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GOLDEN SIERRA WORKFORCE BOARD REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

Thursday, January 19, 2023 @ 1:00 pm

This meeting is being held in compliance with AB 361 to mitigate the spread of the COVID-19 Pandemic, the Golden Sierra Job Training Agency Executive Committee is conducting this meeting on Zoom.

Members of the public are encouraged to participate in the meeting by submitting written comments by email to magnussen@goldensierra.com. Public comments will be accepted until the adjournment of the meeting, distributed to the Workforce Board and included in the record.

PUBLIC LOCATION:

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Mission: The Golden Sierra Workforce Board convenes industry leaders and key partners to identify workforce initiatives, create innovative solutions and measure the success of systems' ability to meet industry and workforce needs.

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IV. CONSENT AGENDA

All matters listed under the Consent Agenda are considered to be routine in nature and will be approved by one blanket motion.

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GOLDEN SIERRA WORKFORCE BOARD

MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 19, 2023

TO: Workforce Board (WB)

FROM: Jason Buckingham, GSJTA Executive Director

SUBJ: Brown Act – Teleconference Meeting Pursuant to Government Code Section 54953(e) (Assembly Bill 361)

Before the Board for review and approval is a vote to authorize modified teleconference meetings pursuant to Government Code section 54953(e), as modified by Assembly Bill 361.

Background:

On March 4, 2020, the Governor proclaimed a state of emergency due to the COVID-19 virus pandemic. That proclamation remains valid and applicable statewide today. This state of emergency is scheduled to end on February 28, 2023. On March 17, 2020, the Governor passed Executive Order N-29-20, which authorized modified teleconference meetings for public agency meetings subject to the Brown Act, Government Code section 54950 et seq. Executive Order N-29-20 expired September 30, 2021. Thus, all Brown Act meetings must now comply with the Brown Act without exception.

Traditional Brown Act provisions require all teleconference locations to be listed on the meeting agenda and be open to the public, and a quorum of members to be within the jurisdiction, among other things. As recently amended by Assembly Bill 361 (effective September 16, 2021), Government Code section 54953(e) permits a legislative body to meet via modified teleconference procedures in certain situations and so long as certain procedures are followed. One such situation is where (1) there is a Governor-proclaimed state of emergency and (2) as a result of the emergency, meeting in person would present imminent risks to the health or safety of attendees.

The Board must decide, via majority vote, that such a situation exists. Such a vote is only valid for 30 days. It must be reevaluated and renewed via majority vote, otherwise it expires as a matter of law.

When meeting pursuant to Section 54953(e) the Board and staff are required to take actions to preserve public access and public participation, give notice of the meeting and post agendas as otherwise required, allow members of the public to access the meeting via teleconference, provide details on the agenda on how to access the meeting and give public comment, give an opportunity to comment pursuant to Government Code section 54954.3 and allow a reasonable amount of time during public comment for a person to register, login, and comment, and monitor the line to ensure no disruption hinders access or ability to comment, if there is, take no action until public access is restored.

Facts for Board Consideration:

The Governor's March 4, 2020, proclamation of a state of emergency related to the COVID-19 virus pandemic remains valid and applicable statewide, including within the jurisdiction of Golden Sierra. This state of emergency is scheduled to end on February 28, 2023.

The COVID-19 virus, and its variants, is spread through the air when a person who is carrying the virus, whether he or she is showing symptoms or not, is in close proximity to another person. Further factors for the Board to consider:

- COVID-19 transmission rates in Golden Sierra Job Training Agency's jurisdiction exceeds the State's current transmission rate of 8.7% as of January 12, 2023.
- Other Placer County, El Dorado County Brown Act public agencies have voted to meet pursuant to Section 54953(e), also known as AB 361, due to the threat to attendee health and safety from the COVID-19 virus pandemic.
- There is limited meeting room availability that would allow attendees to physically distance from one another.

Board Vote:

Shall the Golden Sierra Workforce Board meet via teleconference pursuant to Government Code section 54953(e) because there is a governor-proclaimed state of emergency related to the COVID-19 virus pandemic and conditions of that emergency pose an imminent risk to meeting attendee health and safety and direct staff to take all actions necessary to comply with that section?

