

Regional Convener (RC)

Lead Partner Organizations




Fiscal Agent



The lead organizations are tasked with organizing an inclusive group of regional stakeholders to form the HRTC and, with the Fiscal Agent, implement the planning grant in the Kern CERF region.

Kern High Road Transition Collaboratives (KHRTCs) aka Subregional Collaboratives



Subregional Collaboratives: Inclusive regional planning groups that consist of balanced and meaningful representation from regional stakeholders. Ongoing technical assistance will be provided in the form of community education, grant writing, and Capacity Building.

Regional Convener Coordinators (STAFF)

Work with the Regional Convener (Kern Coalition) to host HRTC Meetings.

North –
3 GC
Reps

South –
3 GC
Reps

Central –
5 GC
Reps

East –
3 GC
Reps

West –
3 GC
Reps

Up to 3 Industry Collaboratives & Up to 3 Industry Leads

Industry Collaboratives work with the KHRTCs

- Research specific to industry sectors
- Develop “exploratory” and/or “last mile” projects
- Map career pathways, apprenticeships, and training w/ partners
- Develop workforce training plan w/ partners
- Liaise w/public agencies, cities, counties, and CA Native American tribes--business development strategies
- Develop revolving loan for entrepreneurship
- Support anchor institutions

Governance Council (GC)

17 Elected Representatives are selected through an elections process via the KHRTCs and 1 ex-officio membership for the Kern Coalition Regional Convener.

*The RC may appoint representatives if there is under-representation from a required stakeholder group.