

COMMITTEE FACT SHEET

NAME: STANISLAUS COUNTY WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD
ESTABLISHED: July 1, 2016

COMPENSATION: None

Members of this board are required to file Conflict of Interest Disclosure Statements

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act of July 2014
Board of Supervisors Resolution #2016-171.

MEMBERSHIP: The Board consists of a minimum of 19 members but no more than 28 **appointed** by Board of Supervisors, as outlined in Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Business Representatives (at least 51% of members, 2 year terms)

Representative who is the Owner, Chief Executive Officer, Chief Operating Officer, or other individual with optimum policymaking or hiring authority; representative of business, including small business, or organizations representing businesses that provide employment opportunities in in-demand industry sectors or occupations and provide high-quality, work-relevant training and development opportunities to its workforce or the workforce of others; and representatives nominated by local business organizations and business trade associations.

Workforce Representatives (20% of the members, 4 year terms)

Labor Organizations: (2 or more members) Representative of a labor organization nominated by local labor federations, or other representatives of employees and **(1 or more members)** representative of a labor organization or training director from a joint labor-management apprenticeship program, or if no such joint program exists within Stanislaus County, a representative of an apprenticeship program within Stanislaus County

Community Based Organizations: (1 or more members, 2 year terms)

Representative with demonstrated experience and expertise in addressing the employment needs of individuals with barriers to employment, including organizations that serve veterans or provide or support competitive integrated employment for individuals with disabilities

Youth Organizations: (1 or more members, 2 year terms) Representative with demonstrated experience and expertise in addressing the employment, training, or education needs of eligible youth, including representatives of organizations that serve out-of-school youth

Education and Training Representatives (1 or more members)

Adult Education & Literacy WIOA Title II: (2 year terms) Representative of a provider administering adult education and literacy activities under the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act Title II

Higher Education: (1 or more members, 4 year terms) Representative of institutions of higher education providing workforce investment activities, including community colleges

Organization Serving Individuals With Barriers: (1 or more members, 4 year terms) Representative of local educational agencies or community-based organizations with demonstrated experience and expertise in addressing the education or training needs for individuals with barriers to employment

Economic/Community Development Representatives (1 or more members)

Economic & Community Development (2 year terms): Representative of economic and community development activities

Wagner-Peyser- Employment Services Office: (1 or more members, 4 year terms) Representative from the State employment service office under the Wagner-Peyser Act serving Stanislaus County

Rehabilitation Act: (1 or more members, 4 year terms) Representative of the programs carried out under Title I of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 serving Stanislaus County, other than section 112 or Part C of that title

Governmental: (1 or more members, 4 year terms) Representative agencies or entities administering programs serving Stanislaus County relating to transportation, housing, and public assistance

Philanthropic Organizations: (1 or more members, 2 year terms) Representative of a philanthropic organization serving Stanislaus County

Other Representatives: (At the Discretion of the Board, 4 year terms)
Representatives of entities that the Board of Supervisors determines to be appropriate and consistent with the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act

TERM: 2 or 4 year period depending on the seat.

DUTIES: The purpose of the Board shall be to carry out job training and employment programs, and to set policy for the workforce development system in the local Workforce Development Area of Stanislaus County, in coordination with statewide workforce development efforts and consistent with the federal WIOA, as amended, in order to: (i) attract greater employer participation in all aspects of local employment and training activities; (ii) increase the employment, retention, and earnings of customers/participants; (iii) increase the occupational skill attainment by customers/participants; (iv) improve the quality of the workforce, reduce dependency on social services, and enhance the productivity and competitiveness of the local Workforce Development Area ; and (v) to accept donations and to otherwise actively apply for, seek, and accept funding, including from local, state, and federal sources, for this purpose.

MEETINGS: Board will meet once a quarter

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