- If the Board votes to approve meeting pursuant to Section 54953(e), the Board may meet via teleconference for the next 30 days without complying with traditional Brown Act teleconference requirements but instead those requirement in Section 54953(e) that guarantee public access and participation.
- If the Board does not vote to approve meeting pursuant to Section 54953(e), the Board will be required to meet via traditional Brown Act teleconference requirements, or completely in-person.

**GOLDEN SIERRA WORKFORCE BOARD
REGULAR MEETING
MINUTES**

Thursday, November 17, 2022 @ 1:00 pm

In response to the Governor's Executive Order N-29-20 relating to the
COVID-19 Pandemic, the Golden Sierra Job Training Agency
Workforce Board conducted this meeting on Zoom.

PUBLIC LOCATION:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85198897181?pwd=aHNiTkxVMW14dUxRdHZJR1owdmdZUT09>

Meeting ID: 851 9889 7181

Passcode: 673270

I. ROLL CALL AND INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Quorum was established and the meeting was called to order by Chair Larkey at 1:04 pm.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rick Larkey (Chair)	<input type="checkbox"/> Michael Zimmerman (Vice-Chair)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amy Schulz*	<input type="checkbox"/> Kevin Ferreira	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Steven Casperite
<input type="checkbox"/> Carianne Huss	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Kyle Zimbelman	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tink Miller*
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Daniella Devitt	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Michael Snead	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Vivian Hernandez-Obaldia*
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jason Buckingham	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rana Ghadban	<input type="checkbox"/> Volma Volcy
<input type="checkbox"/> John Tweedt	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Robin Trimble	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> William Reed

GSJTA Staff:

☒ Lorna Magnussen ☒ Lisa Nelson

One-Stop Operator:

☒ Michael Indiveri*

Guests: Cara Welch-EDD

**Denotes late arrival or early departure*

II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion to approve agenda as presented by Casperite, second by Reed

Motion approved unanimously by roll call vote

III. BROWN ACT – AB 361 BOARD POLICY

Motion to adopt AB 361 Board Policy as presented, by Brent-Bumb, second by Reed

Motion approved unanimously by roll call vote

IV. CONSENT AGENDA

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- a) Approval of Minutes from July 21, 2022 WB Meeting
- b) Review of Minutes from July 21, 2022 EC Meeting
- c) Review of Minutes from September 21, 2022 Special EC Meeting
- d) Attendance Log

Motion to approve consent agenda items a-d as presented, by Reed, second by Casperite

Motion approved unanimously by roll call vote

**Miller arrived @ 1:07pm*

V. PUBLIC COMMENT – FOR ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA

Brent-Bumb shared - Miners on Main Scavenger Hunt; 10 Medallions hidden throughout Main Street Placerville, scan to QR Code to hear Historical facts.

VI. PRESENTATION – TALENT PIPELINE MANAGEMENT (TPM) INITIATIVE

Rana Ghadban, Roseville Chamber of Commerce, [presentation](#) was given and background information on the initiative was shared.

Currently working collaboratively with El Dorado, Rancho Cordova and Tahoe Chambers on employer engagement.

Next steps were discussed and the desire to expand the initiative regionally with engagement and support from regional partners.

**Hernandez-Obaldia entered @ 1:24pm*

VII. PRESENTATION – LABOR MARKET INFORMATION

Cara Welch, EDD Labor Market Information Division (LMID) reported out, presentation was given.

**Schulz departed @ 1:38pm*

VIII. CAREER SERVICES – SLT/ALPINE RFP

Magnussen reported out as outlined in the agenda packet; a Special Executive Committee meeting in December will be required to approve the award, Report out at January 2023 meeting. No action required.

IX. REGIONAL UPDATES

Buckingham provided a report out based on outlined in the agenda packet. No action required.

**Brent-Bumb departed @ 1:50pm*

X. ONE-STOP OPERATOR

Indiveri reported out as outlined in the agenda packet. Next MOU Partners Quarterly meeting is December 14, 2022 @ 2 pm.

**Schulz re-entered @ 2pm*

XI. WORKFORCE BOARD MEMBER INTRODUCTIONS

Larkey introduced the Board Member Presentation process and Bio elements, as outlined in the agenda packet.

