

Mission: It is the mission of the Minnesota Association of Workforce Boards to provide Minnesota with a skilled and competitive workforce through engaged and proactive local elected officials, workforce development boards, and staff.

Agenda

- 9:00** **Introductions**
- 9:10** **Check-In Activity**
- 9:20** **Approve Agenda/Approve Prior Meeting Minutes**
- 9:25** **DEED Updates**
- Marc Majors – Final Rollout plans for NEG, Opioid Grant, and Rapid Response
 - Lorrie Janatopoulos – Future CareerForce Industry Months
 - Sean Bibus – Wrap up IFAs, OSO RFPs
 - Mike Lang – Regional Managers & Statewide Staff: Roles and Responsibilities
 - Ben Baglio – GWDB Work Plan for 2021, Update on GWDB Survey Results
 - CareerForce Leadership – General Overview and Communications: Rita Beatty and Team
- 10:25** **Break**
- 10:35** **Equity Successes & Challenges from Local Areas**
- Leading with Equity: Introduction by Ling Becker & Tammy Biery**
- Northwest PIC, WDA 1
 - Rural Minnesota CEP, WDA 2
 - Region 2 (Northeast Minnesota and Duluth) and WDA 4 (Duluth)
 - Region 3 (CMJTS and Career Solutions)
 - Region 5 (South Central and Southwest)
 - Southeastern Minnesota, WDA 8
 - Hennepin-Carver, WDA 9
 - City of Minneapolis, WDA 10
 - Anoka County, WDA 12
 - Dakota-Scott, WDA 14
 - Ramsey County, WDA 15
 - Washington County, WDA 16
 - Winona County, WDA 18
- 11:30** **WF1 Connect App Presentation** – Annie Tietema, Heidi Wilson, and Pamela McCauley
- 11:55** **Director’s Report**, Jeanna Fortney
- 12:05** **Hot Topics**
- Workforce Development Fund: Jeanna Fortney

- Library Survey on Hold: Nicole Swanson

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Committee Updates

- NACo
- US Conference of Mayors
- GLETA
- WF1 Advisory Committee
- CareerForce Return to Workplace Task Force
- Training Work Group
- Policy & Issues Committee
- Jobseeker Services Committee
- Equity Committee
- Business Services/Economic Development Committee
- Legislative Committee

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Operations Committee Adjourns