

CALIFORNIA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD



MEETING NOTICE

Thursday, May 17, 2018
10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.



Edmund G. Brown, Jr.
Governor

Tim Rainey
Executive Director

Michael Rossi
Chair

California Workforce Development Board - Quarterly Meeting

**Location: Hospitality Training Academy
130 S. Alvarado Street, Second Floor
Los Angeles, CA 90057**

Alternate Meeting Locations

CWDB – HQ
800 Capitol Mall, Suite 1022
Sacramento, CA 95814

Lex Machina
1010 Doyle Street, Suite 200
Menlo Park, CA 94025

JVS – Work Transforms Lives
225 Bush St. Suite 400 – West Lobby
San Francisco, CA 94104

Riverside County Workforce Development Center
1325 Spruce Street, 4th Floor 4-B
Riverside, CA 92507

Lake Arrowhead Resort - Lobby
27984 Highway 189
Lake Arrowhead, CA 92352

AGENDA

- 1. Welcome and Opening Remarks**
 - 2. Public Comment**
 - 3. Action Items**
 - a. Approve Meeting Summary of February 15, 2018
 - 4. Updates and Discussion**
 - a. State Plan – Update
 - b. WIOA Regional/Local Planning Guidance – Update
 - c. Prison to Employment Initiative – Update
 - d. Partnership 2.0 Meetings
 - e. Co-enrollment Cohort
 - f. AB 2060 – Update
 - g. SB 1 – Update and Timeline
 - 5. Other Business**
 - a. Workers Compensation
 - b. California Future Health Workforce Commission
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Item 1. Welcome and Opening Remarks

Item 2. Public Comment

Item 3. Action Items

- a. Approve Meeting Summary of February 15, 2018

**CALIFORNIA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD MEETING
THURSDAY FEBRUARY 15, 2018
721 CAPITOL MALL, SACRAMENTO
MEETING SUMMARY**

1. Welcome and Opening Remarks

A quorum being present, Chair Mike Rossi opened the meeting at 10:00. Executive Director Tim Rainey welcomed the members and reviewed the agenda items at 10:00. E.D. Rainey announced that there are three remaining meetings in the Brown Administration. E.D. Rainey introduced Shrayas Jatkar, Curtis Notsinneh and Bethany Renfree as the State Board's newest staff. E.D. Rainey, Secretary Lanier and Deputy Director Rounds briefly discussed the proposed \$37 million Corrections Workforce Partnership Initiative.

Members Present

Josh Becker

John Brauer

Jerry Butkiewicz

Jamil Dada

Lee Ann Eager

Diane Factor

Angelo Farooq

Larry Frank

Patrick Henning, Jr.

Stewart Knox

Amy Wilson for David Lanier

Alia Rosa from for Sen. Mendoza

Steve Monteros

Marina Espinoza for Asm. Mullin

Sen. Josh Newman

Bob Redlo

Charles Riojas

Mike Rossi, Chair

Emilio Perez for Asm. Salas

Alma Salazar

Hermelinda Sapien

Jeremey Smith

Jim Suennen for Diana Dooley

Joseph Williams

Carol Zabin

Members Absent:

Abby Snay

Bill Camp

Mike Gallo

Steve Levy

Von Ton Quinlivan

Jeremy Smith

2. Public Comment

Blake Konczal, from the Fresno WDB, presented a resolution from Senator Galgiani recognizing the multi-craft pre-apprentice construction (MC3) training in the San Joaquin Valley and the State Board's support. This year, the first pre-apprentices are coming out as journeymen. Mr. Riojas concurred with Blake's statements and thanked Chair Rossi and Exec. Dir. Rainey.

3. Action Items

a. Approve Meeting Summary of August 24, 2017.

