

One Stop Partner Meeting Minutes

Tuesday

February 7th, 2023

12:00 PM

Meeting Facilitator: Melissa Bias, Executive Director of Region 2 Workforce Investment Board

Present: Yrette Barrett, Samantha Page, Tim Bowens, William Corley, Brad Engebretson, Loretta Browning, Darius Booker, Chris Overstreet, Chad Porter, Tali Gaydosz, Paige Justice, Jill Goheen, Carol Howerton, Teresa Haer, Brian Hankins, Reggie Jones, Marleen Persons, Wade Thompson, Sherri Slone, Michael Robinette, Kristy Wood, Melissa Bias, Adam Warden, Jakki Jackson, Burcu Delph, Heather Merritt, and Jenifer Pritt.

Welcome and Introductions:

- Introductions around to the room were conducted to tell who they were and what organization they represented.

Minutes:

- There was a motion to approve minutes from our last session on 01.10.23. Reggie Jones approved the Minutes and Brian Hankins seconded the notion.

Updates:

- KISRA discussed the programs that they offer with their organization. They offer workshops regarding parenting, relationships, financial, and domestic violence.
- Workforce discussed that the state will be pushing bonding letters. Bonding letters are insurance for an employer to hire an individual. The Bonding Letter starts the day the employee starts working.
- RCBI shared a Women focus camp that will occur on March 20th that will focus on CNC operations.

Job Seeker/ Customer Service Scenario:

- A scenario was presented to the group of an individual. It was up to the group to determine what services could help this individual get on to a better path in life.

- A discussion was held afterward about how many of these services could help but how overwhelming it can be for different individuals.

Referral Process:

- A new paper Referral was present to the Partners to help streamline the services that could help an individual get to the different services.

Upcoming Events:

- Speed Hiring event in Logan on February 24th from 8am-5pm
- Calendar was provided to Partners with upcoming informational webinars though the month of February.
- Workforce shared that there will be a virtual job fair on the 15th for state/ local jobs.

Open Floor/ Questions:

- **Partners requested list of contact for Partners present at Meeting.**
- **Partners discussed idea of routine training of different programs to staff of different organizations**
- **Partners discussed having a resource page with a specific contact for that resource**

Adjourned at 2:27pm

Respectfully Submitted by Adam Warden