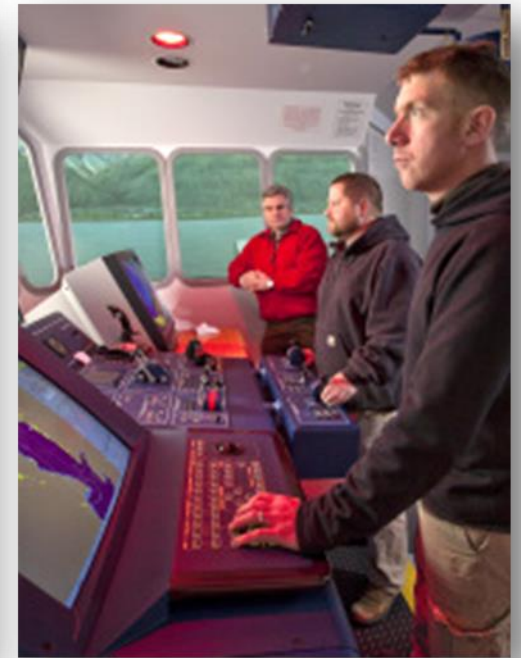


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State Funded Training Programs

The State Training and Employment Program (STEP)

- STEP funded by a % of employee contributions to unemployment insurance training fund.
- Training providers apply for STEP funding through a competitive process.
- In FY 21 there were 35 STEP grantees with a total award of \$5,512,765.

Alaska Construction Academy (ACA)

- The construction academies are funded by general fund dollars determined by the legislature.
- In FY 21 there were 8 construction academies with a total award of \$1,754,542.

Alaska Technical and Vocational Education Program (TVEP)

- The percentage awarded to recipients is determined by the legislature and is in statute.
- In FY21 there were seven TVEP recipients with a total award amount of \$4,350,000.



Federally Funded Training Programs

Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Youth Program

- Providers receive funding through a competitive grant process.
- In FY21 there were 13 WIOA Youth providers.
- The amount of the awards totaled \$3,736,854.

National Emergency Dislocated Worker Program

- In FY21 the NEG provided \$767,104 in recovery funds in response to the November 2018 earthquake.

Statewide Projects Program

- Alaska Works Partnership Inc. – Helmets to Hardhats.
- Alaska Coalition on Housing and Homelessness – Youth Housing Development Program.
- The FY21 funding amount was \$450,000.



Apprenticeship

The American Apprenticeship Initiative (AAI)

- Grant funds are used to expand healthcare sponsorship and provide pre-apprenticeship training funds.
- To date Apprenticeship Specialists have signed over 90 healthcare sponsors and registered over 650 apprentices in 17 healthcare occupations.
- Total grant award \$2,999,999.

The State Apprenticeship Expansion (SAE)

