



MISSION: To support hiring, training, development, retention, and lifelong learning of a diverse quality workforce system that adds value to the economic growth in the Acadiana area by establishing partnerships with federal, state, local, and community organizations.

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WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD MEETING AGENDA

DATE: Wednesday, November 2, 2022

TIME: 10:00 am – 12:00 Noon

LOCATION: CGI Technologies, 538 Cajundome Blvd., Lafayette, LA 70506

Members OFFICERS

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Crystal Romain

LWC – LA Rehabilitation

Services

Mike Tarantino

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Commerce

1. **Call to Order/Roll Call and Introduction of Guests**
2. **Presentations:**
 - 2.1 Why You Should Know Your Workforce Development Board?
 - 2.2 What is Workforce Development Board?
3. **Consent Items:**
 - 3.1 Approval of August 24, 2022 Minutes
 - 3.2 Approval of Board Meeting Dates of 2023
 - 3.3 Approval of Industries and Allocations for PY22/FY23
 - 3.4 Approval of PY21/FY22 Amendment 1
 - 3.5 Approval of LWC Comprehensive AJC Certification Matrix Form
4. **Discussion Items:**
 - 4.1 4th Quarter Performance Report
 - 4.2 Board Member's Reporting Requirements
5. **Reports:**
 - 5.1 One-Stop Committee Report
 - 5.2 Finance Committee Report
6. **Public Comments**
7. **Next Meeting Date Announced**
8. **Upcoming Events/Updates/Reminders**
9. **Adjournment**