

TEXAS WORKFORCE COMMISSION
This will be a virtual meeting; see Notes section below the
enumerated Agenda items for further instructions

COMMISSION MEETING AGENDA

December 8, 2020

9:00 a.m.

Docket 49

**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 Docket 49 (Cases will be heard on Docket 49.)
Sherri Miller
5. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Fair Housing Cases Listed on the Texas Workforce Commission Docket 49 (No cases will be heard on Docket 49.)
Sherri Miller
6. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Higher Level Appeals in Wage Claim Cases Listed on the Texas Workforce Commission Docket 49 (Cases will be heard on Docket 49.)
Sherri Miller
7. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Higher Level Appeals in Unemployment Compensation Cases Listed on the Texas Workforce Commission Docket 49 (Cases will be heard on Docket 49.)
Sherri Miller
8. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding the Acceptance of Pledges for Board Contract Year 2020 and 2021 Child Care Matching Funds
Travis Weaver and Jennifer Troke
9. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action on Program Parameters for Jobs and Education for Texans Grants to Public Junior Colleges, Public Technical Institutes, Public State Colleges, and Independent School Districts
Emily Lawley and Mary York
TAB 9

10. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action on the Submission of the 2020 Texas Workforce Commission Annual Report to the Governor and the Legislature Pursuant to Texas Labor Code Section 301.065
Margaret Hession and Tom McCarty
11. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Adoption of New 40 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) Chapter 838, Texas Industry-Recognized Apprenticeship Programs Grant Program Previously Published for Public Comment in the October 2, 2020, Issue of the Texas Register (45 TexReg 6988)
Kerry Ballast and Desi Holmes
TAB 11
12. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding the Appointment of a Chairperson for the Advisory Committee of the Purchasing from People with Disabilities Program
Michael Hooks and Juan Garcia
TAB 12
13. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action on BCY21 and BCY22 Local Workforce Development Board Targets on Measures Mandated By, and Negotiated Under, WIOA §116
Adam Leonard
TAB 13
14. 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
Jennifer Troke
15. 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
16. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Legislative Proposals by the Texas Workforce Commission to the 87th Texas Legislature, Regular Session
Michael Britt and Tom McCarty
17. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Enacted, Proposed, or Considered Federal Regulations, Executive Orders, or Federal or State Enacted or Proposed Legislation
Tom McCarty
18. 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

19. 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

20. The next Commission meeting is set for December 15, 2020, at 9:00 a.m.

21. Adjournment

22. Notes:

The Texas Workforce Commission Meeting may be accessed virtually at the following location:

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

Those wishing to provide public comment virtually should contact Jesse Hernandez at (512) 463-7903 or jesse.hernandez@twc.state.tx.us before 5:00 p.m. on Monday, December 7, 2020, to obtain registration information. Additional information and a meeting code will be provided. This meeting code will be required to provide public comment virtually.

Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this meeting and who may need auxiliary aids, services, or special accommodations should contact Conference and Media Services at (512) 463-6389 or conferenceplanning.media@twc.state.tx.us at least two (2) working days prior to the meeting, so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

Persons with questions regarding the agenda content should contact Jesse Hernandez, Office of General Counsel, at (512) 463-7903.