# POLICY BOARD MEETING

October 24, 2017 Tuesday

12:00 Noon

#### **AGENDA**

# A Meeting of the Policy Board of the SELACO Workforce Development Board

#### SELACO WDB Offices 10900 East 183<sup>rd</sup> Street, Suite 350 Cerritos, California

#### 12:00 noon, Tuesday, October 24, 2017

1.	Call to Order	
2.	Pledge of Allegiance	
3.	Roll Call	
	Member Victor Manalo, Councilmember, City of Artesia Member Grace Hu, Mayor, City of Cerritos Member Rick Rodriguez, Council Member, City of Downey Member Hank Trimble, Mayor, City of Hawaiian Gardens Member Tony Ayala, Councilmember, City of Norwalk Vice Chairman Sonny Santa Ines, Council Member, City of Bellflow Chairman Jeff Wood, Council Member, City of Lakewood	ver
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#### **MINUTES**

# A MEETING OF THE POLICY BOARD OF THE WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD OF SOUTHEAST LOS ANGELES COUNTY

August 15, 2017

12:00 p.m.

SELACO WDB Offices 10900 E. 183<sup>rd</sup> Street Suite 350. Cerritos, CA

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

The Policy Board Meeting was called to order by Chairman Jeff Wood at 12:00 p.m.

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Member Hu.

#### **ROLL CALL**

POLICY BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Jeff Wood, Lakewood, Chairman; Sonny Santa Ines, Bellflower, Vice Chairman; Victor Manalo, Artesia; Grace Hu, Cerritos; Blanca Pacheco, Downey; Hank Trimble, Hawaiian Gardens; Tony Ayala, Norwalk.

POLICY BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: None.

OTHERS PRESENT: Jack Joseph, Policy Board Administrator; Yolanda Castro, SELACO WDB Executive Director; Tam Dang, SELACO WDB Deputy Director; Carol Reyes Davis.

#### **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

There were no public comments.

#### **CONSENT CALENDAR**

- A. Approval of the Minutes of the Policy Board Meeting of June 27, 2017
- **B. WDB Attendance Roster**
- C. Program Report for 07/01/16-5/31/17

It was moved by Member Ayala, seconded by Member Trimble, to approve the consent calendar. The motion was approved unanimously.

#### **BUSINESS SESSION**

#### A. Report from the WDB Executive Director

SELACO WDB Executive Director Yolanda Castro reported on Metro's WIN-LA (Workforce Initiative Now-LA) launch event held on July 28<sup>th</sup> at which SELACO was represented by Policy Board Chairman Jeff Wood. She said 39 percent of Metro's workforce will be eligible for retirement over the next three years and Metro has asked local WIBs to help Metro fill these positions.

Ms. Castro said the out of school youth program has been revamped and that SELACO WDB has developed a Career Academy for Targeted Sectors (CATS) program through which SELACO is working with local industries to direct students. She reported that four students had completed the first pilot boot camp, which featured representatives from different companies. She said participants were spoken to about budgeting, what clothes to wear for work, and other practical things about the workplace. She asked Cory Lovelady, a Bellflower resident who graduated from the program, to speak of his experiences in the CATS program. He said he plans to become a medical assistant.

Ms. Castro announced the September 15<sup>th</sup> grand opening of the business resource room.

#### B. Annual Appointment to the WDB

No action was taken on this item.

- C. MOU Phase I with the Norwalk Housing Authority
- D. MOU Phase II with the Employment Development Department (EDD)
- E. MOU Phase I Amendment and Phase II with Department of Social Services—Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (DPSS-TANF)
- F. MOU Phase I and Phase II with Field of Dreams
- G. MOU Phase II with Department of Rehabilitation (DOR)

The Executive Director summarized the agreements with the required partners in SELACO local area regarding the operations of the One-Stop system as it relates to shared services and customers.

It was moved by Member Trimble, seconded by Member Manalo, to approve MOUs C through G. The motion was approved unanimously.

#### **INFORMATION ITEMS**

#### A. Local Board Certification

The Executive Director referred the Policy Board to the letter from the California Workforce Development Board granting SELACO full local board certification. Chairman Wood asked the Executive Director to convey the Policy Board's appreciation to the staff.

#### B. Workforce Initiative Now—Los Angeles (WIN-LA)

This item was covered under the Executive Director's Report.

## C. Status of Partner Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for Phase I and Phase II

The Executive Director provided an overview of the status of the required MOU's.

# D. Summary of Funding Allocation for California Workforce Development Board 2017-18 Program Year

The Executive Director referred the Policy Board to a chart showing the changes in allocations to the workforce boards throughout the state. Overall, the Los Angeles County/Orange County region experienced a \$15,391,074 reduction in funding from PY 2016-17 to 2017-18.

#### **INTERESTING CORRESPONDENCE**

There were no items presented.

#### **ITEMS FROM STAFF**

There were no additional items from staff.

#### **BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS**

Chairman Wood reported that the Lakewood City Council had hired Santa Fe Springs City Manager Thaddeus McCormack as the new city manager and that he would be starting the day after Labor Day.

Member Ayala said the City of Norwalk is moving forward on a new facility for SELACO.

Vice Chairman Santa Ines reported that construction of the City of Bellflower's Event Center and Fire Museum will be completed by Christmas.

Member Trimble reported that the Hawaiian Gardens City Council had completed its MOU with the employees' union. He reported on the Robert Canada Friendship Pow Wow, an annual event attended by Indian tribes held in Hawaiian Gardens. He said the City had initiated a second chance program for ex-felons.

