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Federal stimulus dollars are being put to work in the Tri-State by helping at-risk youth and young adults complete their education while getting job training.

The Youthbuild U.S.A. program was expanded into 183 community groups as part of an increased appropriation and \$50 million in stimulus funds.

Cincinnati-Hamilton County Community Action Agency or CAA will receive funding to support the program for the next two years.

The U.S. Department of Labor awarded a total of 183 Youthbuild grants.

Spokesman for CAA, Mason Gray, says the program will help at risk youth earn their GED or high school diploma while teaching them the construction trade.

The program is free for participants.

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