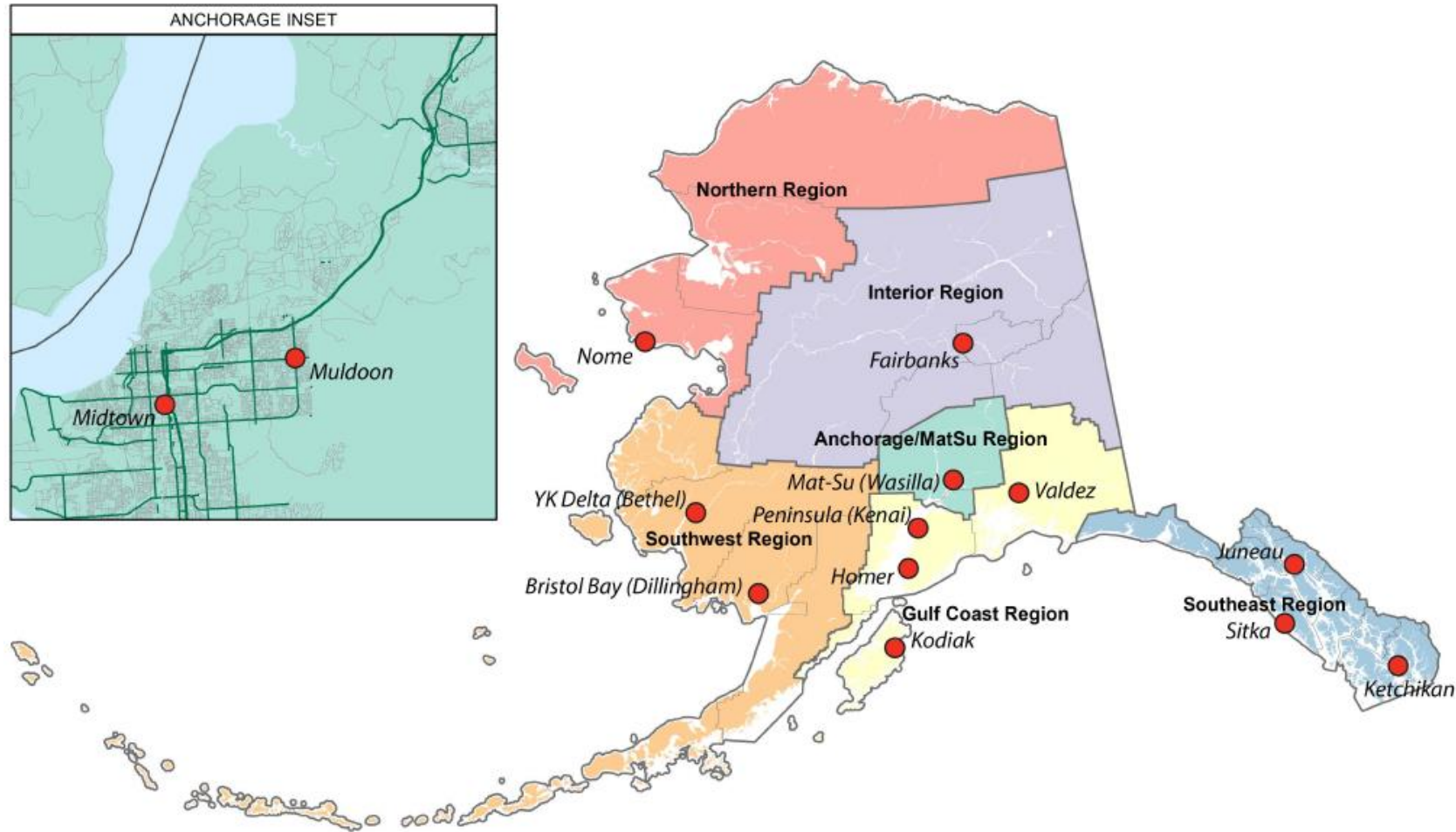
- The grant focus is to support integrated, statewide apprenticeship strategies and state capacity to engage industry and meet demand for new programs in both traditional industries.
- Total grant award \$1,867,586.

Apprenticeship State Expansion (ASE)

- The purpose of this grant is to integrate construction Registered Apprenticeship Programs (RAP) into the state workforce development system.
- Total grant award is \$1,000,000.