Member Manalo said the Artesia City Council had approved a new development on South Street west of Pioneer Blvd. He said the City would be holding its annual International Fair during the first weekend of October.

Member Hu said that Cerritos is doing very well and that the Council had adopted a balanced budget and added a half million dollars to trim trees.

Member Pacheco reported that the City of Downey is giving high school students opportunities to work in other employments. She said the City would be hosting an International Food Festival on September 16<sup>th</sup>.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting of the Policy Board was adjourned by consensus at 1:15 p.m.



# SELACO WDB Board of Directors Attendance Roster – PY 17/18

Board Members	2017	8/24 2017	9/28 2017	10/26 2017	2017	12 2017	1/25 2018	2/22 2018	3/22 2018	4/26 2018	5/24 2018	6/28 2018
Castellanos, Allison Chair	≀	×	А									
Business Representative – City of Lakewood												
Cummins, Byron	≀	A	A									
Dameron, Mark	2	A	X									
Business Representative – City of Lakewood												
Derthick, Joseph	2	×	X									
Vice Chair  Business Representative –												
Drake, Aaron	2	AE	X									
Business Representative –			}									
City of Bellflower												
Escamilla, Georgina	₹	Ą	AE									
Business Representative - City of Hawaiian Gardens												
Espitia, Ben	2	X	X									
Secretary/Treasurer												
Labor Organization												
Flores, Val	~	ΑE	X									
Business Representative –												
City of Downey												
Gomez, Belle	~	X	X									
Education Entity												
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Public Employment Service												

Board Members	7/27 2017	8/24 2017	9/28 2017	10/26 2017	11 2017	12 2017	1/25 2018	2/22 2018	3/22 2018	4/26 2018	5/24 2018	6/28 2018
11. Kucera, Kevin Labor Organization	ł	A	A									
12. Levine, Barbara Economic Development	}	AE	×									
13. Li, Chad Business Representative	ł	A	A									
14. Menezes, Paulo Business Representative – City of Arresia	3	∢	A									
15. Ngo, Henry Business Representative – City of Cerritos	ì	A	A									
16. Ochoa, Pete Business Representative – City of Artesia	ł	AE	AE									
17. Pathak, Pino Business Representative – City of Cerritos	ł	₹.	A									
18. Polley, Tracy Business Representative – City of Norwalk	ì	×	×									
19. Rapue, Judith Labor Organization	ł	AE	AE									
20. Reed, Richard Labor Organization	₹	A	А									
<ul><li>21. Saucedo-Garcia, Cristina Business Representative – City of Downey</li></ul>	ì	×	×									
22. Todd, Sharon Education Entity	ì	×	AE									
23. Wehage, Larry Business Representative City of Bellflower	ł	×	X									
<b>24. Williams, Candy</b> Rehabilitation Organization	₹	A	X									
X = Present $A = Absent$	AE = A	Absence ]	ce Excused	SP =	Special Meeting	Meeting	N = ~	No Meeting	50			



#### PROGRAM OPERATIONS REPORT

July 01, 2017 - August 31, 2017

The Southeast Los Angeles County Workforce Development Board (SELACO WDB) respectfully submits the second Program Operations Report for the program year 2017-2018. This report reflects the various activities and services offered to our local employer and job seekers. This report demonstrates enrollments and service activities developed to meet the expectations of our Local Workforce Development Board in addition to meeting the requirements of our funding entities. The report includes information on the following:

- I. SUMMARY OF ENROLLMENTS
- II. CAREER CENTER VISITS
- III. ADULT SERVICES
- IV. PARTNER SERVICES
- V. YOUTH SERVICES
- VI. BUSINESS SERVICES
- VII. CHILD DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM
- VIII. CUSTOMER OUTREACH
  - IX. GLOSSARY OF TERMS

#### I. SUMMARY OF ENROLLMENTS

#### **LOCAL SERVICES PROGRAMS**

	ARTESIA	BELLFLOWER	CERRITOS	DOWNEY	HAWAIIAN GARDENS	LAKEWOOD	NORWALK	OTHER AREAS	TOTAL
ADULT	7	35	19	50	3	49	40	102	305
DISLOCATED WORKER	3	13	15	14	2	13	15	1	76
YOUTH SERVICES	14	6	4	4	8	9	19	8	72
TOTAL ENROLLMENTS	24	54	38	68	13	71	74	111	453

<sup>•</sup> In area service percentage: 76%

#### **REGIONAL SERVICES PROGRAMS**

	ARTESIA	BELLFLOWER	CERRITOS	DOWNEY	HAWAIIAN GARDENS	LAKEWOOD	NORWALK	OTHER AREAS	TOTAL
ETP PROGRAM	0	10	3	27	0	10	18	1,169	1,237
CHILD DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL ENROLLMENTS	0	10	3	27	0	10	18	1,169	1,237

In area service percentage <u>6%</u>

Out of area service percentage: 24%\*\*

Out of area service percentage 94%

#### II. CAREER CENTER VISITS

A. First Time Visits	CERRITOS AJCC	Firestone AJCC	Total
ARTESIA	8	0	8
BELLFLOWER	43	2	45
CERRITOS	13	0	13
DOWNEY	54	1	55
HAWAIIAN GARDENS	6	2	8
LAKEWOOD	26	0	26
NORWALK	79	5	84
OTHER AREAS	177	6	183
TOTAL	406	16	422

B. <u>Return Visits</u>	CERRITOS AJCC	Firestone AJCC	Total
ARTESIA	69	0	69
BELLFLOWER	265	2	267
CERRITOS	104	1	105
DOWNEY	19	13	32
HAWAIIAN GARDENS	24	1	25
LAKEWOOD	203	0	203
NORWALK	353	15	368
OTHER AREAS	338	15	353
TOTAL	1,375	47	1,422

<sup>\*</sup>Firestone AJCC closed on August 30, 2017.

