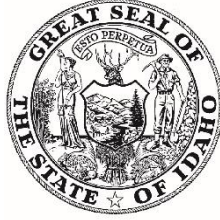


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One-Stop Committee Meeting Minutes

Date: November 12, 2024

Time: 10:30 AM-12:00 PM

One-Stop Committee Members: ~~Terry Butikofer, Beth Cunningham~~, Korene Gonzalez, Kristyn Carr, ~~Kristin Matthews~~, David Shakespear, ~~Brandi Wasielewski, Trevi Hardy~~, Talela Florko, MiKayla Monaghan

Guests:

Staff: Wendi Secrist, Denise Hill, Sarah Nash, Elaine Zabriskie

Called to Order at 10:30 AM

Welcome

Kristyn Carr, Interim Chair

- Roll Call, quorum not met actions deferred.
- Review Agenda
- ***Approve August 13th and August 28th, 2024 Meeting Minutes**

One-Stop Operator Updates

Sarah Nash

- MOU Reminder
 - Out for signature, please return as soon as possible
- Infrastructure Cost Sharing Updates
 - Very close, have co-enrollment information for all
 - Still need Vocational Rehabilitation & Health and Welfare
 - Space allocation
 - Most changes are IDOL related, no impact to partners
 - Should be very similar to last year
- Statewide Meeting – Potential dates and topic proposal
 - Virtual
 - Proposed dates, last two weeks of March on Wednesday or Thursday
 - Potential conflicts with Spring Break
 - Decision to push to April 2nd or 3rd
 - Topics
 - Update on AI 30 – 45 mins

- Emotional Intelligence for the Workforce
 - Lots of local speakers, DHR, BSU
 - Send speakers to Sarah

Partner Updates

Kristyn Carr

- Foster Youth Programming – Priority of Service Policy
 - Foster youth emphasis causing us to look at adjusting policy for WIOA youth if in school and foster or kinship care (kinship – foster placed with family member after guardianship revoked)
 - 16+ range
 - Will discuss potential policy change with full Council in December – if supportive, One-Stop Committee would need to initiate in January
 - Comments
 - Great need, graduation rate is currently 50%
 - Seeing correlation to this with VR
 - Goal to provide more specific outreach to this group especially to Launch, guidance and advising
 - Anticipate policy change will be simple
 - Currently working on outreach piece
- Vocational Rehabilitation Update on Order of Selection MiKayla Monaghan
 - Still in process, no anticipation for end
 - Homepage has statement about categories, will be updated when appropriate
 - Category placement can be appealed
 - Very intentional in all communications, minimal event participation at present due to order of selection, can participate in those that allow us to serve those that are currently in the process
 - Pre-ETS program has changed significantly, refining service, working through stages rather than just jumping in, continually communicating with education partners
 - Need is communication and collaboration
 - Partners are asking how they can support, positive at present
- Natcast Grant Update Wendi Secrist
 - Related to CHIPS Act – Natcast became the Workforce Development Center of Excellence for Semiconductor Industry
 - Micron is CHIPS act recipient
 - WDC put in \$1.2M proposal for Idaho, to augment the expansion of “semiconductor/automated manufacturing” training programs with support services
 - Currently the programs project a 70% graduation rate, let’s increase by removing barriers like childcare, housing, transportation, etc. Grant will provide up to \$2,500 in support for participants
 - Idaho was 1 of 7 awarded
 - Idaho Technical Council will be the fiscal agent, directly doing case management

- Will be introducing them to One-Stop partners to develop relationships for co-enrollment
 - SNAP E&T Update Elaine Zabriskie
 - Participating in policy academy through National Governors' Association
 - 3 goals, 1 complete
 - Moving into creating a structure that increases enrollment
 - Process should be able to be replicated with other one-stop partners

Review of One-Stop System Evaluations

Elaine Zabriskie & Wendi Secrist

- Evaluations
 - 1 yr ago WIOA State Plan submitted
 - Asked partners to submit their agency evaluations
 - All took different direction
 - VR – access
 - Adult Education – performance accountability
 - IDOL – narrative, brief summary, impact on customers moving away from brick & mortar
 - No comprehensive model, great individual methods
 - Desire to be proactive on what we can do across the system
 - Rhode Island simplified their approach to “Is it improving the lives of the participants”
 - What does success look like, perhaps move towards tackling this as a system
 - Kristyn – new data sharing agreement coming for better picture of co-enrollment
 - Activity – Defining Success

Adjourn at 11:52 AM