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SACRAMENTO WORKS, INC. **Executive Committee**

Date: Monday, January 23, 2023

Time: 4:00 p.m.

Location:

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AGENDA

- Call to Order/Roll Call
- Consent: Approval of Findings and Authorization to Extend Use of Teleconferencing Procedures for Committee Meetings During Declared State of Emergency and/or While State or Local Officials Continue to Impose or Recommend Measures to Promote Social Distancing (Legal Counsel)
- Consent: Approval of Minutes of the November 14, 2022 Regular Meeting

- 4. **Consent**: Approval of Appointment to the Sacramento Works Board, Executive Committee
- 5. Consent: Approval of Appointment to the Sacramento Works Board
- 6. Action/Discussion: Discussion of Sacramento Works Board Action Plan
- 7. Review of the January 25, 2023 Sacramento Works Board Agenda
- 8. Staff Reports
- 9. Public Participation
- 10. Adjournment

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Lisa Clawson, Ron Ellis, David Gordon, Dr. Jamey Nye, Ron Orr, Anette Smith

DISTRIBUTION DATE: Tuesday. January 17. 2023

Sacramento Works Executive Committee meeting hosted by: Anette Smith (Chair), Ron Orr (Vice Chair), Lisa Clawson (Secretary/Treasurer)

ITEM 2- CONSENT

APPROVAL OF FINDINGS AND AUTHORIZATION TO EXTEND USE OF TELECONFERENCING PROCEDURES FOR BOARD MEETINGS DURING DECLARED STATE OF EMERGENCY AND/OR WHILE STATE OR LOCAL OFFICIALS CONTINUE TO IMPOSE OR RECOMMEND MEASURES TO PROMOTE SOCIAL DISTANCING

BACKGROUND:

California Governor Gavin Newsom has issued long-existing state of emergency related to COVID-19, which remains in effect. Governor Newsom had previously authorized local agencies, by Executive Order, to conduct meetings under the Brown Act utilizing Zoom or other remote procedures to conduct meeting by modified teleconference procedures. In September 2021, the legislature signed and passed into law AB 361, which amended Section 54953 of the Brown Act to similarly authorize teleconferencing of Board Meetings, provided necessary procedures are followed.

Under AB 361, in the event of disruption which prevents broadcasting of the meeting to members of the public using the call-in or internet-based service options, or in the event of a disruption which prevents members of the public from offering public comments, the legislative body shall take no further action on items appearing on the meeting agenda until public access to the meeting is restored.

AB 361 also authorizes public agencies to continue to hold subsequent meetings via teleconference procedures during any state of emergency that directly impacts the ability of the members to meet safely in person or while State or local officials continue to impose or recommend measures to promote social distancing. The Governor's declared continuing state of emergency remains active and continues to serve to protect members of the public from unnecessary risk and exposure to COVID-19. In addition, Cal OSHA continues to recommend physical distancing in places of employment as a measure to protect employees against the spread of COVID-19. Given these circumstances, in order to allow for the next Committee meeting to be held by teleconference procedures consistent with AB 361, the Committee must make the following findings no later than 30 days after the first teleconferencing meeting and every 30 days thereafter by majority vote:

- a. The legislative body has reconsidered the circumstances of the state of emergency.
- b. Any of the following circumstances exists:
 - i. The state of emergency continues to directly impact the ability of the members to meet safely in person.
 - ii. State or local officials continue to impose or recommend measures to promote social distancing.

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RECOMMENDATION:

Authorize the continued use of teleconferencing for Sacramento Works Executive Committee meetings under AB 361, occasioned by the continuing state of emergency issued by Governor Newsom that directly impacts the ability of the members to meet safely in person and the continuation of Cal OSHA recommendations promoting physical distancing in places of employment and, based thereon, make the following findings in support of this action:

- a. The Committee has reconsidered the circumstances of the state of emergency.
- b. The following circumstances exist:
 - i. The state of emergency continues to directly impact the ability of the members to meet safely in-person.
 - ii. State officials continue to recommend measures to promote social distancing.

PRESENTER: Legal Counsel

ITEM 4- CONSENT

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENT TO THE SACRAMENTO WORKS BOARD, <u>EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE</u>

BACKGROUND:

Historically, SETA's Executive Director has served as a board member on the Sacramento Works WDB and its Executive Committee in the "Other" member category. Ms. Jennifer Hernandez, SETA's Executive Director, was recently appointed to the Board, and staff is recommending her appointment to the Board's Executive Committee.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve the appointment of Ms. Jennifer Hernandez, SETA's Executive Director, to the Sacramento Works Board, Executive Committee.