A motion to approve the meeting summary was offered by Mr. Dada and seconded by Mr. Henning. No comments. Item unanimously approved.

b. State Plan – Amendments

E.D. Rainey introduced the item and stated there are 3 new partners (CDCR, PIA, SNAP E&T and DCSS) that have asked to be included. CWDB will be issuing new local and regional plan guidance. Deputy Director Rounds briefed this item. State Plan updates are due to the U.S. Department of Labor (DOL) in March 2018. We are adding three new partners: Cal Fresh and CalFresh Employment & Training under the Department of Social Services; Department of Child Support Services for non-custodial parents to gain employment; and the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) and Prison Industries Authority. All three programs will be written into the state plan and local/regional planning guidance will be released for locals and Regional Planning Units (RPU) to incorporate these programs into their plans. There are also some technical changes being made. A motion to approve the modifications and authorize staff to make any minor technical changes and to authorize the Executive Committee to act on behalf of the Board to approve any significant changes resulting from public comment was offered by Mr. Dada and seconded by Ms. Sapien. No comments. Item unanimously approved.

4. Discussion / Updates

a. Grants/Initiatives

• Workforce Accelerator Fund

E.D. Rainey described the summary in the agenda packet. The Accelerator Fund is the Innovation part of the WIOA. WAF 6.0 awards were announced in December,

\$5.9 million in 29 projects, \$3.0 million targeted to ex-offenders. All proposals are scored by CWDB and EDD staff with final decisions made by Secretary Lanier and Chair Rossi. To date, The Accelerator has funded \$31.1 million dollars in 123 grants.

- **Regional Implementation**

E.D. Rainey described the summary in the agenda packet and reminded the members that the Board created the 14 regions via past action. In the last round of funding, Secretary Lanier and Chair Rossi have funded \$7million in implementation grants.

- **High Road Training Partnerships (H RTP)**

E.D. Rainey described the summary in the agenda packet. H RTP starts with the best jobs with the best companies and build the pathways to those jobs. Demand driven. Focus is on building of the partnerships. In December, we awarded \$3 million dollars to 2 new projects and 3 split funded projects while also supporting the development of an institute that trains on this.

- **Proposition 39**

E.D. Rainey described the summary in the agenda packet. In December, we put the final \$2.1 million dollars to expand 6 of the current 12 projects and we added 1 new project. In the last 4 years, you have invested \$10.8 million dollars to build and expand these 12 partnerships. Tim highlighted 3 exceptional MC3 programs.

b. Legislative Reports/Directives

E.D. Rainey stated there are 2 legislative reports due.

- **AB 2060**

AB 2060 Forward Focus on the \$5 million awarded to 13 corrections/workforce partnerships at the county level. Hopefully, the report will be ready for the full board on the 15th.

- **AB 2148**

Deputy Director Rounds described the AB 2148 Workforce Metrics Dashboard legislative report on workforce outcomes. The report is completed at currently at Labor Agency. In future years, the report will use the CAAL-Skills data and that project is progressing well. CAAL-Skills enables us to link participants across multiple programs.

Chair Rossi asked if the data shows we are achieving success – Deputy Director Rounds replied that the report tells us who is using the programs and what the outcomes are and that CAAL-Skills is building to do the deeper dive on the causality. Mr. Rossi stated the longevity of the job people get is the causality.

Ms. Factor asked how this relates to the CalJOBS database and if the data from both systems will be linked? Mr. Rounds stated it does and doesn't. CalJOBS is a performance reporting system for WIOA Title 1 in order to track participants into the labor market in the base wage file. CAAL-Skills is a data repository with pulled participate data from a variety of participating programs.

Mr. Brauer asked if over time in DAS and DIR CAAL-Skills will look at whether you got a joint labor/mgmt. committee or just a unilateral agreement. Mr. Rounds said the ability to do it will depend on the partner data collected and the sustainability of the CAAL-Skills project.

Mr. Xavier asked how the reports reflect the start point for individuals with disabilities. Rounds stated that the CWDB has worked with partners on the narrative. This allows to accurately reflect how different programs are set up. Labor market outcomes are different for different programs.

