



## CITY OF DETROIT MAYOR'S WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD

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Thursday, June 9, 2022, at 1-2 p.m.

Location: Mayor's Executive Conference Room at Coleman A. Young Municipal Center

### **Executive Committee Proposed Meeting Minutes**

*Co-Chairs: Cindy Pasky & Dave Meador*

#### **Call to Order**

Co-Chair Dave Meador called the Mayor's Workforce Development Board Executive Committee Meeting to order.

#### **Approval of Agenda**

Co-Chair Dave Meador asked for a motion to approve the Draft Agenda as presented. Moved by Dave Meador. Supported by Cal Sharp. Motion approved.

#### **Approval of March 3, 2022 Meeting Minutes**

Co-Chair Dave Meador asked for a motion to approve the Draft Meeting Minutes as presented. Moved by Dave Meador. Supported by Cal Sharp. Motion approved.

#### **New Business**

##### **PY 22-23 Budget**

Terri Weems, President of Detroit Employment Solutions Corporation, opened the discussion with an overview of how budget funding is used, and the services provided within. She noted the mayor's continuation of the People Plan with the addition of the Detroit at Work scholarships.

Executive Director Nicole Sherard-Freeman clarified that the Detroit at Work Scholarship fund is a dramatic expansion of the People Plan, noting that ARPA funds are included in the Detroit at Work Scholarship programs. Ms. Sherard-Freeman also clarified for the record that while Motor City Match is included in the Scholarship program, it is funded by DEGC and not part of the DESC budget.

Ms. Weems continued with an overview of budget growth, how additional funds would be spent and the importance of blending and braiding those funds, noting it maximizes the potential to reach and service more residents. She continued explaining how funding is appropriated, noting increases in each category. She gave an overview of budget allocations noting that the allocation reflects priorities of the Mayor and this board.

Questions and comments from board members ensued.

Co-Chair Dave Meador asked for a motion to approve the budget as presented. Supported by Cal Sharp. Motion approved.

### **Supportive Services Policy**

Terri Weems, President of Detroit Employment Solutions Corporation opened the discussion noting a proposal to update to the Supportive Services Policy, suggesting an expansion of the policy to be more inclusive of other funding streams.

Co-Chair Dave Meador made the motion to accept the Supportive Services Policy as presented. Moved by Cal Sharp. Supported by Dave Meador. Motion approved.

### **Public Comment**

There was no public comment.

### **Adjournment**

Co-Chair Dave Meador asked for a motion to adjourn. Moved by Dave Meador. Supported by Cal Sharp. Meeting Adjourned.

### **Attendees**

Dave Meador, Cal Sharp, Nicole Sherard-Freeman, Dana Williams, Terri Weems, Susan Reinke, Rachel May