Rick Larkey, Technical Director, presented his Bio for North State Building Industry Association Foundation, as outlined in the agenda packet.

XII. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS/NEW BUSINESS

- Presentation – Kyle Zimbelman with El Dorado County Economic Development
- Workforce Board Introductions:
 1. Kyle Zimbelman
- Presentation (March) – Western Placer Center of Sacramento State, partnered with Sierra College, and a local builder. Coordinated by Amy Schulz

XIII. NEXT MEETING

Thursday, January 19, 2023 @ 1:00 pm

XIV. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn meeting at 2:12 pm by Larkey, second by Miller

Motion approved unanimously

**GOLDEN SIERRA WORKFORCE BOARD
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
REGULAR MEETING
MINUTES**

Thursday, November 17, 2022 @ 12:00 pm

This meeting was held in compliance with AB 361 to mitigate the spread of the COVID-19 Pandemic, the Golden Sierra Job Training Agency Executive Committee conducted this meeting on Zoom.

Public Location:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81434221539?pwd=dWhwZ0NUcDZSVXI1eXNlM1lGLOJGQT09t>

Meeting ID: 814 3422 1539

Passcode: 721608

I. ROLL CALL AND INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Quorum was established and meeting called to order at 12:06 pm by Chair Larkey

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Greg Geisler	<input type="checkbox"/> John Tweedt
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Laurel Brent-Bumb	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Robin Trimble
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jason Buckingham (Ex Officio)	

GSJTA Staff:

☒ Lorna Magnussen
☒ Lisa Nelson

One-Stop Operator:

☒ Michael Indiveri

GUESTS:

II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion to approve agenda by Zimmerman, second by Trimble

Motion approved unanimously by roll call vote

III. BROWN ACT – AB 361 BOARD POLICY

Motion to approve AB 361 Board policy by Brent-Bumb, second by Trimble

Motion approved unanimously by roll call vote

IV. CONSENT AGENDA

All matters listed under the Consent Agenda are considered to be routine in nature and will be approved by one blanket motion.

- a) Approval of Minutes from July 21, 2022 EC Meeting
- b) Approval of Minutes from September 21, 2022 Special EC Meeting
- c) Attendance Log

Motion to approve consent agenda items a-c by Brent-Bumb, second by Zimmerman

Motion approved unanimously by roll call vote

V. PUBLIC COMMENT – FOR ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA

Brent-Bumb shared – Miners on Main Scavenger Hunt; 10 medallions hidden throughout Main Street Placerville; scan the QR Code to hear Historical facts.

Larkey shared event – Trades Day Event, a regional event, 8 counties, with community colleges sharing commercial training programs.

VI. REGIONAL UPDATES

Buckingham provided a report out based on outline in the agenda packet. No action required.

VII. WORKFORCE BOARD STRATEGIC PLANNING DISCUSSION

Larkey opened session; round-table discussion occurred; suggestion to support and assist Roseville Chamber Talent Pipeline Management (TPM) Initiative using allocated strategic planning funds. TPM presentation scheduled at today's Workforce Board meeting. No action required.

VIII. ONE-STOP OPERATOR

- Report Out & Direction:

Indiveri reported out as outlined in the agenda packet. Next quarterly meeting will be December 14, 2022.

IX. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS/NEW BUSINESS

- Special Executive Committee Meeting 12/14/22 @ 1 pm (Career Services RFP)
- One Stop Operator 6-month evaluation (January meeting)
- Discussion on Brown Act teleconferencing rules based on State of Emergency ending February 28, 2023.
- Continue Strategic Planning Discussion

X. NEXT MEETING

Thursday, January 19, 2023 @ 12:00 pm

XI. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn meeting at 12:40 pm by Larkey, second by Zimmerman

Motion approved unanimously by roll call vote

**GOLDEN SIERRA WORKFORCE BOARD
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
SPECIAL MEETING
MINUTES**

Wednesday, December 14, 2022 @ 1:00 pm

This meeting was held in compliance with AB 361 to mitigate the spread of the
COVID-19 Pandemic, the Golden Sierra Job Training Agency
Executive Committee conducted this meeting on Zoom.