- **Prison to Employment Initiative**

Deputy Director Rounds summarized this budget proposal. Chair Rossi asked that the regional plans be short and like business plans.

Ms. Sapien asked if CBOs will participate – Deputy Director Rounds stated yes and described the different types of grants.

- **SB 1**

Tim Rainey provided an overview of SB 1 initiative and stated it mirrors Prop 39. The Board has 2 responsibilities in the legislation: 1) Design and administer the grant program, 2) Develop guidelines for local agencies and municipalities which receive SB 1 funds, that if they want to invest in pre-apprenticeship programs, the guidelines will help them understand how to invest those dollars. Guidelines will be out early summer and a regional roadshow that will convene regional partners to start having the conversation to fund a pre-apprenticeship program in each region.

Mr. Xavier asked if SB 1 will target CalFresh and persons with disabilities – Deputy Director White stated it could as it applies to persons with barriers to employment.

- **AB 398/SB 350**

E.D. Rainey stated the Board’s role in AB 398 and Sarah White provided an overview of the statutory report/action plan. Deputy Director White summarized CWDB’s AB 398 legislative report responsibilities. The report should be ready by the September Global Climate Conference in SF hosted by the Governor. Workforce Implementation plan for SB 350 is being rolled in to the AB 398 report.

Chair Rossi stated we need to be sure that equity as we are defining it has a basis that deals with the realities of what the science ultimately says. There is not a green economy. We need to be really sure we are not dealing with generalities and instead dealing with the realities of the world. Mr. Rossi is concerned we don’t yet know what impact climate change is having on quality jobs. E.D. Rainey and Mr. Rossi both acknowledged how difficult this work is. The key is to educate agencies.

Mr. Frank provided an example of a program in Los Angeles. With cap and trade dollars, the climate impact dollars are critical. The Strategic Growth Council oversees a pot of funds that are specifically meant to address climate change reduction. In the most recent RFP released by this council, there was additional requirements for workforce development component to go along with climate change. This should lead to 40 new positions.

5. Other Business

Chair Rossi stated the Board has three more meetings and asked what the Board wants to do and what imprint do we want to make?

Mr. Butkiewicz stated he likes the emphasis on jobs and would like to solidify the concept of starting with the job and then working backwards on the pathway.

Mr. Dada stated many of the outcomes will be measured later and to keep doing the great work that is currently being done.

Mr. Redlo stated most members don't want to end after the next 3 meetings and keep showing the success of regional implementation.

E.D. Rainey asked for members to volunteer to help support the regional partnerships

Chair Rossi asked for a 10-page small and concise business plan format for the CDCR regional plans.

E.D. Rainey introduced Chair Rossi's granddaughter to the meeting.

Mr. Suennen stated this is Cal EITC awareness week and to see him for brochures and help convey the message about this tax credit.

E.D. Rainey acknowledged Mr. Xavier for use of the meeting facilities.

Mr. Redlo updated The Board on the CA Future Health Workforce Commission and the recommendations are coming to fruition. The executive members are asking is there a way to interact with the CWDB for a brief presentation and 15-20 minute interaction with the members hopefully in May.

Having no further business, Mr. Dada offered a motion to adjourn, seconded by Mr. Brauer and unanimously adopted. The meeting was adjourned at 11:15.

Item 4. Discussion/Updates

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Discussion: State Plan - Update**2018 State Plan Modifications**

California's Unified Strategic Workforce Development Plan was updated to include three new partnership agreements, new partner program descriptions, updates to the Competitive Integrated Employment Agreement with DOR, Wagner-Peyser, Title II and Title IV changes made by EDD, CDE and DOR, some additional language on providing services to the foreign born, including refugees, an update on data-sharing efforts, language on pre-apprenticeship training and the Multi-Craft Core Curriculum (MC3), and finally, corrections of dated material, such as the number of Local Boards and the list of State Board Members. There were no substantive policy changes.

