

**ANALYSIS OF JTIP REQUEST FOR FUNDING**  
**General Airframe Support, Inc.**  
**Roswell**

**DATE** April 9, 2021  
**COMPANY CONTACT** Isaac Sheets, President & CEO  
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**PRODUCT/SERVICE** Commercial Aircraft Service, Reclamation, Preservation, Protection & Part Sales  
**COMPANY WEBSITE** genairsupport.com  
**CURRENT NM EMPLOYEES** 16  
**AMOUNT REQUESTED**  
Wage Reimbursement: \$169,062.40  
Audit fees: \$ 1,250.00  
Total: \$170,312.40  
**REIMBURSEMENT %** 65% Rural  
**NUMBER OF TRAINEES** 16  
**AVERAGE WAGE** \$20.32

**HISTORY**

General Airframe Support, Inc. was founded in Stuttgart, AZ in March, 2013. In the fall of 2017 the company re-located to Roswell. General Airframe Support is an Aviation Supplier Association (ASA) accredited distributor of aircraft parts and accredited by Aircraft Fleet Recycling Association (AFRA) in the disassembly and recycling of aircraft. The company maintains a large inventory of aircraft parts in a 150,000 square foot facility along with 5,200 acres of airport property. General Airframe Support offers comprehensive disassembly and reclamation services, from basic component removal to complete teardown and disposal of the aircraft.

**EMPLOYMENT/EXPANSION**

General Airframe Support is acquiring an FAA 145 Service, Protection, Storage and Preservation certification. This, at a minimum will need 16 certified mechanics and inspectors. The COVID-19 has grounded over 600 active aircraft at Roswell Int'l Air Center and 50% will need to be returned to service and 50% will need to be reclaimed for part sales.

**PREVIOUS JTIP PARTICIPATION**

General Airframe Support has been approved for JTIP on one previous occasion:

Project #	Start and End Dates	# Positions Approved	# Positions Claimed	# Still Employed	# with Raises or Promotions
PRJ-2020-0075	5/15/2020-5/15/2021	16	2*	2	0

\*The trainees hired under the previous JTIP project are in the process of completing their training hours.

**FUNDING REQUEST**

General Airframe Support is requesting funds for training sixteen employees in the following job classifications:

POSITION	NUMBER	JOB ZONE	HOURS	WAGE RANGE
Mechanic 49-3011.00	10	3	960	\$13.00-\$25.00 (\$19.00)
Aviation Inspectors 53-6051.01	6	3	960	\$13.00-\$35.00 (\$24.00)
<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>			

Numerous positions approved on the previous project were not filled within the hiring period and are re-applications.

**TRAINING PLAN**

Training plans are specific to each position and meet the requirements for hours requested.

**BENEFITS**

General Airframe Support offers the following employee benefits:

- Major Medical, Dental & Vision – 50% employer paid premium, effective 1<sup>st</sup> of the month following 60 days of employment
- Paid Holidays – 6 days annually
- Paid Time Off – 40 hours after 1<sup>st</sup> year, 60 hours after 3 years, 80 hours after 5 years

- Life Insurance – 100%, the company pays in full for a term life insurance of \$20K
- 401k - After one year of employment the company gives the employee a 5% raise to contribute to their 401K and the company matches it with an additional 4%.

**RECOMMENDATION**

Staff has reviewed General Airframe Support, Inc.'s request for JTIP funding. The company is eligible and the request falls within JTIP guidelines.