Greenville County Workforce Development Board (GCWDB)

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Greenville County Workforce Development Board (GCWDB) Executive Committee Zoom Meeting Tuesday, June 6, 2023 11:30 A.M.

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Committee Members (5): Craig Kinley, Robyn Knox, Larry Miller, Kathy Stanton, David Turnipseed

Agenda

Welcome and Call to Order

Ms. Robyn Knox, Chair

- II. Quorum Validation (3 or more)
- III. Minutes Approval (April 4, 2023)*
- IV. Director's Report

Mr. Dean E. Jones, GCWDB Director

- a. PY23 WIOA Budget Approval*
- b. Blanket Approval to Transfer Between Adult and Dislocated Worker Funds*
- c. Financial Status Report
- d. PY22 Q3 WIOA Performance
- e. SCDEW Monitoring Update
- f. SWDB Approved Individual and Employer Training Grants
- g. Youth Out-of-School Waiver
- V. Other Business
- VI. Adjourn

*Denotes an action item





Greenville County Workforce Development Board (GCWDB) Executive Committee Meeting Tuesday, April 4, 2023 Meeting held via Zoom Call

Minutes

Members Present: Robyn Knox, Kathy Stanton, and David Turnipseed

Members Absent: Craig Kinley and Larry Miller

Staff Present: Dean Jones and Eva Anagnostis

I. Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 11:33 a.m.

II. Quorum Validation (3 or more): A quorum was present.

- III. Minutes Approval (February 7, 2023)*: Minutes were approved as submitted.
- IV. Director's Report (Mr. Dean E. Jones, GCWDB Director)
 - 1. Southeastern Employment & Training Association (SETA) Conference Review: Mr. Jones opened up discussion amongst the members who attended the recent SETA Conference. Chair Knox shared presentation documents via a shared drive, including those from a presentation on childcare and the effect on the economy. This presentation discussed a study where childcare was funded by three different entities: parents, employers, and the state. If costs are split this way, there is a positive return on investment for all parties (e.g., earnings, tax revenue).
 - 2. Changes at SC Department of Employment and Workforce (DEW): Mr. Jones informed the committee about some staffing changes at SCDEW. Mr. Grey Parks (previous Director of Employment Services) left SCDEW, and there have been lots of staffing shifts to interim positions while the hiring process proceeds. William Floyd has been the Acting Executive Director of DEW, and he is currently going through the confirmation process to become the Executive Director.
 - 3. Local Workforce Development Area (LWDA) Designation: Mr. Jones described the process by which each LWDA must petition to the Governor to become or remain a designated LWDA. We are currently completing the paperwork that certifies our Board membership is in compliance, ensures our fiscal management is in compliance, and describes our recent performance. The only item we need to address immediately is getting an Apprenticeship spot filled on our Board. Mr. Jones has sent out dozens of emails and reached out to various organizations to try to solicit a nomination.
 - 4. PY23 SC Works Greenville Memorandum of Understanding/Infrastructure Funding Agreement (MOU/IFA) Update: We are currently in the process of the MOU/IFA Negotiations



- for PY23. All but a few organizations have agreed to how we will share the costs of the SC Works Center. Once the last few agree, Ms. Eva Anagnostis will reach out to Chair Knox to get the Report of Outcomes signed.
- **5. Greenville County Changes:** Mr. Jones gave an update on a few county items. Greenville County is gearing up to move to the new County building. Mr. Jones also shared information from a recent budget discussion. Our department is funded 100% by federal funds, so our budget is not affected much by County budget changes.
- V. Other Business: We discussed the May 10th Board meeting. May 10th is a state holiday, so the SC Works Center will be closed. Since Greenville County employees and our contractors are all working, we can have a fully virtual meeting.
- VI. Adjourn: The meeting was adjourned at 12:08 p.m.

*Denotes an action item for GCWDB or Executive Committee approval