The WIOA State Plan amendments were submitted to the federal government on March 15, 2018. California was the only state in the region to submit the amendments by the March 15th due date. The federal reviewers flagged items needing clarification, correction, or additional information, specifically requesting updated information on labor market conditions, clarification on the new WIOA Youth Policy, questions regarding Rapid Response and Trade Adjustment Assistance, and several follow-up questions on core programs, including questions for EDD on the Wagner-Peyser Program and the Agricultural Outreach Plan, CDE on the General Education Provisions Act and Adult Education and Family Literacy Act, and DOR on Vocational Rehabilitation. The State Board, EDD, CDE and DOR responded with thorough answers and updated information, where necessary, and submitted the requested changes on April 25th. The federal government is now in the process of reviewing the State Plan modifications and will provide a decision on the modifications no later than June 13, 2018 (90 days from the submission deadline).

Discussion: WIOA Regional/Local Planning Guidance - Update**WIOA Regional/Local Planning Guidance**

The State Board drafted guidance on the three new partnership agreements—including the Corrections Partnership, the CalFresh Employment and Training Partnership, and the Department of Child Support Services and Workforce System Partnership—to assist local boards in drafting their local and regional plans. The guidance, [Workforce Services Draft Directive - 180](#), provides a framework for the implementation of the new partnerships and outlines what is expected from local boards in their plan modifications. It also outlines expectations for stakeholder engagement in the planning process. This Draft Directive was issued for public comment on April 30th. Public comment will close on June 1st. Local boards will engage with planning partners and stakeholders during this time, and all stakeholders will have the opportunity to weigh in on the guidance before the final directive is issued in July, after the State Board has reviewed and considered the public comment. Following the release of the final directive, local boards will begin developing their local and/or regional plans.

Timeline and Planning

- a. Guidance on the new partnership agreements has been drafted for local workforce development boards to utilize and respond to when drafting their local or regional plans. This guidance provides a framework for the implementation of the new partnerships and outlines what is expected from local boards in their plan modifications that addresses the way in which local boards will engage with and work with the plan partners to serve local populations. This guidance was issued as [Workforce Services Draft Directive - 180](#) on April 30, 2018.
- b. April 30th through June 1, 2018, Public Comment Period. During this time partners and stakeholders will have the opportunity to weigh in on the guidance.
- c. June 1st: Public comment will close.
- d. June through July: The State Board will review, consider and incorporate the public comment to enhance the directive.
- e. Early to mid-July: A final directive will be issued to the field.
- f. Planning Period Begins: Local boards will use this guidance directive to draft their local and/or regional plans. There should be a continued flow of information and sharing during this time.
- g. July – December 2018: Local boards will develop their local and/or regional plans.
- h. March 15, 2019 - Local boards will submit updated plans to the State Board for approval.
- i. June/July 2019 – State Board will evaluate and approve regional and local plans.

Discussion: Prison to Employment Initiative - Update

The Corrections Workforce Partnership Team participated in the drafting the Regional/Local Planning Guidance to develop portions relevant to the partnership agreement and the Governor's Prison to Employment budget proposal. The budget proposal is currently before the budget subcommittees in both houses of the Legislature, and staff have testified in subcommittees to explain the proposal and to answer questions of the subcommittee members. We anticipate some minor tinkering in the Legislature and will continue working with LWDA, DOF and the Governor's Office to promote the Governor's priority. The team also continues to participate in, and provide leadership on the taskforce between LWDA and CDCR, and associated workgroups to tackle Regional/Local Planning Guidance, civil service direct employment, construction direct pipeline, data sharing, and statewide leadership. The team is also meeting with a variety of stakeholders, including CBOs, Local Boards, Parole Operations, and contracted CDCR rehabilitative program operators to assess needs that RPUs and Local boards will need to develop regional plans, appropriate training and technical assistance. The team has also developed a factsheet, interactive resource map, and website: <https://cwdb.ca.gov/workforce-corrections-partnership/>