#### III. ADULT SERVICES

\*(Data is presented based on Point of Entry.)

#### **WIOA Adult Program**

Customer Activity Breakdown by One-Stop Center

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	CERRITOS AJCC	FIRESTONE AJCC	TOTAL
Carry Over	185	45	230
New Enrollments	75	0	75
Training	5	2	7
Exits	6	2	8
Placements	1	0	1

Customer Activity Breakdown by City

	ARTESIA	BELLFLOWER	CERRITOS	DOWNEY	HAWAIIAN GARDENS	LAKEWOOD	NORWALK	OTHER AREAS	TOTAL
Carry Over	7	29	15	40	2	37	34	66	230
New Enrollments	0	6	4	10	1	12	6	36	75
Training	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	5	7
Exits	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	3	8
Placements	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1

<sup>\*</sup>Training, Exits and Placements include carry-over from last program year.

#### WIOA Dislocated Worker Program

Customer Activity Breakdown by One-Stop Center

	CERRITOS AJCC	FIRESTONE AJCC	TOTAL
Carry Over	59	11	70
New Enrollments	6	0	6
Training	1	0	1
Exits	3	0	3
Placements	0	0	0

Customer Activity Breakdown by City

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	ARTESIA	BELLFLOWER	CERRITOS	DOWNEY	HAWAIIAN GARDENS	LAKEWOOD	NORWALK	OTHER AREAS	TOTAL
Carry Over	3	11	15	12	2	13	14	11	70
New Enrollments	0	2	0	2	0	0	2	0	6
Training	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Exits	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	3
Placements	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

<sup>\*</sup>Training, Exits and Placements include carry-over from last program year.

<sup>\*</sup>SELACO WDB's current Placement Rate in the xxx month of reporting is 12%.

<sup>\*</sup>SELACO WDB's current Placement Rate in the xxx month of reporting is xx%.

#### California Disability Employment Initiative (DEI)

The DEI grant's purpose is to link people with disabilities to gainful employment, providing career lattices in a variety of high growth/high demand industry sectors. Create a system change that is sustainable for continuing the services and quality of services offered to persons with disabilities that enter the workforce investment system.

#### California Career Pathways Trust Grant Project

The Career Pathways Trust Grant Project aims to build awareness of the variety of careers available, connect the related postsecondary education, and encourage identification of career interest for middle through high school students. The project will create exposure and awareness of career options and workplace environments; knowledge of skills for indemand occupations within manufacturing and engineering as well as training requirements and preparation, understanding of peer and parental influences and effectively connect the students to the workplace. The goal of the experiences/activities is to decrease drop-out rates, increase employer engagement, improve quality of career decision making and tie school-to-real-world for 7th – 12th graders.

#### Transitional Subsidized Employment (TSE) Program

The TSE program is a program in collaboration with the South Bay Workforce Development Board that provides individuals the opportunity to gain the skills and hands on experience needed to transition into their next job and/or career. The program also gives companies a chance to give back to the community and provide opportunities for individuals to gain access into the workforce. SELACO WDB's role in bridging the gap between both parties is to help meet employer's workforce needs by providing qualified, pre-screened applicants.

#### IV. PARTNER SERVICES

#### EDD/CalJOBS Activity

#### **Upcoming Events**

EVENT	DATE / TIME	LOCATION / ADDRESS	TOPIC
Labor Market Information (LMI) Presentation	1st Monday of the Month	SELACO WDB – Cerritos AJCC	Career Exploration
Veteran Workshop	3rd Thursday of the Month	SELACO WDB – Cerritos AJCC	Overview of Veteran Services
Personalized Job Search Assistance (PJSA)	Every Wednesday	SELACO WDB – Cerritos AJCC	Review of Job Search Activities and Providing Resource Information

#### V. YOUTH SERVICES

#### WIOA Youth Programs

	Out of School Youth	_	In School Youth
Carry Over	37	New Enrollments	0
New Enrollments	3		

#### Los Angeles County Earn and Learn Program

The Earn and Learn program is designed to provide work-based learning to Los Angeles County's youth ages 14-21. The goal of the program is to introduce young people to the workplace, gain valuable employment skills and earn an income. Through this process, youth receive up to 20 hours of paid Personal Enrichment and Work Readiness Training (PET) to help them acquire some of the basic "soft skills" necessary to succeed in the workplace. Youth also work an average of 100 hours of work experience after the completion of the PET for a total of 120 hours of combined work preparation and work experience. Youth will also receive a monthly performance evaluation to better gage their individual strengths and weaknesses. Upon completion of the program, youth receive a certificate of Work Readiness.

	ABC USD	City of Hawaiian Gardens	Field of Dreams	TOTAL
Enrollments	31	1	0	32
Completions	0	0	0	0

#### Slingshot Apprenticeship Project

The Slingshot approved apprenticeship project will address two identified issues. The apprenticeship program through local employer, Stay Studio, focusing on small business/entrepreneurs will target the creative economy and will provide much needed on-the-job-training to students. The project will also concurrently address another gap – many local small businesses do not recognize their need to pay very close attention to the growing need for social media and digital marketing strategies. These small businesses fail to see the potential return on a fairly small investment in this area.

