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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: Wednesday, November 5, 2025

TIME: 10:00 am

LOCATION: Lafayette Public Library – Downtown, 301 W. Congress St. Lafayette, LA

1. **Call to Order/Roll Call**
2. **Action Items**
 - 2.1 Approval of Minutes, September 17, 2025
 - 2.2 Bylaws
 - 2.3 2026 Board of Directors Meeting Dates
3. **Discussion Items**
 - 3.1 Government Shutdown
 - 3.2 Companies/ Organization Layoffs
4. **Reports**
 - 4.1 One-Stop Committee
 - 4.2 Finance Committee
5. **Public Comments**
6. **Upcoming Events/Updates/Reminders**
 - 6.1 Ethics/Sexual Harassment Training for 2025
 - 6.2 Personal Financial Disclosure
7. **Next Meeting Date Announced**
Date/Location to be announced
8. **Adjournment**