Discussion: Partnerships 2.0 Meetings

PARTNERSHIPS TO UNLOCK SOCIAL MOBILITY 2.0

PURPOSE

- To introduce the field to the Governor’s first-of-its-kind General Fund Request for \$37 million to serve re-entry populations
- To bring key workforce and corrections partners together to catalogue their successful strategies for serving these populations
- To elevate a vision on how we serve these populations
- To discuss regional workforce development successes, which will be collected in a publication, and displayed at an educational event for legislators, staff, media, and other stakeholders.
- To identify services and partnerships that are needed to connect proven supply-side strategies for the re-entry population with demand-side regional workforce successes

WHO’S INVITED

Workforce Board Leadership Staff, Community College Regional Workforce Leadership, Adult Education Regional Workforce Leadership, Corrections and Rehabilitation Leadership

AGENDA

9:30 – 9:45 Introductions and Icebreaker

9:45 – 10:00 Framing for the Day, **by CWA**

10:00 – 10:30 State Presentation on CDCR Budget Ask and Q&A, **by CWDB**

10:30 – 11:00 Scenarios on Service Pathways for Re-Entry Participants, **led by CWA**

11:00 – 11:15 Report Outs on Service Pathways, **led by CWA**

11:15 – 12:00 Regional Shared Understanding and Strategy Discussion, with definitions of regional success given **by CWDB** and examples of regional success shared **by group**

12:00 – 12:30 Lunch Provided, continued discussion on developing a regional shared understanding with local service delivery, **led by CWA**

12:30 – 1:00 Next steps and wrap, **by CWA**

Register now at <http://calworkforce.org/PUSM-2-0/>

LOCATIONS

MAY, 2018

Northern LA County – Tuesday, 5/8

Sheraton Pasadena - 303 Cordova St, Pasadena, CA 91101

Ventura – Wednesday, 5/9

Courtyard by Marriott Oxnard - 600 E Esplanade Dr, Oxnard, CA 93036

Humboldt – Tuesday, 5/15

Holiday Inn and Suites Eureka - 815 W Wabash Ave, Eureka, CA 95501

Mother Lode – Tuesday, 5/22

Best Western Plus Sonora Oaks - 19551 Hess Ave, Sonora, CA 95370

Southeast LA County – Thursday, 5/24

Renaissance Long Beach - 111 E Ocean Blvd, Long Beach, CA 90802

North State – Tuesday, 5/29

Sheraton Redding - 820 Sundial Bridge Drive, Redding, CA 96001

Capitol – Wednesday, 5/30

Hilton Sacramento Arden - 2200 Harvard St, Sacramento, CA 95815

Central Valley North – Thursday, 5/31

Stanislaus County Library – 4835 Sisk Rd, Salida, CA 95368

JUNE, 2018

East Bay Area – Wednesday, 6/6 –

TBD

Bay Peninsula – Thursday, 6/7

San Mateo Marriott - 1770 S Amphlett Blvd, San Mateo, CA 94402

Inland Empire – Tuesday, 6/12

TBD – San Bernardino, CA

Orange County – Wednesday, 6/13

Anaheim Marriott Suites - 12015 Harbor Blvd, Garden Grove, CA 92840

Southern Border – Thursday, 6/14

Courtyard Old Town San Diego - 2435 Jefferson St, San Diego, CA 92110

Central Los Angeles – Tuesday, 6/19

Hospitality Training Academy – 130 S Alvarado St, 2nd Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90057

Central Coast – Thursday, 6/21

Cuesta College (Dallons Hall) – 2800 Buena Vista Dr, Paso Robles, CA 93446

Central Valley South – Tuesday, 6/26

DoubleTree by Hilton – 3100 Camino del Rio Ct, Bakersfield, CA 93308

North Bay Area – Thursday, 6/28

Napa Valley Marriott Hotel & Spa - 3425 Solano Ave, Napa, CA 94558

Discussion: Co-enrollment Cohort

Operationalizing WIOA Co-enrollment – Progress Report on *Strategic Co-enrollment* in California