Through Stay Studio and Downey Unified School District, the recently state-approved Downey MADE Small Business/Entrepreneurs Apprenticeship Program was developed to operate in the local creative economy to combat these issues. The course takes place over the span of 16 weeks and is a combination of classroom instruction and on-the-job training. Utilizing the Slinsghot Apprenticeship funding, STAY will supplement incumbent workers' salaries to take on new skills in entrepreneurship, leadership and digital marketing. In addition to this, the Slinsghot Apprenticeship funding will highly incentivize the employers/small businesses to take on a new apprentice – and thereafter, elect to retain this employee full-time at a higher salary. We will incentivize employer participation in the project by paying the employee's salary while completing a total of 144 hours of required Related Supplemental Instruction (RSI).

The project kicked off on September 1, 2017. Projected outcomes and enrollment status will be reported in upcoming reports

#### VI. BUSINESS SERVICES

#### **Employment Training Panel (ETP) Programs**

#### Customer Activity

	ET16-0124 (Contract Term: 8/3/2015-8/2/2017)							
	Planned	Actual						
Enrollments	1056	1003						
Completions	768	763						
Retention	618	407						

	ET17-0284 (Contract Term: 10/31/2016-10/30/2017)							
	Planned	Actual						
Enrollments	181	178						
Completions	91	64						
Retention	64	27						

#### ETP Business and Training Highlights:

In August SELACO's Business Services Dept. and ETP Dept. participated in an event at Toolots in Cerritos. Toolots hosted a delegation of Chinese manufacturing managers and government bureaucrats, who were in the US to promote Janxing City in Xiuzhou District. Created specifically to support Chinese manufacturing companies while encouraging innovation and technical research, the city was designed from the ground up for the purpose of furthering Chinese's interests while attracting foreign investment capital. Industrial parks were designed to promote Hi-tech, Food, Smart Homes, Intelligent Kitchens, Photoelectric products, Logistics, Science and Nano-tech, CLoud technology, Connection and Control tech, and Waste Treatment. Cerritos Mayor Grace Hu made a presentation to the audience, followed by representatives of local govt. in the area. SELACO representatives had an opportunity to question the members of the delegation regarding accessing capital, logistical challenges, the costs involved in creating this industrial city, and future projects. The event presented an interesting view of business / government collaboration to achieve a common goal.

#### ETP Portraits of Success:

#### **Business Service Activities**

#### **BUSINESS HIGHLIGHTS/PORTRAIT OF SUCCESS:**

For the Month of July SELACO and Walmart partnered up once again to host one day recruitment at our Cerritos office. Walmart was looking to hire 60 positions for their Downey location. On the day of the recruitment, a total of 143 Job Seekers attended the recruitment. All job seekers received an interview and more than half were called in for a second interview.

Walmart has constantly stated that SELACO is their number one Workforce partner to contact as they have worked with multiple One-Stop centers but none even come close to the level of professionalism SELACO displays every time both parties partner up to have a recruitment.

#### A. Partner Activity

(Identify any Business Service Partner activity and/or relationships established)

PARTNER	ON-SITE	REFERRAL	Other	Description of Partnership
Cerritos Chamber of Commerce			Χ	Networking/ Sharing Information
Norwalk Chamber of Commerce			Χ	Networking/ Sharing Information

#### B. Business Activities

	ARTESIA	BELLFLOWER	CERRITOS	DOWNEY	HAWAIIAN GARDENS	LAKEWOOD	NORWALK	OTHER AREAS	
LACEMENTS (Represents Employers and their city of business who have hired WIOA Adult and Youth Participants.)									
Call Center Operator								Х	
College Medical Center								Х	
Convenant House								Х	
Costco								Х	
Del Rio Sanitarium								Х	
LA County Registrar's Office							Х		
The Orchard Post Acute Care								Х	
The RWD Group								Х	
SASSFA				Х					
Shorline Healthcare Center								Х	
Univision KMEX TV								Х	
Walmart								Х	
SPECIAL RECRUITMENT (Identify any Employer a	and the city in which	they operate, that yo	ou and/or your team	has assisted with di	rect recruiting activition	es.)			
Kanor Driving School								Х	
LAPD								Х	
MINISO						Χ			
Sherrif's			X			X			
Walmart				Χ					
ETP (Represents Companies receiving training and	other ETP related	services and the city	the company is loca	ted in.)					

	ARTESIA	BELLFLOWER	CERRITOS	DOWNEY	HAWAIIAN GARDENS	LAKEWOOD	NORWALK	OTHER AREAS	
WORK EXPERIENCE (Represents Companies with whom SELACO has work site agreements with and the city the company is located in.)									
GRAND TOTALS			1	2		2	1	12	

#### VII. CHILD DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

**Customer Activity** 

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PADELFORD PARK CHILD DEV'T CTR.		ARTESIA PARK CHILD DEV'T CTR.		MAYWOOD CHILD DEV'T CTR.		NORWALK CHILD DEV'T CTR.	
Planned	Actual	Planned	Actual	Planned	Actual	Planned	Actual
96		96		96		40	

BELLFLOWER I CHILD DEV'T CTR.		BELLFL CHILD DE	O =	LAKEWOOD CHILD DEV'T CTR.		
Planned	Actual	Planned	Actual	Planned	Actual	
80		99		96		

