



MAWB Policy & Issues Committee Minutes

Thursday, May 19th, 2022

9:00 - 10:00 AM via Zoom

1. **Welcome** – Barb Chaffee
2. **Updates**—Marc Majors shared that DEED will be posting updated state and federal DW policies for public comment.
3. **MBVC “Green Jobs Sprint” & Regional Engagement Sessions** – Ben Baglio and Amy Schrempp shared information on the Green Jobs Sprint, a cross agency initiative to expand green jobs. Discussed possible partnerships with local boards on this effort. Ben will follow up with a couple local board directors. We will provide information to other directors at Ops meeting. Goal is to have recommendations completed by September so there’s not a lot of time, under “sprint” timeline.
4. **Systems Alignment: Education & Workforce Development** – Ben Baglio briefly discussed alignment with higher ed and workforce, will pick up this conversation at next committee meeting.
5. **CareerForce Operations Work Group Proposal** – Rick Roy and Erik Aamoht discussed MAWB proposal to have a workgroup of both local area representatives and DEED to look at several operations topics, including how career services are provided, staffing within centers, MOUs/IFAs, how system compliance and service delivery interact. DEED requested we do this work within P&I committee meetings in order to not add another meeting to calendars. Jeanna will follow up with Rick and Erik on next steps.