

MAWB Jobseeker Services Committee Agenda

April 27, 2022

1:00 PM Welcome & Introductions

1:05 PM Veterans Services – Ray Douha

- Update on Interagency Agreement between DEED-Veterans Services and DOC to serve justice-involved veterans
- On behalf of DEED, Veterans Services will submit an action plan to be proclaimed as Beyond the Yellow Ribbon State Agency
- Promote the <u>16th Annual Veterans Career Fair at the Earle Brown Heritage</u> <u>Center</u>

1:15 PM Adult Programs

- Dislocated Worker and Federal Adult Programs Lensa Idossa
- Adult Career Pathways Jenilee Drilling
- Trade Adjustment Assistance Olajide Williams

Questions from the committee:

- Do we know if the DWG's (OMNI & COVID) will be extended/modified for another year? What will be included in the extension/modification?
- We heard a few months ago that there would be a new DW eligibility policy but have not seen a draft for review/comment yet.
 - Do we know where DEED is in this process?
 - Will there be any other policy changes coming up for review/comment?
 - When these (or any) policies are posted for review/comment could DEED send out an email to let us know, as opposed to waiting for the Partner Express newsletter or the next JSS meeting to make an announcement?
- Is it possible to get a state license for The Work Number to verify employment status of clients? This would help for performance outcome information.
- Can DEED update the website with the most recent forms: modification request, incumbent worker information for businesses?

1:40 PM Employment Services & CareerForceMN.com – Art Larsen and Lena Balk

Questions from the committee:

• Does the CareerForce team at DEED work on blocking senders that are filtered in the spam folder or do local providers need to do that part?

1:55 PM Youth – Kay Tracy and John Olson

2:10 PM ABE – Julie Dincau

| 2:20 PM | DOL's Equity Plan – Karen Lilledahl |
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| 2:35 PM | MFIP – Pamela McCauleyGeneral updates from MFIP |
| 2:45 PM | SNAP E&T – Anastasia Polda Summary points on strategic planning process Feedback on proposed priority areas |
| 3:00 PM | Jobseeker Services Committee Adjourns |

Next Meeting: May 25, 2022