TEXAS WORKFORCE COMMISSION

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

(See Notes section for virtual meeting access instructions.)

COMMISSION MEETING AGENDA June 8, 2021 9:00 a.m. Dockets 22 and 23

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
- Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Tax Liability Cases Listed on the Texas Workforce Commission Dockets 22 and 23 (Cases will be heard on Dockets 22 and 23.) Sherri Miller
- 5. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Fair Housing Cases Listed on the Texas Workforce Commission Dockets 22 and 23 (No cases will be heard on Dockets 22 and 23.) Sherri Miller
- 6. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Higher Level Appeals in Wage Claim Cases Listed on the Texas Workforce Commission Dockets 22 and 23 (Cases will be heard on Dockets 22 and 23.)

 Sherri Miller
- 7. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Higher Level Appeals in Unemployment Compensation Cases Listed on the Texas Workforce Commission Dockets 22 and 23 (Cases will be heard on Dockets 22 and 23.)

 Sherri Miller
- 8. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding the Acknowledgment of Gifts and Donations of \$500 or More in Value Given to the Texas Workforce Commission in Accordance with Section 302.021 of the Texas Labor Code and Chapter 575 of the Texas Government Code Callie Eichner and Les Trobman TAB 8

 Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding an Order under Sections 204.067 and 203.105 of the Texas Unemployment Compensation Act to Adjust Rate Components of the 2021 Unemployment Insurance Tax Rate Chris Nelson and Clay Cole TAB 9

10. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding an Order to Adopt Program Year 2021/Fiscal Year 2022 Allocations and Distributions, and FY2021 Allocation Modifications and Related Performance Expectations for Local Workforce Development Areas Chris Nelson

TAB 10

11. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action Regarding Optional Use of the Classroom Assessment Scoring System (CLASS) for Evaluation of Texas Rising Star (TRS) Category Two Reagan Miller and Allison Wilson TAB 11

- 12. 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
 - Discussion Paper: Adult Education and Literacy Accelerate VI Request for Applications Selection and Budget Approval
 - Discussion Paper: Revised Adult Education and Literacy Career Pathway Professional Development Center Request for Applications Approval

Leslie Kruse and Ben Holquist

TAB 12

13. 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

- 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 June 15, 2021, at 9:00 a.m.
- 19. Adjournment

20. Notes:

The Texas Workforce Commission Meeting may be accessed virtually at the following location. You will need to enter your name and email address to access the meeting.

https://zoom.us/j/99980096929

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, June 7, 2021, to obtain a registration form and additional information.

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