



State Workforce Development Board

Friday, May 17, 2024 – Nashville, TN

Full Board Meeting

8:45 AM – 1:15 PM

PEARL Room



Welcome

Tim Berry, Chair

8:45 AM

Roll Call

Iler Bradley, Workforce Systems Project Manager
Tennessee Department of Labor & Workforce Development

8:50 AM

Approval of Minutes (vote required)

8:55 AM

Workforce Update

Deniece Thomas, Commissioner
Tennessee Department of Labor & Workforce Development

9:00 AM

Regional and Local Plan: Overview of Day

TDLWD Staff

9:05 AM

East Regional Plan (vote required)

(Northeast, Southeast, and East LWDAs)

Brian Decker, Business & Workforce Director Northeast LWDA
Janet Wilburn, Business & Workforce Director East LWDA
Jennifer Thacker, Business & Workforce Director Southeast LWDA

9:15 AM

Southeast Local Plan (vote required)

Michele Holt, Executive Director Southeast LWDB

9:30 AM

Northeast Local Plan (vote required)

Lisa Evans, Executive Director Northeast LWDB

9:45 AM

East Local Plan (vote required) EL Morton, Executive Director East LWDB	10:00 AM
Break	10:15 AM
Middle Regional Plan (vote required) <i>(Upper Cumberland, Northern Middle, Southern Middle LWDA's)</i> Selina Moore, Business & Workforce Director Southern Middle LWDA Tyler Asher, Business & Workforce Director Upper Cumberland LWDA	10:30 AM
Northern Middle Local Plan (vote required) Marla Rye, Executive Director Northern Middle LWDB Freda Herndon, Workforce Essentials Adult Education Director	10:45 AM
Upper Cumberland Local Plan (vote required) Becky Hull, Executive Director Upper Cumberland LWDB Bob Young, Board Chair Upper Cumberland LWDB	11:00 AM
Southern Middle Local Plan (vote required) Barbara Kizer, Executive Director Southern Middle LWDB Liz Gallagher, One-Stop Operator Southern Middle LWDB	11:15 AM
Lunch <i>(45 minutes)</i>	11:30 AM
West Regional Plan (vote required) <i>(Northwest, Southwest, Great Memphis LWDA's)</i> Sabra Bledsoe, Business & Workforce Director Northwest LWDA Kayce Beam, Business & Workforce Director Southwest LWDA Jackara Jones, Business & Workforce Director Greater Memphis LWDA	12:15 PM
Northwest Local Plan (vote required) Jennifer Bane, Executive Director Northwest LWDB and Southwest LWDB	12:30 PM
Southwest Local Plan (vote required) Jennifer Bane, Executive Director Southwest LWDB and Northwest LWDB	12:45 PM

Greater Memphis Local Plan (vote required)

Amber Covington, Interim Executive Director Greater Memphis LWDB

1:00 PM**Closing Remarks**

Tim Berry, Chair

1:15 PM**2024 State Workforce Development Board Meetings:**

- Friday, August 23, 2024
- Friday, November 1, 2024