California submitted an application and was selected to participate in a US Department of Labor/US Dept. of Education sponsored Co-Enrollment Cohort. California was one of seven states to participate. Participation in this cohort brought together California’s core program and strategic planning partners: Title I Adult, Dislocated Worker, and Youth programs;; Title II Adult Ed; Adult Education Block Grant; Title III Wagner-Peyser; Title IV Voc Rehab; CalWORKS, CalFresh E & T; and Refugee Programs. California also sought input from local workforce partners. Structured activities included bi-weekly trainings, completion of “homework” assignments, and an in-person convening in Washington D.C. Final deliverables of California’s participation include the development of an “ideal” co-enrollment model and an action plan. The cohort is concluding, and California’s action plan has culminated in agreement amongst WIOA planning partners to develop joint policy guidance and provide technical assistance to build cross-system capacity around *strategic co-enrollment*.

Why a focus on *Strategic Co-enrollment*?

Co-enrollment is a critical strategy included in the State WIOA Unified Plan, and while federal regulations allow for and encourage co-enrollment, there is currently no state policy in place to facilitate co-enrollment and address the obstacles that locals have in operationalizing this strategy. However, co-enrollment is not an end in itself: co-enrollment should be a strategic investment opportunity.

WIOA places a strong emphasis on planning and implementation across multiple partner programs to ensure alignment in service delivery. One key goal is to develop effective partnerships across WIOA programs and other workforce providers, including community-based organizations to provide individuals the employment, education, and training services they need. *Strategic co-enrollment* is of particular importance to better serve Californians who face numerous barriers to education and employment training.

Through the use of *strategic co-enrollment* the State can:

- Increase program and participant success;
- Maximize resources;
- Enable greater efficiencies in service delivery, and;
- Better align services with regional sector pathways.

Strategic co-enrollment is a necessary component to developing and sustaining career pathways. Career pathways allow for individuals to succeed in an environment that accounts for their current abilities and skill levels and provides them with an appropriate service structure to advance not just within an individual job but within an occupation or occupational cluster. In order to effectively promote and

develop career pathways and sector strategies, workforce partners must work together to ensure a customer-centered approach with *strategic co-enrollment* as a key strategy to service delivery that best benefits the participant.

What are the challenges for operationalizing *strategic co-enrollment*?

Across WIOA programs looking to better operationalize co-enrollment there exists challenges:

- Conducting referrals and joint case management;
- Understanding of partner programs and how to leverage/braid funding;
- Inconsistency in the information collected and reported for co-enrollments;
- Gaps in information sharing: management information systems are unable to share pertinent information to serve individuals without the risk of duplicating services or denying eligibility-based access.

What is the expected outcome?

The cohort has explored many of the challenges that impede co-enrollment and have identified best practices to help lift models of how to leverage partnership in spite of a policy being in place. The team has developed an action plan to help arrive at a policy by September 2018, to coincide with the WIOA planning period. The goal is to promote a *strategic co-enrollment* policy that will be adopted by all WIOA core partners and other key programs.

Discussion: AB 2060 - Update

The AB 2060 Initiative: Supervised Populations Workforce Training Grant Program interim report to the California Legislature was submitted on April 6, 2018.

AB 2060 (V.M. Pérez-2014) established the Supervised Population Workforce Training Grant program to be administered by the California Workforce Development Board (CWDB). Aimed at supporting the Governor's public safety realignment efforts, the grant program was funded with Recidivism Reduction Fund monies appropriated in the 2014-15 and 2015-16 Budget Acts.