PUBLIC LOCATION:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85495664503?pwd=SjU0ZmZkTnBMYkI0TFIwVVI0dk5oUT09>

Meeting ID: 854 9566 4503

Passcode: 022309

I. ROLL CALL AND INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Quorum was established and meeting called to order at 1:08 pm by Chair Larkey

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Greg Geisler	<input type="checkbox"/> John Tweedt
<input type="checkbox"/> Laurel Brent-Bumb	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Robin Trimble
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jason Buckingham (Ex-Officio)	

GSJTA Staff:

☒ Lorna Magnussen
☒ Lisa Nelson
☒ Darlene Galipo

One-Stop Operator:

☐ Michael Indiveri

GUESTS:

II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion to approve agenda by Trimble, second by Geisler

Motion approved unanimously by roll call vote

III. BROWN ACT – AB 361 BOARD POLICY

Motion to approve AB 361 Board policy by Zimmerman, second by Trimble

Motion approved unanimously by roll call vote

IV. PUBLIC COMMENT – FOR ITEMS ONLY ON THE AGENDA

None

V. CAREER SERVICES – SOUTH LAKE TAHOE/ALPINE RFP

Magnussen reported out as outlined in the agenda packet. Two bidders attended the Bidder's Conference, 1 bid received (Sole Source Procurement)

Motion to approve Career Services South Lake Tahoe/Alpine RFP, sole source 4-year procurement by Geisler, second by Trimble

Motion approved unanimously by roll call vote

VI. NEXT MEETING

Thursday, January 19, 2023 @ 12:00 pm

VII. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn meeting at 1:13 pm by Larkey

Motion approved by Trimble

WORKFORCE BOARD MEETING

ATTENDANCE LOG

1/19/2023

Date:	1/20/22	3/17/22	5/19/22	7/21/22	11/17/22	
WORKFORCE BOARD	WB	WB	WB	WB	WB	
Meeting Type	Regular	Regular	Regular	Regular	Regular	RATE
Amy Schulz	0	0	1	0	1	40%
Carianne Huss	1	1	1	0	0	60%
Christina Nicholson	1	1	1	1	1	100%
Daniela Devitt	1	1	1	0	1	80%
Jason Buckingham	1	1	1	1	1	100%
John Tweedt - Randy Rojas	0	1	0	1	0	40%
Kevin Ferreira - Sharon Wright	0	1	1	0	0	40%
Kyle Zimbelman		1	1	1	1	100%
Laurel Brent-Bumb	1	1	1	1	1	100%
Michael Snead	1	1	0	1	1	80%
Michael Zimmerman	1	1	0	1	0	60%
Rana Ghadban		1	1	1	1	100%
Rick Larkey	1	1	1	1	1	100%
Robin Trimble	0	0	1	1	1	60%
Steven Casperite	1	1	1	1	1	100%
Susan "Tink" Miller	1	1	0	1	1	80%
Victor Wursten	1	0	1	0	0	40%
Vivian Hernandez-Obaldia			1	1	1	100%
Volma Volcy	1	0	1	1	0	60%
William Reed	1	1	1	1	1	100%

GOLDEN SIERRA WORKFORCE BOARD

MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 19, 2023

TO: Workforce Board (WB)

FROM: Jason Buckingham, GSJTA Executive Director

SUBJECT: WIOA Regional & Local Plan PY 2021-2024 2 Year Modification

The Draft Regional & Local 2 Year Plan Modifications were published and open for the required 30 day comment period on January 13, 2023.

[WIOA Local Plan](#)

[WIOA Regional Plan](#)

After the public comment period, the Final Regional & Local Plans will be presented to the Workforce Board for signature at the meeting of March 16, 2023, then forwarded to Governing Body for approval on March 26, 2023.

Signed copies of the Regional & Local Plan will be provided to Sacramento Employment & Training Agency (SETA), for submission on behalf of the Capital Area Regional Planning Unit, by the March 31, 2023 deadline in accordance with EDD Directive [WSD22-05](#).

