

**Resolution 19-18**  
**Approval of the Career Centers Certification**

**Whereas**, WIOA Section 121; 20 CFR 678 Subpart F (678.800) and WIOA Training and Employment Guidance Letter (TEGL) No. 16.16; requires that Workforce Development Boards certify their One-Stop Career Centers known as American Jobs Centers every 3 years,

**Whereas**, Technical Advisory #18-1 establishes the New York State policy for certifying One-Stop Centers under WIOA, requiring certification every 3 years beginning with program year 2017,

**Whereas**, the Jefferson-Lewis Workforce Development Board established a committee to review and address three criteria categories: accessibility, effectiveness, and continuous improvement of One-Stop Centers and delivery systems;

**Whereas**, the Jefferson-Lewis Workforce Development Board did not establish additional certification criteria;

**Whereas**, the committees prepared on-site evaluation of the 2 components, required standards, and enhancement standards answering yes or no to each standard;

**Whereas**, both Watertown and Lowville locations met the criteria for certification.

**Therefore**, be it resolved that the One-Stop Career Centers located in Watertown and Lowville are deemed certified by the Jefferson-Lewis Workforce Development Board for the next three years, until March 2023.