

**TEXAS WORKFORCE COMMISSION
TWC Main Building - Room 244
101 East 15th Street
Austin, Texas 78701-0001**

(See Notes Below for Instructions on Attending Virtually)

**COMMISSION MEETING AGENDA
June 16, 2020
9:00 a.m.
Dockets 23 and 24**

**THE FOLLOWING AGENDA ITEMS MAY NOT NECESSARILY BE CONSIDERED
IN THE ORDER THEY APPEAR**

1. Call to Order
2. Public Comment
Les Trobman
3. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Whether to Assume Continuing Jurisdiction on Unemployment Compensation Cases, Wage Claim Cases, and/or Tax Liability Cases and Reconsideration of Unemployment Compensation Cases, Wage Claim Cases, and/or Tax Liability Cases, if any
Sherri Miller
4. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Tax Liability Cases Listed on the Texas Workforce Commission Dockets 23 and 24 (Cases will be heard for Dockets 23 and 24.)
Sherri Miller
5. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Fair Housing Cases Listed on the Texas Workforce Commission Dockets 23 and 24 (No cases will be heard on Dockets 23 and 24.)
Sherri Miller
6. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Higher Level Appeals in Wage Claim Cases Listed on the Texas Workforce Commission Dockets 23 and 24 (Cases will be heard for Dockets 23 and 24.)
Sherri Miller
7. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Higher Level Appeals in Unemployment Compensation Cases Listed on the Texas Workforce Commission Dockets 23 and 24 (Cases will be heard for Dockets 23 and 24.)
Sherri Miller
8. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Adoption of Rules Relating to Amendments to Texas Payday Rules, Withdrawal of Wage Claims (40 Texas Administrative Code (TAC)) Chapter 821, Subchapter C, Wage Claims

Jason Stalinsky and Chuck Ross
TAB 8

9. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding the Use of Pre-Employment Transition Services Funds to Provide Support Goods and Services for Eligible Students with Disabilities

Jason Vaden and Cheryl Fuller
TAB 9

10. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Adoption of Rules Relating to Purchases of Goods and Services for Vocational Rehabilitation Services Previously Published for Public Comment in the *Texas Register* on February 21, 2020 (40 TAC Chapter 857) and Vocational Rehabilitation Services Contract Management Requirements (40 TAC Chapter 858)

Jason Vaden and Cheryl Fuller
TAB 10

11. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding the Purchasing from People with Disabilities Program Advisory Committee Membership

Michael Hooks and Kelvin Moore
TAB 11

12. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding New Certification and Re-Certification of Community Rehabilitation Programs to Participate in the Purchasing from People with Disabilities State-Use Program

Michael Hooks and Kelvin Moore
TAB 12

13. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Approval of Products Offered by Certified Community Rehabilitation Programs Under the Purchasing from People with Disabilities State-Use Program

Michael Hooks and Kelvin Moore
TAB 13

14. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Approval of Services Offered by Certified Community Rehabilitation Programs under the Purchasing from People with Disabilities State-Use Program

Michael Hooks and Kelvin Moore
TAB 14

15. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Purchasing from People with Disabilities Program Temporary Suspension of 40 TAC Chapter 806.41(f)(9), Direct Labor Hour Ratio, Due to COVID-19 Pandemic

Michael Hooks and Kelvin Moore
TAB 15

16. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Guidance on Statewide Skills Enhancement Initiatives, Including Those Funded with Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act Statewide (Commission Reserve) Funds
Courtney Arbour
TAB 16
17. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Adoption of Rules Relating to Child Care Evaluation Status and Reimbursement Rates Previously Published for Public Comment in the *Texas Register* on February 21, 2020 (40 TAC Chapter 809)
Allison Wilson and Reagan Miller
TAB 17
18. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Adoption of Rules Relating to Age Discrimination Previously Published for Public Comment in the *Texas Register* on April 3, 2020 (40 TAC Chapter 819)
Bryan Snoddy
TAB 18
19. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Program Year 2019 Adult Education Participant-Served Targets
Adam Leonard
TAB 19
20. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Statewide Initiatives Funded with Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA), Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), Adult Education and Literacy (AEL), Child Care or Other State Level Funds
Jason Vaden and Jennifer Troke
21. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Guidance on Resource Utilization and Implementation of Services and Strategies to Target Disaster Relief Efforts and Public Health Emergencies, Including Those Funded with the Department of Labor's Disaster Dislocated Worker Grant
Ed Serna
TAB 21
22. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Approval of Local Workforce Development Board Nominees
Shunta Williams and Courtney Arbour
TAB 22
23. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Enacted, Proposed or Considered Federal Regulations, Executive Orders, or Federal or State Enacted or Proposed Legislation
Tom McCarty
24. Report and Update by the Executive Director and Staff Regarding Administrative Matters, Including Internal Policies and Procedures, Customer and Board Service Issues, Status of Current or Potential Project Assignments, Organizational Matters and Responsibilities of the Agency's Divisions
Ed Serna

25. THE FOLLOWING MAY BE DISCUSSED IN EXECUTIVE SESSION OR OPEN MEETING AND HAVE ACTION TAKEN IN AN OPEN MEETING:

- (a) Government Code Section 551.074(a)(1): The Appointment, Employment, Evaluation, Reassignment, Duties, Discipline, or Dismissal of the Executive Director, Internal Auditor, Executive Staff, and other Personnel
- (b) Government Code Section 551.071(1): Pending or Contemplated Litigation
- (c) Government Code Section 551.071(2): To Consult with Its Attorney regarding Confidential Legal Matters

26. The next Commission meeting is set for June 23, 2020 at 9:00 a.m.

27. Adjournment

Notes:

The Texas Workforce Commission Meeting may be accessed virtually at:

<http://twc.granicus.com/player/camera/2?>

Those wishing to provide public comment virtually should contact Jesse Hernandez at (512) 463-7903 before 5:00pm on Monday, June 15, 2020 to obtain a registration form. Additional information and a meeting code will be provided. This meeting code will be required to provide public comment virtually.

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Persons with questions regarding the agenda content should contact Gwen Glauninger, Office of General Counsel at (512) 936-3671.