TOTAL						
Planned	Actual					
603	0					

#### Facilities:

**Enrollments** 

Enrollments

Artesia Child Development Center

18730 Clarkdale Avenue, Artesia, CA 90701

Center Director: Malajat Raja Phone Number: (562) 653-0290

A. J. Padelford Child Development Center

11922 169th Street, Artesia, CA 90701

Center Director: Liz Quintanilla Phone Number: (562) 926-2427

Bellflower Child Development Center

447 Flower Street, Bellflower, CA 90706

Center Director: Regina Mayo Phone Number: (562) 804-7990

Norwalk Child Development Center

14000 San Antonio Drive, Norwalk, CA 90650

Center Director: Silvia Guzman Phone Number: (562) 864-1958 Lakewood Child Development Center

5225-A Hayter Avenue, Lakewood, CA 90712

Center Director: Maria Navarro Phone Number: (562) 531-9440

Maywood Child Development Center

4803 58th Street, Maywood, CA 90270

Center Director: Silvia Guzman Phone Number: (323) 560-5656

Bellflower II Child Development Center

14523 Bellflower Blvd., Bellflower, CA 90706

Phone Number: (562) 867-8399

<sup>\*</sup> Child Development Centers open in September.

#### VIII. CUSTOMER OUTREACH

(Represents the number of contacts and/or events by service population made in each of our seven-city service area.)

OUTREACH ACTIVITY	ARTESIA	BELLFLOWER	CERRITOS	DOWNEY	HAWAIIAN GARDENS	LAKEWOOD	NORWALK	OTHER AREAS	TOTAL
Adult				2	2	2	1	1	8
Youth					2	2			4
Employer	0	3	11	11	3	6	3	58	95
Other									0
TOTAL	0	3	11	13	7	10	4	59	107

#### IX. GLOSSARY OF TERMS

AJCC: American Job Center of California

ASE: Academic Skills Enhancement

CalJOBS: California Job Services

CWDB California Workforce Development Board
CWIB: California Workforce Investment Board

DEI: Disability Employment Initiative

EDD: Employment Development Department

ETP: Employment Training Panel

GED: General Education Development

LMI: Labor Market Information

PJSA: Personalized Job Search Assistance

SELACO WDB: Southeast Los Angeles County Workforce Development Board

STEPS: Steps to Economic and Personal Success Workshop

TSE: Transitional Subsidized Employment

WDB: Workforce Development Board

WIA: Workforce Investment Act

WIOA: Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act

To: SELACO WDB Policy Board

From: Jack Joseph, Policy Board Administrator

**Date:** October 24, 2017

**Subject:** Pending Annual Appointments to the WDB

The terms of the following WDB members expired as of June 30, 2017. However, they continue to serve on the Board until they are either re-appointed or replaced. The two-year terms would expire on June 30, 2019.

Artesia Private Sector—Paolo Menezes (Law Offices of Duarte & Menezes) Cerritos Private Sector—Henry Ngo (Golden Star Technology)



#### **MEMORANDUM**

**DATE:** October 18, 2017

**TO:** SELACO Policy Board

**FROM:** Yolanda Castro, Executive Director

**RE:** Approval of SELACO WDB Budget for Program Year 2017-18

On August 24, 2017, the SELACO WDB Executive Committee reviewed and approved the attached budget for Program Year 2017-18. Pending ratification of SELACO WDB Board.

This item comes to the Policy Board for your review and approval. Attached is the proposed budget for program year 2017-18. Below is the detail explaining changes in revenues and expenditures.

#### Revenues

Changes in revenue are a result of the following:

- 1. SELACO received \$531,923 less in WIOA formula funding for Adult, Dislocated Worker and Youth (#15, #17 and #19), a 16% reduction compared to last fiscal year.
- 2. Our total WIOA projected carry-overs into FY 2017-18 (#14, #16 and #18) is \$1,086,773, which is \$87,120 more than last fiscal year. The State waived the traditional 20% carryover restriction allowing for a greater carry over of funds into the next program year.
- 3. There are five new grants (#4, #9, #10, #11 and #23), totaling to \$578,576. The balance of the projected revenue budget is coming from recurring programs and carry-overs (#3, #22, #25 and #27) with projected revenues compared to last year as shown on the last column of the projected revenue.

#### **Expenditures**

Changes in expenditures are a result of the following:

- 1. The overall personnel costs are reduced by \$220,040, a 7.4% reduction compared to last fiscal year. The reduction is due to layoff of four (4) staff in July and adjustment in staff benefits.
- 2. Total non-personnel costs are reduced by \$131,005 compared to last fiscal year.
- 3. The biggest reduction (\$94,658) is in rent due to the closing of the Norwalk location.
- 4. The overall in-house costs are reduced by \$351,045, a reduction of 9.1% compared to last fiscal year.
- 5. The proposed budget for Training and Support Services is increased by \$1,226,021, an increase of 27.7% compared to last fiscal year. The increases are due to the new programs, carry over program and project increase in earning in Pre-School program.

#### **Unobligated Balance**

With the projected revenues and proposed expenditures we will have an unobligated balance of \$824,174, \$782,034 of which is projected WIOA carry-overs into next fiscal year. The carry over funds represent \$304,739 less than last fiscal year.

#### **Action Required**

Approve budget for Program Year 2017-18 as submitted.

