkages to in-demand occupations/sector partnerships
- Same performance criteria across core programs
- Performance measure includes serving business

Enhance Service Delivery
- Competitive procurement of OMJ Center operators
- Certification of OMJ Centers
- Local areas have consistent labor markets and economic development

Advance Partner Linkages
- Continues Ohio’s partnerships through the Combined State Plan
- Local and regional planning
- Core programs include ABLE and Rehabilitative Services
- Memorandum of Understanding includes infrastructure funding

Enrich Services to Customers and Businesses
- Emphasis on career pathways and sector initiatives
- Opportunities for Incumbent Worker Training
- Increased importance on serving disengaged young adults