



MAWB Operations Committee

Thursday, June 27, 2024

9:00 AM-2:00 PM

Hybrid - AMC & Zoom

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 AM Welcome and Introductions**
- Approve May Meeting Minutes and today's Agenda
- 9:05 AM Employment & Training Programs Update: Ama Akakpo, Division Director of Employment & Training Programs – Department of Employment & Economic Development**
- 9:30 AM CareerForce MN Director Updates: Jeanna Fortney, Director of CareerForce MN – Department of Employment & Economic Development**
- 10:00 AM GWDB Updates: Sonji Davis, Policy Analyst – Governor's Workforce Development Board**
- 10:30 AM Hot Topics**
- Shared document management options - Cate
 - Capacity Building Funding for Small Nonprofits- Jinny
 - Rapid Response Process - Jinny
 - Corrie's House Partnership - Rick
 - DHS Childcare Modernization Working Group - Cate/Bob
 - Apprenticeship Work Group for MAWB – Deb
- 11:00 AM Work Authorization & Immigration Presentation: Marissa Hill-Dongre, Immigration Law Specialist – Department of Human Services**
- 12:00 PM Lunch**
- 12:30 PM Executive Director & WIOA Reauthorization Updates: Cate Duin, Executive Director – Minnesota Association of Workforce Boards**
- 1:30 PM WorkWell Discussion: Julie Brekke, Executive Director – Hired**
- 2:00 PM Conclude**

Next Meeting: Wednesday, August 14th from 12 – 2pm, in Duluth, MN