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**April 21, 2021**

**Virtual Meeting (Microsoft Teams Meeting)**

**2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.**

**Join By Phone: 1-608-571-2209**

**Phone Conference ID: 818 325 09#**

**Executive Committee Meeting Schedule**

2:00 p.m.	Executive Committee Virtual Meeting
3:30 p.m.	Executive Committee Virtual Meeting Adjourns

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**Governor's Council on Workforce Investment (CWI)  
Executive Committee Meeting  
Virtual Meeting (Microsoft Teams Meeting)  
Join By Phone: 1-608-571-2209  
Phone Conference ID: 818 325 09#  
Wednesday, April 21, 2021  
2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.**

**AGENDA**

- I. Welcome, Opening Remarks – CWI Chair Mark Tyler
- II. 2022 – 2026 CWI Strategic Planning Process, Discussion
- III. Roles & Structure of CWI, Discussion
- IV. Finalization of May CWI Meeting, Discussion
- V. NGA Winter Symposium Summary
- VI. Other Business
  - a. Next Exec. Committee Meeting – **July 21, 2021**
  - b. Approval of the 2.18.2021 Meeting Minutes – **ACTION REQUIRED**
  - c. Looking Forward
  - d. Public Comment
- VII. Closing Remarks
- VIII. Adjournment

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**Governor's Council on Workforce Investment (CWI)**

**CWI Full Council Meeting**

**Virtual Meeting (Microsoft Teams Meeting)**

**Join by Phone: 1-608-571-2209**

**Phone Conference ID: 395 492 300#**

**Tuesday, May 18, 2021**

**1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.**

**AGENDA**

- IX. Welcome, Opening Remarks – CWI Chair Mark Tyler
- X. Updates from DWD Secretary's Office
  - a. Budget Updates
  - b. Recent Developments on Federal Level
- XI. CWI Strategic Planning Approach and Recommendation, Discussion
- XII. CWI Structure Recommendation, Discussion
- XIII. CWI Working Group Updates
  - a. Employment Training Infrastructure
  - b. Growing Workforce Opportunities
  - c. WIOA Compliance & Resource Alignment
- XIV. Special Topic Presentation + Discussion
  - a. Wisconsin Fast Forward Update - John Roos, Office of Skills Development
  - b. Labor Market Update – Dennis Winters, Bureau of Workforce Information & Technical Support
- XV. Other Business
  - a. Next CWI Board Meeting – **August 17, 2021**
  - b. Approval of the 02.23.2020 Meeting Minutes – **ACTION REQUIRED**
  - c. Summary of NGA Symposium
  - d. DVR Grant: Career Advancement Initiative Model Demonstration Project – CWI Letter of Support

- e. National Governors' Association State Exchange on Employment & Disability (SEED) Virtual Action Lab Series
- f. Looking Forward
  - i. Working Group Projects
  - ii. 2022-2026 Strategic Plan
  - iii. CWI Staffing Updates
- g. Public Comment

XVI. Closing Remarks

XVII. Adjournment

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**Governor's Council on Workforce Investment  
Executive Committee WebEx Meeting  
Thursday, February 18, 2021  
8:30AM-9:30AM  
Participant Call-In Number: 1-415-655-0003  
Meeting Number Access Code: 145 636 4130**

***DRAFT MEETING MINUTES, PENDING OFFICIAL APPROVAL***

**Members Present:** Kathi Seifert; Sachin Shivaram; Sheila Briggs, Mark Tyler

**Others Present:** Bruce Palzkill; Danielle Williams; Tierney Gill; Amy Pechacek; Annette Meudt; Becky Kikkert, Michele Carter, Steve Laesch.

XVIII. Welcome, Opening Remarks

a. CWI Chair Mark Tyler

Chair Tyler welcomed the Exec Committee and introduced Secretary Amy Pechacek, who came to DWD by way of the Department of Corrections. Secretary Pechacek expressed interest in looking forward to hearing more about the great work that CWI does while focusing on the Badger Bounce Back recovery plan going forward.

XIX. Discussion, Finalization of February CWI Meeting

Chair Tyler walked the members through the draft agenda for the CWI meeting. He asked Secretary Pechacek to relay his appreciation to the administration and the Governor for listening and allowing members' voices to be heard as evidenced in the inclusion of their input in some of the workforce initiatives that are forthcoming. Bruce shared that Kathi and Sheila's groups would have updates at the May meeting on grants and apprenticeships, Sachin's on broadband expansion. Sachin asked about Pravin's work with asset mapping. Chair Tyler initiated a discussion on whether or not members should be able to advocate with the legislature on issues that made it into the budget, which the group ultimately decided to defer to DWD on of talking point of what they can support within the budget recommendations if Danielle thought the administration would get behind members being out in their community promoting the workforce elements of the budget or serving in advocacy roles. Tierney indicated that the process would be beginning on the next iteration of the strategic plan, so that members would be receiving more information by the next meeting. Becky Kikkert announced that Tierney would be stepping away from full-time work due to attending law school, but would continue to advise in a part-time capacity.

XX. Other Business

- a. Next Exec Committee Meeting – **April 21, 2021**
- b. Approval of the 10.21.2020 Meeting Minutes – **ACTION REQUIRED**
  - i. Minutes approved as written.
- c. Looking Forward
  - i. NGA Winter Symposium Opportunity
    - 1. Chair Tyler shared that as the NGA winter meeting was virtual this year, they could open attendance to members who had some interest in participating. Tierney will send the link out to members after the meeting, so they can decide if they would like to virtually attend.

d. Public Comment

There was no public comment.

XXI. Closing Remarks

XXII. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 9:05AM.

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