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**Greenville County Workforce Development Board (GCWDB)
Committee on Services to Individuals with Disabilities (CSID) Meeting
Thursday, October 27, 2022
9:00 – 10:00 AM**

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Meeting ID: 861 0459 0925

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Agenda

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- I. **Welcome** - David
- II. **Call to Order** - David
- III. **Quorum Validation** - David
- IV. **September 22 Minutes Approval** - David
- V. **Old Business**
 - a. **Talents ASCEND presentation – Robyn Grable (confirmed)**
 - b. **Proposed January dates, invitation for Talents ASCEND Employer event**
 - c. **Employer invitees**
- VI. **New Business**
- VII. **Adjourn** - David

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Minutes

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Attended: Michelle Neeley (Goodwill), David Turnipseed (SCVR), Tyler Rex (Thrive Upstate), Laura Bogardus (NAC) Allison Fleahman (GCS), Cheryl Johnson (BSHS Project SEARCH), Mike Teachey (NAC)

Absent: Julie Hollister (YMCA), , Levetta Williams (GCS HR), Lara Ceisel (BSF/GCAN), Dean Jones (GWIB), Sandy Jordan (Able SC)

- I. **Welcome** – David opened the meeting at 9:03 and called the meeting to order.
- II. **Old Business**
 - a. Michelle presented on the evolution and launch of **Mission Mobile** followed by questions and answers.
 - b. The **Talents ASCEND** launch has been delayed to October 10. Robyn Grable suggested that employer presentations be moved to the week of November 1 and the week of January 9. Group discussed and decided to invite Robyn to the CSID meeting for presentation to our group, as we represent a “soft launch” test group of employers that will use the software. We will then schedule our two employer meetings virtually for the week of January 9.
 - c. **ACTION ITEM:** all to continue to add, delete, or comment on the [employer invitee list](#) for January via the shared Google Drive document.
 - d. Laura reviewed the latest draft of the shared presentation. **ACTION ITEM:** Tyler, Cheryl, Michelle/David/Allison working on Success Story slides. Please send to Laura by **September 29**. Presentation to then be approved by CSID for use by any CSID member. As October is Disability Employment Awareness Month, we should actively seek opportunities to present it. Also present to WD Board.
- III. **New Business**
 - a. Alex Garvey promoted to another position. Thanks to Alex for his dedication and leadership in bringing Project SEARCH to Greenville and BSHS.

- b. Cheryl has been dedicated to bringing a BSHS recruiter onto her advisory board and expects this to happen very soon.

IV. **Minutes Approval.** A quorum was present. Michelle made a motion to accept the August 25th meeting minutes as presented. Seconded. Motion carried.

V. **Adjourn.** The next meeting date is October 27. **ACTION ITEM:** Laura will ask RO TalentsASCEND if she is available. David adjourned the meeting at 10:04 a.m.

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