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SA Ready to Work

Advisory Board

Item #16
City Council A Session
March 4, 2021

Board Responsibilities

Validate in-demand occupations

Foster alignment between in-demand skill sets and training programs

Recommend allotment of certificates vs. degrees

Recommend levels of wraparound support

Serve as community program ambassadors

Approved Board Composition

Appointed at-large*

- 4 - Local employers (in-demand occupations)
- 2 – Current/previous participants
- 1 – Trade and labor organization
- 1 – Community organization
- 1 – Training provider

2 City Council liaisons appointed by Mayor

Additional
ad-hoc
working
groups may
be convened

*No appointed members may have direct relationships with entities that contract with the City for implementation of the SA Ready to Work program.

Subcommittee and Governance Committee

SA: Ready to Work Advisory Board Applicant Subcommittee

- Council Members Viagran, Rocha Garcia, Andrews-Sullivan and Courage
- Reviewed 34 applications and recommended 23 applicants for interviews by the Governance Committee

Governance Committee

- Met on February 9 and 19, 2021
- Interviewed 20 applicants
- Recommended 9 appointments
- Recommended addition of 2 seats and respective appointments

Amended Board Composition

Proposed Composition – appointed at-large*

- 5 - Local employers (in-demand occupations)
- 2 – Current/previous participants
- 2 – Trade and labor organization
- 1 – Community organization
- 1 – Training provider

2 City Council liaisons appointed by Mayor

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Appointment Recommendations

Local Employer/In-Demand Occupations

- Sonia Garza, Peter Holt, Benjamin Peavy, Rosa Santana and Juan Solis*

Current/Previous Workforce Participant

- Jerry Graeber and Emily Spurlock

Training Provided

- Dr. Cynthia Teniente-Matson

Trade and Labor Organizations

- Frederick “Doug” McMurry, Jr. and Bobby Olveda*

Community Organization

- Dr. Daphene Carson

*Recommended appointment for additional seat

Recommendation

Approve resolution to amend composition of SA: Ready to Work Advisory Board.

Approve appointment of 11 individuals recommended by Governance Committee.

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