



ACADIANA™ WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS

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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: March 6, 2024

TIME: 10:00 am

LOCATION: AWS Office, 1638 Creswell Lane, Opelousas, Louisiana 70570

1. **Call to Order/Roll Call**
2. **2.1 Swearing In of New Members**
2.2 Business Highlights
3. **Consent Items:**
 - 3.1 Approval of November 1, 2023 Minutes
 - 3.2 Request for Proposal (RFP)
 - 3.3 Budget Revision FY 24
4. **Discussion Items:**
 - 4.1 Board Technology
 - 4.2 WIOA Update
5. **Reports:**
 - 5.1 One-Stop Committee Report
 - 5.2 Finance Committee Report
6. **Public Comments**
7. **Next Meeting Date Announced**
 - 7.1 Wednesday, May 1, 2024 – Location to be announced.
8. **Upcoming Events/Updates/Reminders**
 - 8.1 Ethics/Sexual Harassment Training
 - 8.2 Personal Financial Disclosure
9. **Adjournment**