

Central Iowa Workforce Development Board

QUARTERLY BOARD MEETING

Thursday, May 8, 2025 – 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Microsoft Teams

AGENDA/MINUTES

Agenda Item	Person Responsible	Status
I. Welcome and Call to Order 8 am to 9 am – Board Business 9 am to 10 am – Working Session	Stacy Sime	I
<i>Stacy Sime called the meeting to order at 8:07 am.</i> <i>Board Member attendance: Stacy Sime, Michelle Seibert, Lauren Robins, Michelle Schott, Abigail Miller, Lana Pol, Megan Crawford, Paula Martinez, Rob Denson, William Berning, Kathleen Davis, Tom Hayes, Teri Vos.</i> <i>Others in attendance: Rebekah Brandmeyer, Eric Kress, Alejandra Sinecio, Heather Brooks, Samantha Marlatt, T. Waldmann-Williams, Sara Bath, Shara Bradley Reginald McDade.</i>		
II. Consent Agenda 1. Full Board Meetings a. 5/8/25 - Agenda b. 2/13/25 - Minutes 2. Executive Committee a. 1/28/25 - Approved Minutes b. 4/29/25 - Draft Minutes 3. Finance Committee a. 1/22/25 - Approved Minutes b. 4/23/25 - Draft Minutes 4. Planning and Operations Committee a. 1/24/25 - Approved Minutes b. 5/2/25 - Draft Minutes 5. Youth Committee a. 1/23/25 - Notes b. 4/24/25- Draft Minutes 6. Disability Access Committee a. 1/27/25 - Approved Minutes b. 4/21/25 - Draft Minutes 7. 2025 Board and Committee Calendar 8. Board Scorecard 9. WIOA Title I Performance Metrics – PY24 Quarter 2 10. Financial Report(s)	Stacy Sime	I/D/A



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a. WIOA Budget Spreadsheet b. Grant Balances		
• <i>Rob Denson motioned to approve the consent agenda. Paula Martinez seconded. Ayes: All.</i>		
Regular Agenda III. Board Reports 1. Sub-recipient Program Reports a. One Stop Operator b. National ABLE Network Title I AD/DW c. YSS Title I Y/YA 2. Staff to the Board a. Compliance and Monitoring b. Chief Elected Updates c. Executive Director Report	Sara Bath Heather Brooks Samanthya Marlatt Rebekah Brandmeyer Eric Kress Eric Kress	I/D I/D
• <i>One Stop Operator highlighted IowaWORKS center activity. Visitors to the center this program year are already at 114% of last program year's annual amount.</i> • <i>Adult and Dislocated Worker report on program activities and services. Highlight on CDL info session and training pathways.</i> • <i>Youth and Young Adult shared a client success story, as well as program enrollment updates.</i> • <i>State monitoring conditional approval has been granted. The approval requires updated supportive services policies to be implemented, documentation of staff training, and the completion of sub-recipient monitoring.</i> • <i>Local sub-recipient onsite monitoring has occurred, and reports are being created.</i> • <i>The CEO board reports that all eight counties in the area have executed the shared liability agreement amendment.</i> • <i>Board staff are focused on encouraging career pathways for refugees and English language learners by partnering with community organizations, employers, and researching technological platforms and unique program strategies.</i> • <i>Federal funding for the future is uncertain. Board members may advocate for their local legislators to prioritize workforce funding. Board staff are doing scenario planning in case there is a change in funding.</i>		
IV. Board Action 1. Board Officer Voting a. Chair Nomination and Vote b. Vice-Chair Vote c. Secretary-Treasurer Vote 2. PY25 Program Budget Recommendation 3. Policy Recommendations a. Youth Incentive Payments and Stipends b. Stipends c. Financial Literacy	Stacy Sime Michelle Seibert Paula Martinez	I/D/A I/D/A I/D/A I/D/A



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d. Supportive Service Procedures	Eric Kress	
• <i>Tom Hayes motioned to approve Lana Pol as vice-chair and Michelle Seibert as secretary/treasurer. Paula Martinez seconded. Ayes: All. Abstained: Lana Pol, Michelle Seibert.</i> • <i>Paula Martinez motioned to recommend Stacy Sime as chair to the CEO Board. Tom Hayes seconded. Ayes: All. Abstained: Stacy Sime.</i> • <i>The PY25 program budget as recommended by the Executive Committee was approved unanimously.</i> • <i>Local Policy and Procedure amendments as presented and recommended by the Youth Committee were approved unanimously.</i>		
V. Work Session		
1. Business Representative and Board Members Feedback	Eric Kress	I/D
2. WARN and Rapid Response Updates		
IV. Adjournment	Stacy Sime	I/D/A
• <i>Stacy Sime adjourned the meeting at 10:03 am.</i>		



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