ITEM 5 – CONSENT

APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENT TO THE SACRAMENTO WORKS BOARD

BACKGROUND:

Fifteen of the twenty-seven seats on the Sacramento Works Board are reserved for Business sector members. One vacancy exists due to the resignation of Ms. Andrea Ollanik from the Sacramento Metro Chamber of Commerce.

Ms. Kyla Bryant was recently appointed as the Executive Director for the Sacramento Metro Chamber Foundation and has submitted an application to replace the Business sector seat vacated by Ms. Ollanik. Her application is being sent under separate cover.

Historically, the Sacramento Works Executive Committee has recommended the names of individual applicants for appointment to the Sacramento Works Board's Business sector seats by the SETA Governing Board.

RECOMMENDATION:

Review the applications and provide the SETA Governing Board the names of the applicants recommended to fill the Business sector seats.

ITEM 6 – ACTION/DISCUSSION

DISCUSSION OF SACRAMENTO WORKS BOARD ACTION PLAN

BACKGROUND:

In late June, a survey was sent out to all Sacramento Works Board members requesting input on the top priority areas for the Sacramento Works Board to focus on in the coming year. Using the results of the survey, the Board engaged in two separate retreat sessions on October 6, 2021 and November 5, 2021.

At the November 17, 2021 Board Meeting, the Board approved the attached Sacramento Works Board Action Plan for 2022, and selected the following categories as the Board's priorities for 2022:

- Review Board structure and processes to enable our organization to be creative, agile, dynamic, and equitable
- Develop and define quality jobs and livable wages in partnership with the business community

The Executive Committee met on January 24, 2022, and assigned specific action plan tasks to Committees. The assignments were approved by the full Board on January 26, 2022, and each Committee was asked to review the specific action plan tasks and provide feedback on tasks that fall within their respective areas.

In addition, the Board adopted as its top priority - **develop a standardized definition of quality jobs and employers**, and requested that Committees discuss and respond with potential definitions. Attached is a summary of the Sacramento Works Board Action and recommended definitions from the Board's Committees.

At its February 28, 2022 meeting, the Executive Committee discussed the potential impact on customers with significant barriers to employment, and requested demographic data on participants served through the Job Center network. At its March 23, 2022 meeting, the Board reviewed demographic data for the most recent program year. At its September 28, 2022 meeting, the Board created an Ad Hoc Committee comprised of the Chairs (or their designees) of the Youth, Employer Outreach, and Planning/Oversight Committees.

This item provides an opportunity for the Board to continue the discussion.

RECOMMENDATION:

Discuss the Sacramento Works Board Action Plan and take appropriate action.

Sacramento Works Board Action Plan 2022

| Develop a roadmap of programs to ensure equity and lead to quality jobs | Review Board structure and processes to enable our organization to be creative, agile, dynamic, and equitable. | Develop and define quality jobs and livable wages in partnership with the business community. | Define set of data, goals, outcomes, and success stories that will consistently show ROI to the community | Seek strategic partnerships that provide targeted populations opportunities to quality jobs and expand and enhance Sac Works capacity. |
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| Adopt Strategies for job readiness curriculum | Recruit members from high demand industries (BD) | Create a business support network (EO) | Research and develop Sacramento Works outcome dashboard | Connect with Sac County homeless leadership |
| Develop and deploy digital literacy training and tools | Increase program awareness of board members (EX/BD) | Explore possibility of investing in CRM or other tech to support business (PO/EO) | Improve our story telling capability | Implement an Aggie Square partnership |
| Replicate GSEC Coding Bootcamp | Initiate and complete board member composition review (BD) | Support COVID vaccine mandate deployment – Tabled | Develop and focus on job retention measurements | Coordinate strategic outreach to small and medium size businesses |
| Increase funding and access to OJT programs | Research and ID key industries for pipeline development (EX) | Pair Board members to program areas to leverage individual networks (ALL) | Develop and publish entry level job index | Create award program with Board initiative funds. |
| Develop and implement a turnkey internship program | Bring youth voice on the Board (YTH/EX/BD) | Adopt standard toolbox for wants and needs of employers (EO) | | Build partnerships around specific projects. |
| ID and articulate career pathways specifically for youth | Hold summit of select public and private industries (EO) | Develop a standardized definition of "quality" jobs and employers (ALL) – Priority #1 | | |
| Coordinate internships leading to employment | Develop and complete entry level job index report (EO) | Develop a SETA Virtual Bootcamp for employers (EO) | | |
| | | Conduct and publish a private sector wage and benefit survey (EX/EO) | | |

NOTE: All Committees to review and provide feedback on tasks that fall within their respective areas.