MINUTES CENTRAL ARKANSAS WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD February 28, 2022

The Central Arkansas Workforce Development Board met virtually and in person, on Monday, February 28, 2022, in the Tom Catlett Executive Board Room at the CAPDD Office located at 902 North Center in Lonoke.

Chairman Michele Allgood called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

Those members in attendance were Michele Allgood, Crystal Aschbrenner, Carlton Billingsley, William French, LaRhonda Fulcher, Jonathon Graham, Melynda Hardin, Diana Kirkdoffer, Latasha Mays, Jimmy McAlister, Gary Padget, Mark Perry, Salina Rivers, Clevon Young and Jim Youngquist.

Members represented by proxy were Samuel High, Byrum Kelly and Joyce Surraatt.

CAPDD staff present were Rodney Larsen, Tina Roush, Annie Crisp, Kira Livingston, Dorine Smith, Carmen Edwards, Shawntel Robinson, Fay Cox, and Trevor Villines.

Also present were Shenaye Johns and Mary Wilson with ADWS.

Chairman Michele Allgood called for approval of the December 6, 2021, CAWDB meeting minutes. After discussion, Mark Perry moved to approve the minutes as presented; Gary Padget seconded the motion; Motion carried.

Rodney Larsen presented the request to release the Request for Proposal for the One-Stop Operator Monitor for the period of PY2018-PY2022. After discussion, Gary Padget moved to approve the RFP as presented: William French seconded the motion; Motion carried.

Rodney Larsen presented a list of Eligible Training Provider applications for the Central Arkansas Workforce Development Area. After discussion, Clevon Young moved to approve the Eligible Training Provider list as presented; Mark Perry seconded the motion; Motion carried.

Applications approved are:

Arkansas State University - Beebe – 2-D Mechanical CAD Drafting, Agriculture, Agriculture Equipment Tech, Business Technology, Business General, Computer Aided Drafting and Design, Computer Information Systems, Computer Systems Technology, Early Childhood Education and Teaching, Medical Laboratory Technology, Teacher Education, Veterinary/Animal Health Technologies and Welding.

Arkansas State University - Searcy – Air Conditioning, Automotive Mechanics, Automotive Technology, Diesel Technology, Emergency Medical Services: EMT, Industrial Electronics Technology, Practical Nursing and Welding Technology/Welder.

Baptist Health College – Licensed Practical Nurse, Registered Nursing and Surgical Technology/Technologist.

Pine Bluff Truck Driving School – Truck Driving Training

University of Arkansas Community College of Morrilton – Air Conditioning, Heating and Refrigeration (CP), Collision Repair and Refinishing Technology (TC), Computer Information Systems (TC), Diesel Technology, Dietary Management, Emergency Medical Technology (EMT Paramedic), Industrial Mechanics and Maintenance Technology (TC), Registered Nursing, Surveying, Truck and Bus Driver/Commercial Vehicle Operator and Welding Technology.

University of Central Arkansas – Accounting, Elementary Education, Family and Consumer Sciences Education, Innovation and Entrepreneurship (BBA), Management, Nursing and Social Studies Teacher Education/History.

Shawntel Robinson presented the One-Stop Operator Report.

Dorine Smith presented the WIOA Program Report.

Rodney Larsen presented the Financial Report.

Chairman Michele Allgood called for old business. There was no discussion of old business.

Chairman Michele Allgood called for new business.

The next meeting will be held on Monday, June 27, 2022 at 4:00 p.m. The meeting will be held in person and virtually.

Being no other business, the meeting was declared adjourned at 4:58 p.m.

APPROVAL:

Michele Allgood, Chairman

CAWDB

Clevon Young, Secretary

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ATTEST:

Rodney Larsen, Executive Director

CAPDD

Dated: 6/27/2022