Golden Sierra Workforce Board Regional Updates 1/19/23

Regional Equity and Recovery Partnerships (RERP) Grant:

Golden Sierra, on behalf of the Workforce Boards in the Capital Region completed an application for the Regional Equity Recovery Partnerships grant (RERP). The region was awarded \$1,550,000, which will provide funding for Valley Vision to continue to coordinate activities as the Regional Organizer and provide funding to assist low-income households and English Language Learners earn Industry Identified certifications. The region's application will support previous work done focusing on digital inclusion and will target providing digital literacy skills, access to broadband, and access to equipment. Training will support occupations in multiple sectors. Sierra College and Los Rios Community College districts were also awarded funding under RERP: [Announcement](#)

Status for the local boards: Pending contract from state.

Regional Planning Initiative 5.0 (RPI 5.0)

The Capital Region Workforce Boards applied for \$150,000 of RPI 5.0 funding. This funding is intended to support the regional organizer role as well as to enhance regional staff development efforts related to the regional indicators identified in the previously awarded RPI 4.0.

The anticipated outcome of the RPI 5.0 is to progress towards achieving professional development and capacity building for staff and partners to move the needle on the regional indicators and metrics identified by each RPU in RPI 4.0. Applicants are expected to provide training, report on training outcomes, and evaluate the impact of the training on services provided by frontline staff and partners.

Status: Pending award notification

Prison to Employment 2.0 (P2E 2.0):

The California Workforce Development Board (CWDB) announced the availability of approximately \$19,000,000 in state general funds for the implementation of regional plans to serve the formerly incarcerated and other justice-involved individuals in California (this funding is referred to as the P2E 2.0 Regional Partnership grant). These funds are available to Regional Planning Units (RPUs) and will be awarded based on the strength of the RPU's application and regional factors including recidivism rate, size of the formerly-incarcerated and justice-involved populations, and the RPU's performance under the first cycle of Prison to Employment Initiative grant funding. Golden Sierra and the Capital Region Planning Unit having had success under the P2E Implementation grant funds has applied for \$2,000,000 in funding under the P2E 2.0 initiative.

Status: Awarded \$1,111,298.33, pending contract from state

HRCC Update:

Community First conversations, are being scheduled the week of November 7th. An event will be held in West Sacramento on Tuesday the 8th, Placer County on Wednesday the 9th, and Woodland on November 10th. For these three events Valley Vision will be partnering with adult education entities. Valley Vision and The Dorsey Group hosted a virtual one hour meeting on October 26th to share the intent of the community conversations and answer any questions which will be shared with CBO, education partners, and community members. The intent of the community listening sessions is to gain first hand voices on the challenges of access to high road, clean economy careers, and to uplift and record community member voice to be the central component of a second Climate, Justice and Jobs event. This event will be virtual on January 31st and is planned to include an audience of education and training providers, employers, policymakers, and stakeholders.

Performance:

The California Workforce Development Board recently released its [Annual Report for 2021](#). Performance outcomes for the Boards within the region are listed within the report. Golden Sierra met, or exceeded all measures for the identified program year.

	Employment Rate: Q2		Employment Rate: Q4		Median Earnings: Q2		Credential Attainment		Measurable Skills Gain	
	Negotiated Goal	Actual Performance	Negotiated Goal	Actual Performance	Negotiated Goal	Actual Performance	Negotiated Goal	Actual Performance	Negotiated Goal	Actual Performance
Adult	70.0%	72.6%	66.0%	63.4%	\$7,100	\$7,835	60.0%	58.9%	75.0%	81.1%
DW	70.0%	64.7%	72.5%	66.7%	\$10,724	\$11,656	60.0%	64.7%	70.0%	95.2%
Youth	73.0%	71.4%	71.0%	57.1%	\$3,499	\$3,745	60.0%	66.7%	56.4%	63.6%

*Yellow = met 80% of negotiated goal, Green = Exceeding negotiated goal

To: Workforce Development Board Executive Committee

From: Michael Indiveri, One-Stop Operator (OSO)

Date: January 19, 2023

Subj: Progress Report

Introduction

This OSO Progress Report is an update on the recent activities and future planning for the MOU One-Stop Partners and the One-Stop Operator. The OSO and the Golden Sierra AJCC MOU Partners conducted their last quarterly meeting on December 14, 2022. The next meeting is scheduled for March 15, 2023. What follows is the main take aways from the partners in terms of services to their customers/students over the fall. In addition, Valley Vision gave a presentation on key workforce issues affecting the local regional economy. The OSO's analysis of the latest labor Market Information will focus on important trend lines in the labor market that affect our local employers/businesses and our MOU Partner's services and training.