#### SELACO WDB PROJECTED REVENUE BUDGET FISCAL YEAR 2017-2018

	REVENUE SOURCES	REVENUES APPROVED ON 2/23/17	PROJECTED REVENUES	INCREASE / (DECREASE)
1	AmpSocal Career Pipeline Project - Cerritos College	15,000	-	(15,000)
2	Career Pathway Trust - Cerritos College	48,814	24,407	(24,407)
3	Disability Employment Initiative (DEI)	312,901	140,912	(171,989)
4	Disability Employment Initiative (DEI), Rd 7	-	1,778	1,778
5	Downey USD's MADE Career Initiative	37,923	31,631	(6,292)
6	Employment Training Panel Grant	755,656	695,678	(59,978)
7	LA County Youth Work Experience Program	316,000	370,000	54,000
8	Preschool Grant	2,613,444	2,766,618	153,174
9	Regional Training Coordinator Project (RTC)	-	219,066	219,066
10	Slingshot - Ex-Offender Project	-	154,732	154,732
11	Slingshot - STAY Capacity Building Project	-	200,000	200,000
12	Transitional Subsidized Employment (TSE) - Carry Over	8,818	8,818	-
13	Transitional Subsidized Employment (TSE)	84,000	49,200	(34,800)
14	WIOA Adult - Carry Over	440,850	506,020	65,170
15	WIOA Adult	1,547,279	1,301,359	(245,920)
16	WIOA Dislocated Workers - Carry Over	207,011	181,267	(25,744)
17	WIOA Dislocated Workers	605,332	515,429	(89,903)
18	WIOA Youth - Carry Over	351,792	399,486	47,695
19	WIOA Youth	1,172,289	976,189	(196,100)
20	WIOA Rapid Response	122,713	140,786	18,073
21	WIOA Rapid Response - LOA	34,614	24,041	(10,573)
22	WIOA 15% CalJOBS Regional Training	54,399	119,459	65,060
23	WIOA 15% CalJOBS VOS	-	3,000	3,000
24	WIOA 15% High Performing Boards PY16/17	54,838	-	(54,838)
25	WIOA 15% Slingshot Project	95,756	919,062	823,305
26	WIOA 25% Long-Term Unemployed Project	39,571	-	(39,571)
27	WIOA 25% Customer Centered Design Project	19,209	38,506	19,297
TOT	TAL OPERATING REVENUES	8,938,209	9,787,444	849,235
28	Non-WIOA Training Revenues	215,261	181,679	(33,582)
TOT	TAL REVENUES	9,153,470	9,969,123	815,652

#### SELACO WIB EXPENDITURE BUDGET FISCAL YEAR 2017-2018

LINE ITEM DESCRIPTION	APPROVED BUDGET ON 2/23/17	PROPOSED BUDGET	INCREASE / (DECREASE)
PERSONNEL COSTS			
Salaries & Wages	2,127,251	1,975,237	(152,014)
Payroll Taxes/Worker Compensation	218,559	200,421	(18,137)
Employee Benefits Temporary Help	641,980 5,000	592,091 5,000	(49,889) 0
TOTAL PERSONNEL COSTS	2,992,789	2,772,749	(220,040)
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NON-PERSONNEL COSTS			
Mileage	15,547	20,000	4,453
Conferences/Staff Development	75,000	73,150	(1,850)
Meeting Expenses	12,500	12,500	0
Rent	409,444	314,786	(94,658)
Telephone	47,500	39,500	(8,000)
Furniture & Equipment	53,950	28,000	(25,950)
Repair & Maintenance	20,000	15,000	(5,000)
Outreach/Recruitment	8,000	8,000	0
Supplies	70,000	70,000	0
Subscriptions/Dues/Memberships	12,500	12,500	0
Insurance	25,000	25,000	0
Professional Fees	103,150	103,150	0
Legal Fees	15,000	15,000	0
Interest Expense	5,000	5,000	0
TOTAL NON-PERSONNEL COSTS	872,591	741,586	(131,005)
TOTAL IN-HOUSE COSTS	3,865,380	3,514,335	(351,045)
TRAINING & SUPPORT SERVICES			
Vendor Training Payments			
Disability Employment Initiative (DEI)	71,770	46,553	(25,217)
Employment Training Panel (ETP)	441,498	515,857	74,359
Slingshot - Ex-Offender Project	0	38,970	38,970
WIOA Adult	323,974	344,023	20,050
WIOA Dislocated Workers/NEG DW	107,991	80,465	(27,526)
WIOA Youth	80,000	-	(80,000)
Non-WIOA Training Expenditures	215,261	181,679	(33,582)
Subtotal	1,240,494	1,207,548	(7,729)

LINE ITEM DESCRIPTION	APPROVED BUDGET ON 2/23/17	PROPOSED BUDGET	INCREASE / (DECREASE)
Cost Reimbursements / Contracted Services			
Day Care Pre-School / Renovation	2,417,436	2,559,122	141,686
Disability Employment Initiative (DEI)	10,000	0	(10,000)
Employment Training Panel (ETP)	35,840	10,064	(25,776)
LA County Youth Work Experience Program	294,100	295,150	1,050
Regional Training Coordinator Project (RTC)	0	173,175	173,175
SlingShot Project	82,436	825,109	742,672
Slingshot - Ex-Offender Project	0	0	0
Slingshot - STAY Capacity Building Project	0	180,000	180,000
WIOA Youth	185,614	0	(185,614)
WIOA One-Stop Operator	0	55,000	55,000
WIA 25% Long-Term Unemployed Project	22,503	0	(22,503)
WIOA 25% Customer Centered Design Project	0	23,000	23,000
Subtotal	3,047,929	4,120,620	1,072,691
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Work Experience / Skillz Menu			
Downey's USD MADE Career Initiative	34,782	31,502	(3,280)
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LA County Youth Work Experience Program	0	39,600	39,600
Slingshot - Ex-Offender Project WIOA Youth	18,000	25,000	25,000
Subtotal	18,000 52,782	141,295 237,398	123,295 184,615
Subtotal	32,762	231,376	104,013
Training Supplies			
Employment Training Panel	1,000	624	(376)
Slingshot - Ex-Offender Project	0	3,600	3,600
Transitional Subsidized Employment (TSE)	1,000	0	(1,000)
WIOA Adult	3,060	2,500	(560)
WIOA Dislocated Workers	1,545	2,500	955
WIOA Youth	2,000	2,000	0
Subtotal	8,605	11,224	2,619
Direct Support Payments			
Disability Employment Initiative (DEI)	0	0	0
LA County Youth Work Experience Program	0	3,600	3,600
Slingshot - Ex-Offender Project	0	13,520	13,520
WIOA Adult / DEI	40,000	20,000	(20,000)
WIOA Dislocated Workers	20,000	10,000	(10,000)
WIOA Youth	20,000	6,705	(13,295)
Subtotal	80,000	53,825	(26,175)
TOTAL TRAINING & SUPPORT SERVICES	4,429,809	5,630,614	1,226,021
GRAND TOTAL	8,295,189	9,144,949	874,976
CURRENT UNOBLIGATED BALANCE	858,281	824,174	(34,107)
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# One Door.