Because the AB 2060 grant projects are still in progress and data is not final, this evaluation report presents preliminary quantitative findings about the AB 2060 Initiative. It describes preliminary findings and lessons learned by grantees in their efforts to align education, training, case management, employer engagement, job placement, and job retention support services for the benefit of the formerly incarcerated job seekers and regional employers. It also offers a number of recommendations to sustain and build upon the progress achieved to facilitate transitions from incarceration to sustainable employment. Final data will become available later this year as the grantees close out and submit their final reports. A more detailed quantitative analysis will be conducted at that time, and presented to the Legislature pursuant to the requirements of AB 2060.

The published report can be found on our website at <https://cwdb.ca.gov/initiatives/ab-2060/>

ForwardFOCUS 3.0

ForwardFOCUS 3.0 is the third round of funding to go towards programs that provide grants that will create opportunities for the supervised population to improve their qualifications for apprenticeship programs, community college career programs, and direct job placement. These programs will help the supervised population participants obtain a marketable and industry or apprenticeship board-recognized certification, credential, or board-recognized certification, credential, or degree.

- The State Board has approximately \$2 million to award
- Eligible applicants were current and previous AB 2060 grantees
- 12 of the 13 previous projects submitted applications
- Applications were reviewed and recommended for funding based on evaluation score, partnership agreements, geographic distribution, and consideration to high-concentration areas of re-entry populations
- Grant term: June 2018 – May 2020
- Recommendations for funding are currently with the Labor Agency



**UPDATE ON IMPLEMENTATION
OF SB 1 (ROAD REPAIR &
ACCOUNTABILITY ACT)**

April 26, 2018

STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT

The State Board has been engaged in consultations with transportation agencies and various other public and non-governmental organizations to discuss pre-apprenticeship partnerships and the State Board's plans for SB 1 implementation (i.e., issuing guidelines and administering a grant program). These consultations included multiple meetings with CalSTA, Caltrans/Office of Business & Economic Opportunity, and the Federal Highway Administration to gather transportation agencies' experiences and lessons learned in funding workforce development (in construction and transportation infrastructure), including apprenticeship and pre-apprenticeship.

Additionally, the State Board is spearheading convenings to link local building trades councils, workforce boards, community colleges, and community-based organizations through regional partnerships capable of delivering quality pre-apprenticeship directly connected to regional labor market demand. In addition to building familiarity and trust among key entities working at the regional level, these convenings provide an opportunity to showcase the State Board's existing investments in High Road Construction Careers (under Prop 39) as a model for pre-apprenticeship partnerships we intend to fund with SB 1.

- *High Road Construction Careers – regional convenings (Round 1)*
 - April 6, Southern California: held at Sheet Metal Workers apprenticeship training center in City of Industry.
 - May 10, Bay Area: to be held at IBEW apprenticeship training center in San Leandro.
 - May 31, Central Valley: to be held at Plumbers & Pipefitters apprenticeship training center in Modesto.

TIMELINE FOR DELIVERABLES

- Guidelines to transportation agencies for investing, participating, or otherwise supporting pre-apprenticeship.

- Draft for inter-agency review: by early summer 2018
 - Issue final guidelines: by mid-summer 2018
- Regional convenings, Round 2: late summer 2018
 - Round 2 will feature the State Board's SB 1 guidelines, with transportation agencies receiving SB 1 monies invited to participate as a result.
- Grant program for regional pre-apprenticeship partnerships
 - Post a Request for Proposal (RfP): by fall 2018
 - Announce funding awards: 1st quarter 2019

Discussion: Worker's Compensation

The California Workforce Development Board is doing some research on providing Worker's Compensation to all board members by including the members on the "State Board's" policy. The expense is minimal for the protection of our members and the organization.

In order to receive this coverage, The State Compensation Insurance Fund requires "The Board" to provide a resolution by a majority vote. We have brought this to your attention with the expectation to provide your more information and possibly an "action item" at the next "Board Meeting", August 16, 2018.

Discussion: California Future Health Workforce Commission - Presentation