

GREAT LAKES BAY MICHIGAN WORKS!
DRAFT Career & Education Advisory Council
January 22, 2024

CEAC MEMBERS
PRESENT

Cheryl Krieger
Doug Bush
Erik Rodriguez
Greg Schmidt
Jeff Clark
Jennifer Geno

CEAC MEMBERS
PRESENT

Marcia Ditmyer
Mary Ellen Johnson
Raquel Perez
Tiffany Pruitt

CEAC MEMBERS ABSENT

Brian Klele
Brian McBride
Don Johnson
Don Tilley

MWA STAFF

Kristen Wenzel
Earlene Bohlen

GUESTS

Craig Clark – GLBMW
Lisa Kleekamp – GLBMW
Betsy Diegel – MiSTEM
Kim Onstott - GIRESD
Olga Pilar - SVRC

Anna Willman-Onstott – Delta College
Nicholas Morehead – MDHHS
Vaughn Begick - GLBMW
Ray Ogden – GLBMW

ITEM #1: CALL TO ORDER & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Co-Chairman Bush called the CEAC meeting to order on Monday, January 22, 2024 at 3:33 p.m. The meeting was held at the Saginaw Service Center at 312 E. Genesee, Saginaw, MI 48607.

ITEM #2: ROLL CALL

The above members were present, and a quorum was met.

ITEM #3: APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Co-Chairman Bush presented the Agenda to the CEAC.

Ditmyer motioned and Geno supported.

To approve the Agenda as presented to the CEAC.

The motion passed by voice vote.

ITEM #4: INTRODUCTIONS OF NEW COMMITTEE MEMBER(S)

Co-Chairman Bush introduced and welcomed Tiffany Pruitt with Saginaw Public Schools to the CEAC Board. Co-Chairman Bush invited Tiffany Pruitt to introduce herself and her company.

ITEM #5: AUDIENCE FOR THE PUBLIC

All members of the public introduced themselves to the CEAC and are listed above.

ITEM #6: CORRECTING AND APPROVING THE MINUTES

There were no previous minutes to be approved.

ITEM #7: REPORTS/ACTION/DISCUSSION ITEMS

A. Reports:

- a) Registered Apprenticeship Program Update (Anna Willman-Onstott)

Anna Willman-Onstott of Delta College presented to the CEAC Board the current statistics, ongoing improvements, and current processes of the Registered Apprenticeship Program. MARC – Michigan Apprenticeship Readiness Certification. Jennifer Geno gave an update regarding the Access for All program.

- b) MiSTEM (Betsy Diegel)

Betsy Diegel of MiSTEM Region 10 presented to the CEAC Board the current programs, partner developments, and the future developments and needs of the MiSTEM Region 10 to empower the youth demographic. She invited all CEAC board members to contact her with regards to current and future endeavors.

B. Action:

- a) None

C. Discussion:

- a) 2024 WIOA Regional Plan – anticipated changes strategic input needed (Craig Clark)

Craig Clark of GLBMW! presented to the CEAC Board a summary of what the WIOA Regional Plan entails and what will be needed to complete the update of the plan in 2024. Clark encouraged all CEAC board members to review the current plan and advise GLBMW of any changes and/or additions that will be needed.

ITEM #8: ADJOURNMENT

Krieger motioned and Perez supported:

To adjourn the CEAC meeting.

The motion passed by voice vote.

Co-Chairman Bush adjourned the CEAC meeting at 4:10 p.m.

Kristen Wenzel

Kristen Wenzel, Interim CEO

1/24/2024

Date

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