## Millions of Success Stories.

#### **HOW WE REACH**

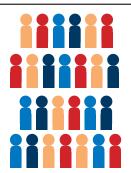
# proven network



The Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) is the driving force behind the nearly 2,400 physical locations and online resources that make up the American Job Center network. These resources offer a full range of services to help Americans find training opportunities, receive industry-recognized credentials and obtain personalized career services. Visit careeronestop.org for more information.

#### **OUR REACH**

## More than people<sup>1</sup> received career services



**RECEIVING TRAINING** 



In the last program year, more than 13 million Americans - roughly 1 out of every 12.5 people in the U.S. labor force - got the help they needed through the American Job Center network. Services include job training, resume help and job search assistance.

<sup>1</sup> https://www.doleta.gov/performance/results/pdf/WagnerPeyserPY2015.pdf

#### WHO WE SERVE

Services to fit

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#### WHO WE SERVE

Veterans Ex-Offenders Native Americans Displaced Workers Older Workers Military Spouses Disabilities Victims of Natural Disasters

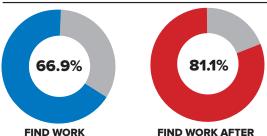
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... and MORE!

The American Job Center network offers help for a broad range of people. Veterans, laid off workers, older workers, youth and people with disabilities are just a small sample of the communities who can get specialized services to address their needs.

#### WHERE WE ARE

#### JOB PLACEMENT<sup>2</sup>



Nearly 67% of adults receiving services through the WIA Adult and Dislocated Worker programs<sup>3</sup> found employment. More than 81% of those who received job training through the WIA Adult and Dislocated Worker programs found employment.



98,500 adults and dislocated workers

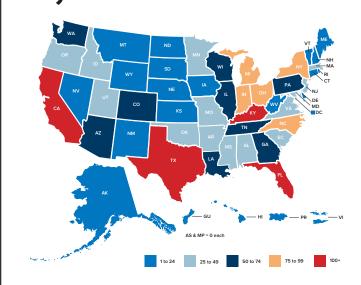
obtained a credential.

 ${f 59,000}$  young people found jobs or entered post-secondary school.



3 WIOA took effect in PY 2015, but required WIA performance measures

## **American Job Centers nationwide**



If you need help finding a job or upgrading your skills, you can find your nearest American Job Center by visiting www.careeronestop.org.

#### SPECIAL SERVICE RESULTS<sup>4</sup>

In program year 2015⁵:







156,000 people with disabilities found work

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<sup>4</sup> https://www.doleta.gov/performance/results/pdf/WagnerPeyserPY2015.pdf

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> July 1, 2015 – June 30, 2016



Maria Chavez, Norwalk

#### **Workforce Challenge:**

Maria was searching for permanent employment after being out of work for 1 year and 3 months. She held her prior job for 15 years and worked in the real estate division of a law firm as an Assistant Property Manager, where she earned a good salary. Unfortunately, the company was sold and then shut down. Maria lacked personal connections in the firm and also faced difficulties finding jobs close to home with a salary comparable to her previous position.

#### **Workforce Solution:**

Maria learned about the America's Job Center of California (AJCC) through the Job Club offered at the Greater Avenues for Independence (GAIN) program. In early December 2016, Maria enrolled with the Southeast Los Angeles County Workforce Development Board (SELACO WDB) at the AJCC, Norwalk and secured paid work experience through the Transitional Subsidized Employment (TSE) program. The Field of Dreams in Norwalk hired Maria as a temporary Administrative Assistant while her Career Development Specialist (CDS) at SELACO WDB provided guidance, support services, encouragement and sent her job leads. Maria remained determined and never lost hope to become self-sufficient again.

#### **Workforce Outcome:**

Maria finally found a job through a friend's referral. After 3 interviews, she was offered a full-time position as a phone operator for an Urgent Care facility near LAX. Because of the combined efforts of the workforce partnerships, Maria was able to get back on her feet, gained valuable work experience and learned how to conduct an effective job search. She advises other job seekers, "Don't be discouraged, a good opportunity will come up. Remain positive. Use all the resources that are given to you. Knock on many doors. Someone will answer and it will be your time to shine. Prepare prior to any phone interview or actual face-to-face interview. Practice your pitch and have your resume active. Contact your references and let them know you applied for positions."

