



Annual Report

Executive Director's Message

2023 was a year of growth, innovation, and deeper community impact for PVJOBS. Through strategic partnerships, expanded workforce development programs, violence prevention services, and increased investment from public and private funders, PVJOBS continued to create pathways to economic opportunity for individuals facing barriers to employment.

This year, we strengthened our position as a regional leader in workforce development and community-based intervention services. We launched a Major Gifts Campaign to increase philanthropic engagement and build long-term sustainability for our organization. We also expanded our project portfolio through the award of a new Affordable Housing and Sustainable Communities project and were added to the San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG) list of approved Job Coordinator Service vendors, creating new opportunities to connect underserved residents to construction careers.

A major milestone in 2023 was the continued implementation of our \$6 million California Violence Intervention and Prevention (CalVIP) grant through the HATCH Multi-Site Initiative. Working alongside our valued partners at MCS Boyle Heights, MCS Hollywood, and Watts Labor Community Action Committee (WLCAC), PVJOBS provided violence prevention services, workforce development, and pre-apprenticeship opportunities to individuals and communities impacted by violence and economic hardship.

Our commitment to youth development also remained a priority. More than 600 high school students participated in our 3rd Annual Future Entrepreneurs Conference at West Los Angeles College, where they gained valuable financial literacy knowledge and exposure to entrepreneurship opportunities. Through these investments, we continue to empower young people to build brighter futures for themselves and their communities.

We are grateful for the support of our funders, partners, staff, board members, and community stakeholders who make this work possible. Together, we are creating opportunities, changing lives, and strengthening communities throughout Southern California.

Mary Taylor, Executive Director 2



Hatch Multi-Site

PVJOBS continued implementation of its \$6 million California Violence Intervention and Prevention (CalVIP) grant through the HATCH Multi-Site Initiative. The innovative collaboration brings together community-based organizations committed to reducing violence while creating pathways to education, training, and employment.

The initiative operates through four community-based sites: PVJOBS in Los Angeles, MCS Boyle Heights, MCS Hollywood, and Watts Labor Community Action Committee (WLCAC) in Watts. Through this collaborative model, participants receive comprehensive services that include violence prevention interventions, workforce readiness training, pre-apprenticeship opportunities, supportive services, and direct connections to employment.

By combining community-based violence prevention strategies with career-track workforce development programs, the HATCH Initiative addresses both the immediate needs of participants and the long-term economic conditions that can contribute to cycles of violence. The program represents an important investment in safer communities and stronger economic opportunities for residents throughout Los Angeles County.

Major Gifts...



PVJOBS experienced substantial growth in 2023 through the expansion of strategic partnerships and the acquisition of significant new funding resources. The organization launched its first Major Gifts Campaign, creating new opportunities for philanthropic investment and long-term sustainability. Additionally, PVJOBS secured a new Affordable Housing and Sustainable Communities project, further strengthening its role in connecting local residents to employment opportunities generated by community development initiatives.

The organization also expanded its geographic reach by being added to the San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG) list of approved Job Coordinator Services vendors. This designation positions PVJOBS to support targeted hiring and workforce development efforts throughout additional regions of Southern California, building upon the organization's long history of connecting underserved individuals to career-track employment opportunities.

A major investment in youth workforce development was provided through a new grant from Whittier Trust. The two-year award of \$700,000 annually will support workforce development and pre-apprenticeship services for 70 transition-aged youth each year, helping young adults gain the skills, training, and career pathways necessary to achieve long-term economic self-sufficiency.



Enrolled: 229



Placed: 90



Average wage: \$23.45



Revenue: \$4,650,541
Expenses: \$4,543,631
Net Change: \$106,910

Performance & Financials