Use of terms.

AJCC: America's Job Centers of California

WIOA: Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act of 2014

MOU: Memorandum of Understanding **between** One-Stop Partners and the Golden Sierra
Workforce Development Board (WDB)

BLS: The Bureau of Labor Statistics; U.S. Department of Labor

Update on MOU Partners

In attendance at the meeting were Advance-South Lake Tahoe, Placer County Health & Human Services, California Department of vocational Rehabilitation, California Employment Development Department (EDD), Placer School for Adults, Golden Sierra Job Training Agency (GSJTA), Valley vision, the chair of the Golden Sierra Workforce Development Board and the OSO.

The OSO gave highlights of the latest national labor market data. Job growth and employment is strong but is slowing. As reflected in the January 6, 2023, BLS report, the top line employment number are good. 2022 saw 4.5 million net new jobs added to the economy, the second most in history. This is only behind the 6.7 million added in 2021. The 3.5% unemployment rate is the lowest in 50 years, with wages growing between 4 and 5 percent year over year. However the Labor Market Participation Rate (LMPR) is still below the pre- pandemic period. It is estimated that if the pre-pandemic LMPR stayed the

same till now, there would be close to 2 million more persons seeking jobs. During the pandemic it was females who comprised the largest cohort to be out of the labor market, now it is younger males who are not participating as in decades past.

There are signs that the economy is slowing down in such areas as tech-information sectors, manufacturing and interest rate-sensitive housing and finance sectors. Another broad indicator is that Amazon is reported to be cutting 18,000 jobs in the near future. At this point of time, most of these layoffs are in 'white collar' jobs and not in 'blue collar' jobs. The Labor Department has reported there is currently 10.5 million job openings, well more than the number of people seeking work. For the most part, employers are holding on to their workforce. For our workforce programs this means we can expect that we should be seeing more layoffs and potential WARN notices in the coming year, while our programs need to skill up folks to meet the current job-match imbalance.

The MOU partner group discussed these items and added that in our area, lack of immigrant labor and affordable workforce housing are also contributors to the situation.

Valley Vision Presentation

Valley Vision gave a presentation of key industry sectors in the region that most affect the local economy and the skills needed to for those sector jobs. These industry areas include health occupations, EV connected jobs, construction, forestry management, and careers in cyber security, the public sector, biotechnology among others. Their report has been sent to the MOU Partners and the WDB Chair. It is [linked here](#) to this report.

Partner's Update

Advance-Lake Tahoe Community College: The economy around the Lake continues to grow. However, the most significant workforce issue is the lack of affordable housing for the local workforce. Many folks have to commute from Reno or Carson Valley for good jobs around the Lake. There are more ample jobs that could be filled if housing was available. Their enrollment numbers are steady. They are working with the Calif. Conservation Corp at both the Meyers Tahoe Center and the Greenwood Center with some pilot programs. Lake Tahoe Community College is providing Forestry occupational training in Forestry degrees and certificates. and to enable their students to obtain forestry jobs in the private and public sectors. There is a new sawmill that is being setup on the Nevada side of the border to process the useable timber caused by the 2021 Caldor fire. They have added a Family Management component to their offerings. Also, they are trying to get their Employability Skills Certificate onto the ETP. They also partnering with the American Dream Academy for Meta jobs.

Placer School for Adults: They have a variety of programs, including career pathways and college readiness courses. Their enrollment has started to grow year-over-year and their ESL Classes especially have shown an increase. They are also partnering with Western Placer School District and Roseville Adult Education for ESL and Digital Literacy classes. They are also working with Valley Vision in their quest to promote high end green jobs. They are promoting Career Technical Education classes.

Department of Vocational Rehabilitation: They are promoting on-line applications. They are seeking agencies to partner with for pre-employment services for common customers. They are also doing

sector-based programs such as Green Energy. They are also promoting the Demand Side Employment Initiative. It is a multi-faceted initiative that engages employers in the hiring of persons with disabilities. It includes skill training, work experience and other services. The State of California has a goal of 6% of its workforce being persons with disabilities.

