

112TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 877

To express the sense of Congress that Federal job training programs that target older adults should work with nonprofit organizations that have a record of success in developing and implementing research-based technology curriculum designed specifically for older adults.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 2, 2011

Mr. CLAY (for himself and Mrs. EMERSON) introduced the following bill;
which was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SENSE OF CONGRESS REGARDING TECH-**
4 **NOLOGY TRAINING FOR OLDER AMERICANS.**

5 It is the sense of Congress that the Senior Commu-
6 nity Service Employment Program (SCSEP) established
7 under section 502 of the Older Americans Act (42 U.S.C.

1 3056) and any other Federal program that provides job
2 training and placement services for older adults should—

3 (1) work with nonprofit organizations that have
4 a record of success in developing and implementing
5 research-based technology curriculum designed spe-
6 cifically for older adults; and

7 (2) partner with such nonprofit organizations to
8 provide training, comprehensive student materials,
9 and support for a broad range of workforce tech-
10 nology skills, including basic and intermediate com-
11 puter skills, Internet, email, word processing,
12 spreadsheets, presentations, and other key skills ap-
13 propriate for assisting older adults to enter or re-
14 enter the workforce.

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