TEXAS WORKFORCE COMMISSION

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

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COMMISSION MEETING AGENDA May 18, 2021 9:00 a.m. Docket 20

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 20 (Cases will be heard on Docket 20.)

 Sherri Miller
- 5. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Fair Housing Cases Listed on the Texas Workforce Commission Docket 20 (No cases will be heard on Docket 20.)
 Sherri Miller
- 6. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Higher Level Appeals in Wage Claim Cases Listed on the Texas Workforce Commission Docket 20 (Cases will be heard on Docket 20.) Sherri Miller
- 7. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Higher Level Appeals in Unemployment Compensation Cases Listed on the Texas Workforce Commission Docket 20 (Cases will be heard on Docket 20.)

 Sherri Miller

8. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Apprenticeship Training Program Funding for Fiscal Year 2022

Kerry Ballast and Desi Holmes

TAB 8

9. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Local Board Plans for Program Years 2021–2024 for Submission to the Texas Workforce Investment Council (TWIC)

Joel Mullins and Ethan Herr

TAB 9

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

Juan Garcia and Michael Hooks

TAB 10

- 11. 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
- 12. 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

Ed Serna

13. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Approval of Local Workforce Development Board Nominees

Shunta Williams and Courtney Arbour

TAB 13

- 14. 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
- 15. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Enacted, Proposed, or Considered Federal Regulations, Executive Orders, or Federal or State Enacted or Proposed Legislation Tom McCarty and Michael Britt
- 16. 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

17. 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
- 18. The next Commission meeting is set for May 25, 2021, at 9:00 a.m.
- 19. Adjournment

20. Notes:

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Those wishing to provide public comment virtually should contact Erin Guzman at (512) 936-3671 or erin.guzman@twc.state.tx.us before 5:00 p.m. on Monday, May 17, 2021, to obtain registration information. Additional information and a meeting code will be provided. This meeting code will be required to provide public comment virtually.

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