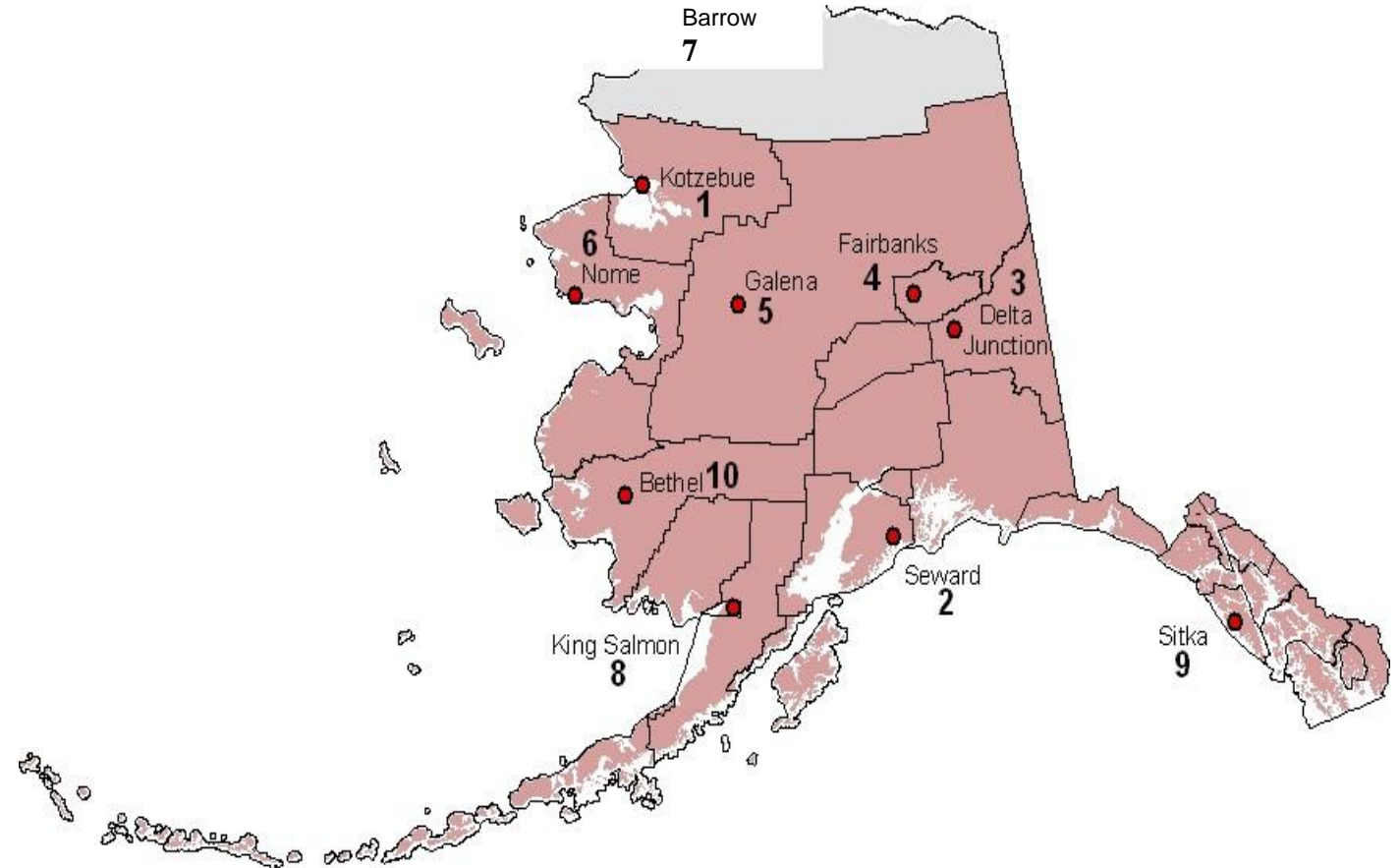


Alaska Job Center Network



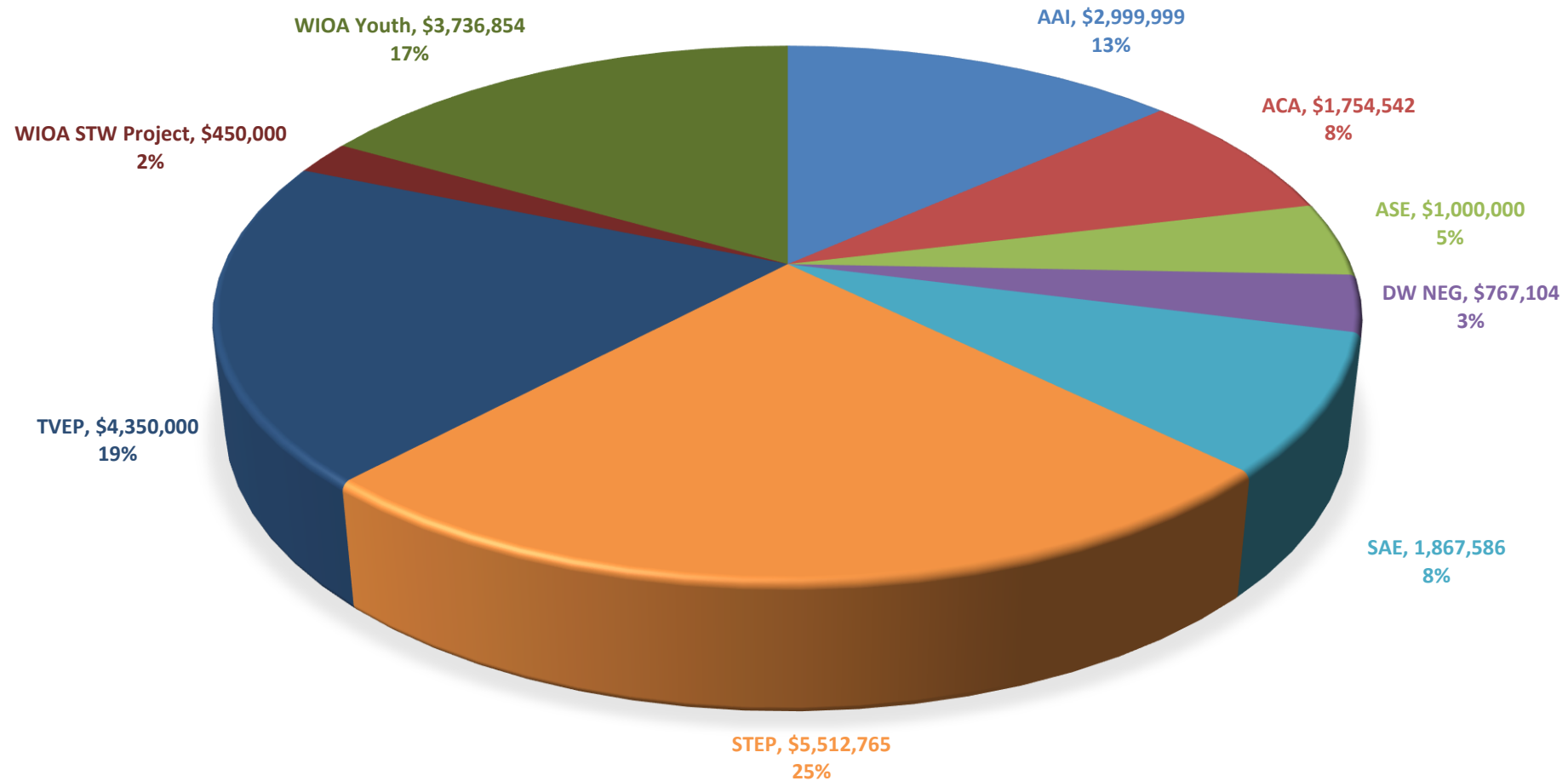
Regional Training Centers

1. Alaska Technical Center
2. AVTEC
3. Delta Career Advancement Center
4. Fairbanks Pipeline Training Center
5. Galena Interior Learning Academy
6. NACTEC - Northwestern Alaska Career and Technical Center
7. North Slope Training and Education Cooperative
8. SAVEC – Southwest Alaska Vocational Education Center
9. SE Alaska Career Center
 - **UA Workforce Programs**
10. Yuut Elitnaurviat - Peoples Learning Center



Source: DOLWD/Research and Analysis Section

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Alaska Vocational Technical Education Center (AVTEC) at a Glance

- A division of the DOLWD.
- Provides postsecondary CTE (vocational education) since 1969.
- Employer driven.
- Relevant training for Alaska jobs.
- Five year average, over 90% student completion.
- 90% placement and employment.
- Ranked in top 1% nation wide for best return on investment.



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