

AGENDA

Sacramento Works, Inc. YOUTH COMMITTEE Special Meeting

Wednesday

July 11, 2024

11:00 a.m.

South County Job Center 8401 A Gerber Road, Sacramento, CA 95828

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CALL TO ORDER ROLL CALL

- I. CONSENT ITEM:
 - **A.** Approval of Minutes of the April 17, 2024, Special Youth Committee Meeting
- II. ACTION ITEMS: None
- III. INFORMATION ITEMS:
 - **A.** EGUSD Out-Of-School Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Youth Program Presentation and Site Tour
 - **B.** Youth Voice Presentation Youth Committee Members
- IV. OTHER REPORTS:
 - **A.** Youth Voice Update
 - **B.** Public Input
- V. ADJOURNMENT

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Sacramento Works Youth Committee Members: David Gordon, Lisa Hutchinson, Brandon Louie, Johnny Perez, Shawn O'Briant, Tina Reynolds, Jane Ross, Lorenda Sanchez, Randi Kay Stephens, Kimberly Marquez, Petrangelica Vega, Ivan Horta, Maura Perez-Lima, Jazlyn Mosley, Jennifer-Christine Madamba

Sacramento Works Youth Committee meeting hosted by:
David Gordon (Chair)

MINUTES/SYNOPSIS

Sacramento Works, Inc. YOUTH COMMITTEE Special Meeting

Thursday April 17, 2024 1:00 p.m.
925 Del Paso Boulevard, Suite 100, Board Room,
Sacramento, CA 95815

CALL TO ORDER ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order at 1:07 p.m. The roll was called; a quorum was not achieved, and no actions were taken.

Present: David Gordon, Shawn O'Briant, Petra Vega, Brandon Louie

Absent: Lorenda Sanchez, Randy Kay Stephens, Maura Perez-Lima, Ivan Horta, Jazlyn Mosley, Jennifer Christine-Madamba, Jane Ross, Johnny Perez, Tina Reynolds, Lisa Hutchinson, Kimberly Marquez

Others present: Lauren Mechals, Roy Kim, Ericka Martinez, Matthew Rocha-Rosario, Stacy Hue, Jessica Medina, Kesharee Wesley-Daniel (El Hogar Community Services)

I. CONSENT ITEM:

A. Approval of Minutes of the February 15, 2024, Special Youth Committee Meeting

II. INFORMATION ITEM:

A. Mental/Behavioral Health (MBH) Pathway Programs - Equity and Special Populations Ms. Medina presented on MBH Pathway Programs. The presentation was included in the packet and attached to these minutes.

Mr. Kasharee Wesley-Daniel, Peer Support Specialist from El Hogar Community Services, introduced himself and provided background highlights on his experience working at El Hogar Community Services. He thanked SETA for this work placement and the certification received. Now, he provides peer support at El Hogar Community Services. He graduated from the first MBH Pathway Program – Equity and Special Populations cohort.

Ms. Mechals advised that in the beginning, they had a hard time finding employers to participate, but now employers are coming to SETA wanting to hire. She also stated that the American River College has an apprenticeship program now for MBH that will start in August as part of creating a path for the MBH field so students get stackable credentials.

III. ACTION ITEM:

A. Approval of the Funding Extension Recommendations for the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (IWOA), Title I, Youth Program, Program Year 2024-2025

Ms. Vega excused herself due to a conflict of interest and left the meeting at 1:25 p.m.

Ms. Mechals reviewed the item and recommended extending subgrant awards for an additional year, from July 1, 2024, to June 30, 2025. The funding recommendations are based on the actual program enrollment numbers for PY 2023-2024 provided in the packet. Providers who met their enrollment goals are recommended for either level funding or additional slots. Those providers who achieved 85% of their enrollment goal based on the allowable plan were funded for additional slots. In 2024, the California Indian Manpower Consortium returned the award amount of \$183,587. These funds are being reallocated for program administration and support costs per this recommendation.

Ms. Martinez provided information on current providers and services.

Mr. Gordon confirmed that the programs that will receive reallocated funds are Folsom Cordova Community Partnership, Greater Sacramento Urban League, Lao Family Community Development, and Asian Resources, Inc.

Ms. Mechals advised that the recommendation also includes funding to support the "Youth Voice" Committee Initiative, which provides incentives for youth voice members who serve on the Committee.

The committee members present at the meeting unanimously recommended, on behalf of the Youth Committee, the approval of the staff funding extension recommendations for the WIOA Title I, Youth Program, Program Year 2024-2025. This recommendation stipulates that all funding recommendations are contingent upon satisfactory year-end program performance.

This item will be presented for approval by the Sacramento Works, Inc. Board at the May meeting and by the SETA Governing Board at the June 2024 meeting.

Ms. Vega returned to the meeting at 1:39 p.m., after the discussion on the funding extension recommendations had concluded.

IV. OTHER REPORTS:

A. Youth Voice Update

Mr. Gordon advised that the Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE) typically holds Board meetings twice a month. Youth presentations are usually held at the beginning of each meeting. SETA Youth Advocates presented at the SCOE's last Board meeting.

During the SCOE meeting, Ms. Vega, a youth voice presenter, shared that she's celebrating her first anniversary with Asian Resources, Inc. and experience serving on the Youth Committee, Aggie Square Community Navigator and HRTP Programs.

Mr. Kim advised on the new SETA Executive Director, Ms. Anita Maldonado, who was appointed by the city and county officials one week ago. Additionally, he informed the Committee that SETA executed a contract with strategic planning firm Dalberg Consulting and had its first orientation meeting. He encouraged members to participate in a strategic planning session when the time comes.

Mr. Kim shared that "A Stronger Workforce for America Act" is a new federal workforce legislation that has already passed the House of Representatives and is now in the Senate. SETA is closely monitoring this bill as if it passes Congress; it will involve significant structural changes to the programs that SETA currently has.

- **B.** Public Input: None
- V. ADJOURNMENT: The meeting adjourned at 1:51 p.m.

Note: The minutes reflect the actual progression of the meeting.