Placer County HHS: They are providing their regular employment service to CalWORKs participants. And they are working on increasing enrollment levels from the low levels of the pandemic. They are adding a case manager to work on this. On the job development front, they are promoting the monthly “Job Connections” workshops and are working on robust local and regional job fairs. They are participating with private businesses and higher education sector through William Jessup College, Economic Development and Metro-lab.

EDD: Their Job Centers are open offer in person services. Customers have the option of receiving services in person, or through on-line access. Most of their workshops and orientations are accessible through on-line connection. They are partnering with several agencies on focused Job fairs, for people with disabilities and the construction trades.

GSJTA: Their planning process for the Regional and Local WIOA plan development is progressing. They have recently completed the public input sessions. The draft plans are due the end of March. They are also required to review the local Adult Education plans at the end of January. They have also taken on the administer role for the ‘Regional Equity & Recovery Partnership’ (RERP). The California Workforce Development Board (CWDB) awarded seventeen grants totaling more than \$24 million to fund Regional Equity and Recovery Partnerships (RERP) between Local Workforce Development Boards and Community College Regional Consortia. These RERP grants will be used to launch workforce training programs in construction, janitorial services, nursing, and other vitally essential careers throughout the state. They will provide funding to implement partnerships to serve 2,500 individuals statewide over 3 years. Locally, this will involve GSJTA, Sierra College and Lake Tahoe Community College.

Board member presentations

Process:

- 2 members per meeting
- 5 minutes per member
- Submit your interest to be placed on the schedule to Lisa Nelson at nelson@goldensierra.com. The member will be scheduled for the next available slot on a first come basis, and notified of the date.
- Once confirmed member will provide a 1 page Bio as outlined below to Lisa Nelson; bio is due 1 week before meeting and will be included in the agenda packet;

Suggested Bio elements

Organization name:

Services/Product provided:

Member name/title:

Member role within their organization:

How your organization fits into the one-stop system:

Contact info:

Company logo (if desired)

Kyle Zimbelman

Economic and Business Relations Manager

Kyle is the Economic and Business Relations Manager for El Dorado County. He held this position for the past four years. The Economic Development division of El Dorado County's main goal is to enable a prosperous and vibrant Economy. Initiatives that are currently being worked on include high profile commercial projects, broadband infrastructure, business retention and expansion programs, housing and workforce efforts.

For the last eight years Kyle has been working for El Dorado County in various roles and has been able to utilize his varied County experiences to help understand the unique nature of the local economy.

Kyle Currently actively participates on:

- The Greater Sacramento Economic Council Economic Development Directors Taskforce
- NACO's High performance leadership Academy
- The 50 Economic Alliance
- Golden Sierra Workforce Development Board
- Valley Vision's CERF Planning Phase

Kyle has a degree from Point Loma Nazarene University in Industrial and Organizational Psychology with an emphasis in Business Administration. He lives in Apple Hill with his wife and 4 children.

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Vivian Hernandez-Obaldia
Regional Director

Organization name:

- Department of Rehabilitation (DOR)

Services/Product provided:

- Assistive Technology
- Blind Field Services
- Business Enterprises Program
- Career Counseling & Information & Referral Services (CC&IR)
- Deaf & Hard of Hearing Services
- Demand Side Employment Initiative (DSEI)
- Disability Access Services
- Independent Living Services
- Older Individuals who are Blind Services
- Student Services
- Supported Employment Program
- Traumatic Brain Injury
- Vocational Rehabilitation Services (includes Pathways to Success Program (PSP))

Member name/title:

- Vivian Hernandez-Obaldia, Northern Sierra District, Regional Director
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Member role within their organization:

- As a member of the DOR Leadership Team, I serve as one of fourteen Regional Directors. I cover the Northern Sierra District encompassing fifteen counties.

How your organization fits into the one-stop system:

- Employment and Independent Living for Californians with Disabilities since 1963
- The DOR administers the largest vocational rehabilitation program in the country.
- We have a three-pronged mission to provide services and advocacy that assist people with disabilities to live independently, become employed and have equality in the communities in which they live and work.
- DOR provides consultation, counseling, and vocational rehabilitation, and works with community partners to assist the consumers we serve.

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