

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA LETTER

Agenda Number:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 105 E. Anapamu Street, Suite 407 Santa Barbara, CA 93101 (805) 568-2240

Department Name:

Social Services

Department No.:

044

For Agenda Of:

2/17/09

Placement:

Administrative

Estimated Tme:

Continued Item:

NO

If Yes, date from:

Vote Required:

YES

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FROM:

TO:

Board of Supervisors

Director, x71017

Contact Info:

Kathy Gallagher

Raymond L. McDonald, WIB Executive Director

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SUBJECT:

Appointment of Members to the Workforce Investment Board (WIB)

County Counsel Concurrence

Auditor-Controller Concurrence

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Other Concurrence: Select_Other As to form: Select Concurrence

Recommended Actions: 1. Approve the appointment and reappointment of the individuals listed to serve on the Santa Barbara County Workforce Investment Board for the term indicated on the attached roster.

Summary Text:

The Santa Barbara County Workforce Investment Board (WIB) is mandated by the Federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA), Public Law 105-220. The WIB Members, many of whom represent public entities mandated to sit on the WIB by the Act, are appointed by the Board of Supervisors and serve for specific terms. As their appointed terms of service expire, they must be reappointed for a new term, with the WIB nominating committee working with the WIB Executive Director to forward names to the Board. The attached list contains names of current WIB Members who are being reappointed, as well as new members who will be serving their first term.

Background: The WIB develops workforce policy for the county, and oversees the operation of two One-Stop Career Centers, and the employment & training programs for youth, recently laid-off workers, and the unemployed adults. In addition, the WIB fosters a working relationship with the business community to assist it with current labor market information and other workforce intelligence, such as industry sector initiatives and research. Finally, the WIB has appointed a Youth Advisory Council (YAC) that advises the larger body on youth program issues, and the selection of youth program training providers.

The Workforce Investment Act mandates that several public entities sit on the WIB. Among these "Mandated Partners" is the publicly-funded State Job Service, local economic development entities, the senior program provider, the Department of Rehabilitation, the Community Service Block Grant administrator, and representatives of the local educational system (community colleges). In addition, the Federal law stipulates that a majority of the WIB must be from the private sector, while California State Law states that 20% of the membership must represent organized labor.

The State of California, who monitors the local WIBs and WIA programs annually, validates the membership composition, and with the current reappointments, the Santa Barbara WIB fulfills many of the legislative requirements. Moreover, the WIB Executive Director and Board Members are actively engaged in recruitment; thus, more new appointments will be made in the coming months. The objective is to have all Mandated Partner seats filled by July 1, 2009.

Performance Measure: None

Fiscal and Facilities Impacts: None

Budgeted: Select_Budgeted

Fiscal Analysis:

No fiscal impacts

Staffing Impacts: None

Special Instructions:

The Minute Order, approving the attached appointment, should be provided to Adrienne Brooks, County Department of Social Services, in order to be available for State and Federal monitoring.

Attachments:

List of Appointees to the Santa Barbara Workforce Investment Board.

Authored by:

Raymond L. McDonald, WIB Executive Director

Reappointments to the Workforce Investment Board (Statutory Reference 117 (b), 121(b))

| Category | Name | Organization | Term To Expire |
|---|--|--|--|
| Private Sector Title I, Welfare- to-Work CBO, Farm Worker Senior Services Native American Labor | Laura Segura Kathy Gallagher | Fusion Marketing Partners Department of Social Services | 1/31/2011 1/31/2012 |
| | Gabriel Morales Cindy Burton Ernestine Lopez Steven Weiner | Center for Employment Training PathPoint Candelaria American Indian Council Building and Construction Trades Council | 1/31/2011 1/31/2011 1/31/2011 1/31/2012 |

Appointments to the Workforce Investment Board (Statutory Reference 117 (b), 121(b))

| Category | Name | Organization | Term To Expire |
|--|---|---|---|
| Private Sector Local education, Adult ed. & literacy, post secondary | Timothy Harrington Karen Dwyer Patricia Manfredonia Robert Manning Christopher Montigny Sue Larsen Betty Pazich | Terralink International Express Employment Professionals Vons Sue's Place Ajax/Santa Barbara Refrigeration Gulley & Larsen Insurance Services Santa Barbara Community College . | 1/31/2011 1/31/2011 1/31/2011 1/31/2011 1/31/2011 1/31/2011 1/31/2012 |
| education Labor CBO, CSBG Dept. of Rehab. Job Services, NAFTA/Trade, LVR/DVOPs, UI | Rey Ybarra Fran Forman Julie Holmes Adriana Barbara | Local 535/721 SEIU Community Action Commission Department of Rehabilitation Employment Development Department | 1/31/2012 1/31/2011 1/31/2012 1/31/2012 |