#### **Target Population:**

- 201
- TSE



Megan Lazaro Lakewood

Megan came to SELACO WDB in early May 2017 to inquire about displaced worker services and make use of the job center to upgrade her skills and learn how to better market herself.

Megan had worked in many part-time retail jobs while going to school for radiology technology. She had a short stint in the hospital and interned on a per diem basis. Her last job was at a temp agency. At the time of her last assignment, she was starting her second trimester of pregnancy. Since part of her duties included boxing files

and preparing them for storage, she may have been let go before the assignment end to reduce liability.

After being a stay-at-home mom for 4 ½ years, Megan was ready and looking for help to enter back into the workforce hoping to remain in the medical field. She mostly searched online job boards for openings. At one point, she had an opportunity to work with her brother-in-law, but unfortunately due to an unexpected company merger, plans fell through.

Megan's biggest challenges in seeking employment was lack of current experience, having big employment gaps, finding a schedule compatible to child care service availability, and lastly, not being bilingual.

SELACO WDB staff helped Megan by offering job search workshops and Steps to Economic and Personal Success (STEPS), proofreading her résumés and cover letters; and instilling more confidence and selfworth.

Megan eventually found a job through the Helpmates Staffing Network; "I originally applied for a different position directly through the Helpmates website. After about a week, I walked into the staffing office and requested to work with an agent, whom I had read great reviews about on Yelp and who I looked up on LinkedIn. A little more than a week after my 1<sup>st</sup> unsuccessful interview with the client company, Trojan Professional Services, I received a call out of the blue by another Helpmates branch inquiring if I would be interested in a part-time, long-term administrative support position. I had one interview with the client company before receiving an offer."

Megan's official title is Senior Secretary. The client company is Nutrilite, a supplement manufacturing division of Amway, located in Buena Park, CA. The hours match what Megan was seeking and she is able to use her administrative skills while building current work experience.

Congratulations, Megan!

**Target Population:** 

201 Long term unemployed



Wayne Bumpus, Bellflower

#### **Workforce Challenge:**

Wayne is a veteran who worked as an Electronic Technician in the Air Force for 15 years. He was very adamant about remaining in the same occupation and using the skills he had already acquired on-the-job, but he did not know how to conduct an effective job search after leaving the military.

#### Solution:

In late November of 2014, Wayne enrolled with the Southeast Los Angeles County Workforce Development Board (SELACO WDB) at the America's Job Center of California (AJCC) in Cerritos to obtain job search assistance and receive individualized service with a career counselor. He attended all of the job search workshops, including Steps to Economic and Personal Success (STEPS). Not only was Wayne a faithful member of the weekly Cerritos Job Club on Fridays, he consistently arrived 15 minutes early. He searched for jobs online, but found very few if any positions for an Electronic Technician. He kept applying for jobs that were a close fit, but never landed an interview. The Employment Development Department's (EDD) Veterans Representative also worked with Wayne, providing job leads and career guidance. After about a year without success, Wayne started working with the AJCC Firestone staff in Norwalk. Career Development Specialists Sylvia Sosa and Shirley Green assisted Wayne with his résumé and job search. Sylvia enrolled Wayne into the Advanced Manufacturing Program offered through Cerritos College. After 6 weeks, Wayne completed the program and received an Advanced Manufacturing Fundamentals certificate. For nearly a year afterward, Wayne still remained unemployed, but continued to job search while teaching himself how to use Python - a computer programming language.

#### **Outcome and Benefits:**

Wayne applied for an open position at a local Radio Frequency company that he found online through ZipRecruiter.com. After 2 ½ years of fruitless job searching and disappointment, Wayne finally was asked for a job interview! Wayne was interviewed and tested. The business owner stated that many recent engineers did not have the same Radio Frequency experience that Wayne had and consequently, offered him a job. Wayne had been contemplating a career change, but fortunately he finally found work using his existing skills, proving that persistence and patience can pay off. Wayne is doing very well and enjoying his new job as a RF Bench Technician in Compton.

#### **Target Population:**

- Veteran
- LTU
- 201
- Older Worker



Michael Ponce, Lakewood

#### Challenge:

Michael has been in the engineering field for over 15 years. He was unemployed for 13 months after being laid off as a Project Manager at Wahlco, a global environmental company in Santa Ana. He came to the Southeast Los Angeles County Workforce Development Board (SELACO WDB) after receiving his Unemployment Insurance (UI) letter from the Employment Development Department (EDD). After unsuccessfully looking for Jobs only on the Internet, Michael decided to learn better

ways of finding his next job. Even with a BA Degree in Engineering, his biggest challenge was that he did not know how to answer interview questions effectively. He had received at least 10 job interviews from online applications, but sadly received not a single job offer.

#### **Solution:**

The SELACO WDB staff helped Michael prepare a professional résumé and coached him on how to answer difficult interview questions. SELACO WDB also funded his Project Management Professional Bootcamp training and exam at California State University, Long Beach (CSULB) College of Continuing Education. Michael commented, "Getting my certificate really helped build my confidence during my interviews." After attending the job search workshops, he discovered that most jobs (80%) are found through networking, not the Internet.

#### **Outcome and Benefits:**

Michael started networking with friends and contacted a previous employer. Because the company was so busy with quite a number of projects, they contacted Michael and offered him a position. Michael is now working as a Principal Mechanical Engineer at Parsons, an engineering and consulting firm in Pasadena. He advises, "Always stay positive. Your current situation is only temporary and you will eventually find a new job if you have the correct attitude and prepare. Use what SELACO provides."

**Target Population** 

- Older Worker
- 501